



Billy James Barnes

November 25, 1935 - December 16, 2016

Funeral Services for Billy James Barnes, 81, of Paige are scheduled for 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday, December 20, 2016 at Ridgeway Baptist Church in Paige with Rev. Jack Gilmore officiating. Burial with military honors will follow in the Barnes Family & Friends Cemetery in Paige. Visitation will be held on Monday, December 19, 2016 from 7:00 am until 9:00 pm and on Tuesday, December 20, 2016 from 7:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. Family will be present from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home.

Billy was born on November 25, 1935 in Austin, Texas to James Lincoln Barnes and Ida Opal (Davis) Barnes. Billy served our country in the United States Army from July 1, 1955 until being honorably discharged on June 12, 1958.

He was united in marriage to Johnnie Faye Morrison on December 25, 1960 in Manor, Texas. This union is blessed with five children, Clayton, Glen, Derrick, Brenda and Lisa. Billy was a postal clerk for the United States Postal Service. Billy was a Deacon at Walnut Creek Baptist Church in Austin for at least 20 years. His hobbies were farming and ranching. He loved spending time with his grandchildren. He enjoyed to writing and playing songs, as well as writing poetry and was even published in the Texas Lawman Magazine. His family will remember him for his sense of humor. Billy passed away the

evening of Friday, December 16, 2016 at his residence in Paige.

He is preceded in death by his parents, James & Ida Barnes; his daughter, Lisa Lynn Barnes; his grandson, Kyle Barnes, and two brothers, Melvin Barnes and Steve Barnes.

Billy is survived by his wife of 55 years, Johnnie Faye Barnes of Paige; four children, Clayton Barnes and his wife, Sue of Hutto, Glen Barnes and his wife, Audrey of Pflugerville, Derrick Barnes and his wife, Diana of Arkadelphia, Arkansas, and Brenda Keller and her husband, Allen of Austin; twelve grandchildren, Heather, Jeremy, Leisha, Dylan, Brandy, James, Chris, Corey, Dustin, Nikki, Bryan and Madison; sixteen great grandchildren; two sisters, Carolyn Barnes of Bastrop and Janet Adams of Bastrop as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Serving as pallbearers are Bryan Gibson, Dylan Barnes, Chris Barnes, Corey Barnes, Dustin Herring, and James Barnes. Serving as Honorary pallbearers are Doug Talley and Bennett Hammock.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association Capital of Texas Chapter, 3710 Cedar Street, Austin, Texas 78705 or Ridgeway Baptist Church Mission Fund, 153 Ridgeway Cemetery Road, Paige, Texas 78659.

Cemetery Details

Barnes Family & Friends Cemetery

841 Old Highway 20
Paige, TX 78959

Previous Events

Family Present for Visitation

DEC 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin St.
Giddings, TX 78942
(979) 542-3113
phillipsluckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

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Church Service

DEC 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

Ridgeway Baptist Church
153 Ridgeway Cemetery Road
Paige, TX 78659

Tribute Wall



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“ *Our prayers are with you and your family.
Merle and Roy*



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“ *With love, The Subrogation Department of TMLIRP purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Billy James Barnes.*



With love, The Subrogation Department of TMLIRP -
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“ *Marsha Water Supplu Corp purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Billy James Barnes.*



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“ *Rosemarie Powell Dylan& Ayari purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Billy James Barnes.*



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