



Larry Don Phillips (Bull)

August 7, 1946 - April 22, 2017

Larry Don Phillips (Bull) was born on August 7, 1946 in Talihina, Oklahoma to Joseph Bryan and Martha (Curtis) Phillips and passed from this life on April 22, 2017 at his home in Durant at the age of 70.

Larry has been a life long resident of Bryan and Choctaw counties. After high school, Larry proudly served his Country in the United States Army during the Vietnam Conflict until his Honorable Discharge. He married the love of his life, Martha Joy James on November 16, 1972 and together they began raising their family. Larry retired from Union Pacific Railroad after 21 years of faithful service. He was of the Baptist faith and he was very proud to be Choctaw and Military Veteran. Larry was an avid baseball player and fan, loved to fish, coon hunt and work in his yard. Larry deeply loved his wife, treasured his children and worshipped his grandchildren.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Shirley Ainsworth and Norma Smith and grandson, Toby James.

Larry is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Joy Phillips of the home; children, Mary Elizabeth Cash and husband Greg, Cindy Michelle Phillips Proctor and husband Jeff, Keith Phillips and wife Emily, Chad Phillips and wife Heather Joseph James and wife Cindi and John James and wife Lyndsey; siblings, Bennie Deering, Tommy Phillips, Kenneth Phillips and wife Donna,

Patricia Renick and husband Mike, Paula Cheek and husband Jesse, Emma Blevins and husband Doug and Sue Pierce and husband Randall;
grandchildren, Jaren Proctor, Jenna Proctor, Alexis Phillips, Baylee Phillips,
Eli Phillips, Cecily Thomas, Kinsley James, Kaden James and Koby James.

Cemetery Details

Good Springs Cemetery

Choctaw County, OK

Previous Events

Family Visitation

APR **25**. 7:00 PM (CT)

Brown's Funeral Service - Durant

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Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Don Phillips (Bull)*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Larry Don Phillips (Bull).*



April 26, 2017 at 02:04 AM



“ *I was privileged to work with "Chief" at UPRR in Waco, TX. Besides being a very capable and reliable worker, Chief was always a joy to spend time with. He loved to relate stories, and you could be sure he'd be laughing and keep you laughing. He was not shy about letting others know how much he loved his family. All of you meant the world to him. We were all blessed to have known him, if only for a short time.*

*My Sincere Sympathy,
Ronnie Sawyers
UPRR, retired*

Ronnie Sawyers - April 25, 2017 at 06:20 PM



Thanks so much! Dad thought a lot of you.

Cindy Proctor - April 26, 2017 at 03:34 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Don Phillips (Bull).*



April 25, 2017 at 12:06 PM



“ *We didn't know that Larry was called "bull". Charles' crew always called him "chief" when he worked with them. We are proud to be friends with him and his family. We can't come to either service since Charles had knee replacement surgery two weeks ago, but our hearts and prayers will be with you all.*

Charles & Peggy Williams - April 25, 2017 at 09:15 AM



Thanks. We understand.

Cindy Proctor - April 26, 2017 at 03:37 PM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Larry Don Phillips (Bull).*



April 25, 2017 at 08:43 AM



“ *Our sincerest condolences to the Phillips family at this difficult time.*

Howard and Susie Carey - OKC

Howard Carey - April 25, 2017 at 08:16 AM



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April 24, 2017 at 09:32 PM