



Robert Daniel Sanders Sr.

January 12, 1932 - November 23, 2011

Robert Daniel Sanders Sr. was born on Tuesday, January 12, 1932 in Bennington to Daniel Robert and Mary Percey (Fobb) Sanders and went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, November 23, 2011 surrounded by his family at his home in Bennington. Robert married Ency Venita Durant on May 5, 1952 in Hook, Texas and later served his Country in the United States Army serving in the Korean War. After his honorable discharge, they moved back to Bennington to raise their family. Robert retired from OG&E and later worked for the City of Durant. Robert was an Evangelist and dearly loved serving the Lord and helping others. He enjoyed playing the guitar and singing gospel music.

Robert is survived by his wife of 59 plus years Venita Sanders of the home; children Robert Daniel Sanders Jr. and companion Chasity Casey of Caddo, Patricia Darlene Fox and companion Scott Philyaw of Durant, Cynthia Burch of Durant, Doretha Jean Collier of Bennington, Ronnie Joe Sanders and wife Tambre of Marietta, OK and Hiawatha Michelle Henson and husband Jeff of Tyndall AFB, FL; sister Lorene Blaine and husband Silas of Durant; 19 grandchildren; 29 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren on the way.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents; sisters Elma Cole, Lillian Hamill, Samantha Williams and Glassie Evans; brothers Alex Sanders and Silas Billy; grandson Brandon Lee Fox and son in law Wiley Burch.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Daniel Sanders Sr.*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *My neighbor is Elaine Justice. I talked to her last night and she told me about Robert's death and was saddened by it. She didn't find out about his passing until after the funeral or she would have attended. She thought a lot of Robert and his wife and enjoyed visiting with them on numerous occasions.*

Tammy Wood - November 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *We will miss our very dear neighbor and friend! A good neighbor he was! God Bless You All! Mary*

Mary Hargrove (Noland) - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about your loss. Robert never knew a stranger. Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. Ps. 116:15*

Liz Lee - November 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Robert was a very special man. Sincere condolences to his family...and especially to Venita...He was well loved. He will be missed by many.*

Debbie Titsworth - November 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM