



Billy Jay Derryberry

June 20, 1933 - March 24, 2009

Billy Jay Derryberry was born June 20, 1933 to Raymond and Beulah Mae (Wilson) Derryberry in Kiowa, OK. He married Betty Bailey on September 26, 1960 in Sherman, TX. He attended Kiowa schools then enlisted in the US Army in July of 1953. After his enlistment was up he went to work for MKT railroad where he worked as a signal maintainer. He was a member of the DAV and liked to fish and camp. He was always tinkering with motors of some sort. He was a member of Victory Life Church in Durant, OK. What he loved most was the time he spent with his family. Billy will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Billy is preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Eugene and Ernest Derryberry, and a grandson, Chad Johnson.

Billy is survived by his wife, Betty, of the home; sons, Billy Ray Derryberry and wife Tina of Calera, Jim Derryberry and wife Charlotte of Wilson, OK, Gary Canada and wife Debbie of Pottsboro, TX, Terry Perry and wife June of Ruther Glen, VA; daughters Debbie Johnson and husband Bruce of Durant, Pat Wilkins and husband Jim of Moore, OK; 19 Grandchildren and 16 Great-Grandchildren.

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“ *Billy Jay Derryberry*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *To My Wonderful Family,*

I wish I could be there longer through your healing. I know your pain all too well but can remember how the Lord has seen me through many rough times. Bill was remembered as being a little onery. True statement, but I can also remember his moments of real compassion and unbelievable sincerity when I needed strength.

May you all have peace in your hearts and rest easier knowing he's no longer suffering. I love you all dearly and just a call away.

Pat

Patricia Wilkins - April 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *mom,*

i am sorry i could not be there with you and everyone. i know he will be in a better place than in the hospital suffering.

love you always, your son terry

Terry Perry - March 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bill and Tina, thinking of you, so sorry about your dad.*

Burl and Maudie St.Clair - March 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I will miss him very much. He was always there when I needed him.* ”

Trina Wilkins - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM