



## Ralph Roe

May 24, 1931 - September 1, 2013

Services for Ralph Roe, 82 of Rockdale are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Friday, September 6, 2013 in the Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Rockdale. Rev. Carl Hudson of First Baptist Church in Cameron and Rev. Russ Willis of Meadowbrook Baptist Church in Rockdale will officiate. Visitation; 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Thursday, September 5, 2013 at the funeral home. Ralph Roe was born May 24, 1931 in Delaware, Oklahoma to James Fred and Gertrude Hartsey (Rice) Roe. He was raised and graduated high school from Delaware, Oklahoma and had lived in several other places in Oklahoma. He attended Alvin Jr. College. Ralph joined the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict and was honorably discharged as a Staff Sergeant. On September 8, 1951, he and Billie Jean Ellis were married in Jasper, Texas. Sunday they would have celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary. They have lived and raised their sons the past 49 years in Rockdale, having moved here from Somerville. He worked for the Corp of Engineers and helped build Lake Somerville Dam. He worked for Brown & Root, Fluor Daniels, ALCOA and retired from HB Zachry. After retirement, he worked as a substitute teacher for Rockdale ISD. Ralph was a member of Meadowbrook Baptist Church, past president of Evening Lions Club, member of Rockdale Masonic Lodge #414 AF & AM, American Legion, past president of Rockdale Booster Club and a strong supporter of all Rockdale High School sports. Ralph passed away at his home, Sunday afternoon, September 1, 2013, after a lengthy illness. He was preceded in death by their son, James

Robert "Jay Bob" Roe on March 26, 1984. Granddaughter, Kimberly Lynn Roe. Brother, Calvin David Roe and sister, Juanita Edginger. Surviving family; his wife, Billie Jean Roe of Rockdale. Two sons, Charles Wayne Roe of Macon, Georgia and Richard Ralph Roe of Rockdale. Two sisters, Billie Smith and Mary Lou Hiemer of Bartlesville, Oklahoma. Seven grandchildren, Dustin Roe, April Frailey, Donnie Roe, Chelsea Roe, Kristi Martin, Kelly Jahnke and Maranda Guy. 10 great grandchildren, Jose Abila, Rosemary Abila, Lexy Roe, Tylor Frailey, Garrett Jahnke, Sierra Frailey, Adian, Ashley, Arrook and Preston Roe. Serving as pallbearers, Paul Johnson, Clemente Abila, Royce Hudson, Elbert Page Lee Parsley and Lee Johnson.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Ralph Roe*

Bob Lenon - February 25, 2014 at 08:19 AM

BP

“ *Ralph Roe*

Brenda Sager Pargac - September 07, 2013 at 06:47 PM

AH

“ *Ralph Roe*

Amy Hartman - September 06, 2013 at 03:40 PM

WD

“ *Ralph Roe*

W.T. & Winnie Dyer - September 05, 2013 at 12:58 PM

AR

“ *Ralph Roe*

Ariel - September 05, 2013 at 09:15 AM

CL

“ *Ralph Roe*

Cynthia Lumpkin - September 04, 2013 at 05:14 PM

IS

“ *Ralph Roe*

Irene Speer - September 04, 2013 at 01:11 PM

RL

“ *Ralph Roe*

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**Randy E Leech** - September 04, 2013 at 12:00 PM

CH

“ *Ralph Roe*

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**Cathy Chafin Homeyer** - September 04, 2013 at 09:28 AM

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“ *Ralph Roe*

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**Kim Nelson-Leschber** - September 04, 2013 at 09:03 AM