



Finis E. Black

February 4, 1926 - February 17, 2021

Finis Edward Black, age 95 of Rockdale, passed away Wednesday morning, February 17, 2021 at Baylor Scott & White Hospital in Temple. Services for Mr. Black will be 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, February 24, 2021 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale, with Pastor Matt Higginbotham officiating. Burial in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Rockdale. Visitation is 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 23, 2021 at the funeral home.

Finis was born February 4, 1926 to Finis Roland and Frankie Elizabeth (Connell) Black. He proudly served in the United States Army. On December 6, 1947, he and Lou Ann Grimes were married in Flynn, Texas. They lived in Dickerson until 1954 when they moved to Rockdale where he began working at Alcoa as a welder until his retirement after 36 ½ years. He loved being on the farm and ranch, as well as going to his property in Leon Co. Every year he had a garden to raise vegetables and he enjoyed it so much that it got bigger every year, he was a member of the First Baptist Church in Rockdale.

He is preceded in death by his wife of 69 years, Lou Ann Black on September 21, 2017; their sons, Wayne Black on September 12, 2000 and James Black on August 18, 1990; granddaughters, Stacey and Tracey Black; his parents, Finis Roland and Frankie Elizabeth Black; brothers, JC and David Black; and sister, Mary Norrie.

Surviving are his daughters, Barbara Black of Rockdale and Judy McLerran of Granbury; five grandchildren, Tonya Henry and husband Scott of Kingman, Arizona, Wendy Jackson and husband Chester of Frisco, Kurt McLerran and wife Melissa of Fairfield, Kristi Galbraith and husband Brad of Granbury and Melissa Harris and husband James of Virginia, eight great grandchildren, one great great grandchildren; brother, Allen Black of Brazoria; and sisters, Velma Smith of Levelland and Ruby Jordan and husband Gerald of League City.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, 240 Green Street, Rockdale, TX 76567.

Cemetery Details

I.O.O.F. Cemetery

850 N. Main St.
Rockdale, TX 76567

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
1041 West Highway 79
Rockdale, TX 76567
(512) 446-5454
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Funeral Service

FEB **24.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Finis E. Black*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 23, 2021 at 12:31 PM



This was very well done. It was like a trip back in time when life was simpler.

Danny Ferraro - February 24, 2021 at 07:20 AM

JB

Reflections of a good man's life well lived!!

Jerrie beery - March 07, 2021 at 08:09 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Funeral Service*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 25, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ Jerry Maines lit a candle in memory of Finis E. Black



Jerry maines - February 23, 2021 at 10:03 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 23, 2021 at 12:12 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Finis E. Black.



February 22, 2021 at 08:30 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Finis E. Black.*



February 22, 2021 at 02:29 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Finis E. Black.*



February 21, 2021 at 11:03 PM



“ *so sorry to hear this ! steve bright and kathy steve worked with him at Alcoa*



Kathy Bright - February 20, 2021 at 11:57 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences on the passing of Mr. Finis. May God comfort you Barbara and Judy and family is our prayer.
In Christ's Love,
Bob and Donna Rodell Melcher*



Bob Melcher - February 20, 2021 at 11:52 PM

JB

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Black welcomed us as their neighbors in 1976. They were both very loving people. Mr. Black was kind and sharing. We always enjoyed our visits with him and his words of wisdom. He was a wonderful neighbor. We will truly miss Mr. Black. Our prayers and condolences for the family.*

James & JoAnn Bradford

JoAnn Bradford - February 20, 2021 at 11:42 PM

BA

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family.*

What an extraordinarily person and neighbor in Bushdale. It has been a priveledge to have known Mr. Black. He would always lend a helping hand.

Happy trails.

Barkley Alford

Barkley Alford - February 20, 2021 at 05:37 PM