



Harvey Monroe Franke

July 11, 1934 - June 1, 2012

Funeral services for Harvey Franke, 77 of Winchester, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 3, 2012 at St. Michael Lutheran Church in Winchester with Rev. Paul Hartfield officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2012 from 1:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Sunday, June 3, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Saturday evening from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Mr. Franke passed away during the early morning hours of Friday, June 1, 2012 at Oakland Manor Nursing Center in Giddings. Harvey Monroe Franke was born on July 11, 1934 in Winchester, Texas to William Albert & Emilie Renate (Fritsche) Franke. He was baptized on July 15, 1934 in his own home by Rev. Louis Trinklein and was confirmed on April 10, 1949 at St. Michael Lutheran Church in Winchester by Rev. George Heinemeier. Harvey was united in marriage to Jeanette Pearson on October 3, 1954 by Rev. Walter Stricher at St. Michael Lutheran Church. Their marriage was blessed with five children, Thomas, Timothy, Lynette, Jimmy and Linda. Harvey was a retired truck driver with Nutrena Feeds in Giddings and a member of St. Michael Lutheran Church in Winchester. He enjoyed fishing, grafting pecan trees and doing anything outdoors. Harvey was preceded in death by his parents, William & Emilie Franke; his son, Jimmy David Franke; his brother, Aubrey Franke; father-in-law, Newton Froehlich and a brother-in-law, James Pearson. He is survived by his wife, Jeanette Franke of Winchester; four children, Thomas & Kelly Franke of Winchester, Timothy

Franke & Teresa of Conroe, Lynette & Edward Pampell of Loebau and Linda & Jon Adams of Winchester; ten grandchildren, Jason & Kim Pampell of Montgomery, Misty & Brian Spacek of Round Rock, Kasey Pampell of Loebau, Kali & Keith Montgomery of Bastrop, Andrew & Jillian Franke of Bryan, Jacob Franke of Winchester, Matthew Adams of Winchester, Michael Adams of Winchester, Briana Adams of Winchester and Logan & Tiffany Franke of Elgin; ten great grandchildren; brother, Larry & Judy Franke of Montgomery; mother-in-law, Dorothy Froehlich of Winchester; sisters-in-law, Sylvia Franke of Houston and Diane Pearson of La Grange; brother-in-law, Henry Pearson of Winchester as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Serving as pallbearers will be Jason Pampell, Andrew Franke, Jacob Franke, Michael Adams, Logan Franke, Matt Adams and Bruce Franke. Memorials may be made to the St. Michael Lutheran Church Building Fund in Winchester.

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“ Harvey was a very good man and lived the biblical command to be salt and light. I met Harvey at Nutrena, and he broke his arm in 1982 at just the time I was starting to train as a trucker. Harvey and I spent over a month together in a '73 Ford truck, with a 238 hp Detroit Diesel engine that I got to run backwards (they smoke a lot when you do that) and a 5x4 20 speed 2-stick transmission. We continued to work together until his retirement. Mr Franke, you earned my respect and admiration for life on earth and into eternity. I'll see you on the other side, sir.

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