



Phillip Ray Atkinson

September 30, 1934 - December 18, 2023

Phillip Ray Atkinson was born Sunday, September 30, 1934 in Bokchito, Oklahoma to Earl Atkinson and Susie (French) Atkinson. He passed from this life on Monday, December 18, 2023 in Denison, Texas at the age of 89.

Phillip grew up and graduated from Bokchito School in 1952. He lived in Durant, Armstrong, and the past several years in Denison. Phillip married Elizabeth Ann Davis in Armstrong on May 15, 1981. He retired from the City of Durant with over 20 plus years of service as he did several jobs but mostly at the water treatment plant. He enjoyed reading a good book and going fishing.

Phillip was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Mary Kent, and Oneta Jackson; and brother, Glen Atkinson.

He leaves behind his wife, Elizabeth Ann of Denison; son, Kevin Matthews and his wife, Stephanie, of Denison; sisters, Sue Goolsby and Margaret Cheshier, both of Bokchito; a brother, Lloyd Atkinson of Russellville, AR; granddaughters, Jacquelynn Matthews of Denison, and Katelynn Kourt of Denison; and great-grandson, Baxton Kourt.

Graveside services will be held at 3:00 PM on Thursday, December 21, 2023 at the Bokchito Cemetery pavilion with Mr. Don Fentem officiating.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.brownsfuneralservice.com.

Cemetery Details

Bokchito Cemetery

Bokchito, OK

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 21. 3:00 PM (CT)

Bokchito Cemetery
Steakley St
Bokchito, OK 74726

Tribute Wall

GC

“ Gallagher Construction planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Phillip Ray Atkinson.

Gallagher Construction - December 21, 2023 at 03:00 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phillip Ray Atkinson.



December 21, 2023 at 03:00 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Phillip Ray Atkinson.



December 18, 2023 at 08:51 PM

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“ Phillip was such a sweet part of our family. He was always there for family gatherings where it be a birthday party Thanksgiving Christmas or when ever we gathered to eat a great meal. His smiling face will be missed at our future gatherings. He was a kind and gentle man. He loved his family. May he rest in peace with no more pain.

Danny and Nondas Baxley - December 18, 2023 at 07:55 PM

SA

“ Sheila and Darrell Allen purchased the Lavender Reflections S pray for the family of Phillip Ray Atkinson.



Sheila and Darrell Allen - December 18, 2023 at 06:24 PM