



Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa

November 17, 1933 - April 23, 2009

Funeral services for Robert "Bobby" Knippa, 75 of Lincoln, Texas are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 25, 2009 at Christ Lutheran Church in Loebau, Texas with Rev. Paul Hartfield officiating. Burial will follow in the Christ Lutheran Cemetery in Loebau. Visitation will be held Friday from 11:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. A prayer service will be held Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Mr. Knippa passed away Wednesday evening at his home in Lincoln. Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa was born on November 17, 1933 in Vernon, Texas to Gustav & Clara (Moerbe) Knippa. He served in the U.S. Army and was married to Martha (Proske) Hibbeler on September 15, 1984 at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Giddings. Mr. Knippa was an electrician having retired from TXU. He enjoyed woodworking and was a talented art glass maker. He created the stained glass windows in Christ Lutheran Church in Loebau, Immanuel Lutheran Church in Giddings, Redeemer Lutheran Church in Austin, the original chapel in the State Capital in Austin as well as many other churches. Mr. Knippa was preceded in death by his parents; 2 brothers, Ed Knippa and George Knippa; 2 sisters, Beatrice Tschatschula and Lillian Bach and a stepson-in-law, Brad Nease. He is survived by his wife, Martha Knippa of Lincoln; his children, Terry Knippa of Austin, Tom & Denise Knippa of Dallas, Robin & James Beach of Dripping Springs, John Knippa & fiancée, Sara Bass of Denver, Colorado and Matthew & Brandi Knippa of Lexington; his stepchildren, Ricky & Debbie Hibbeler of Giddings, Marsha & James

Blythe of Brenham and Lisa Nease of Burton; 9 grandchildren; 11 step grandchildren; 3 step great grandchildren; brother, Ted & Janet Knippa of Austin; 2 sisters, Agnes Linebrink of Georgetown and Josephine & John Brown of Houston; 3 sisters-in-law, Joyce Knippa of Round Rock, Eva & Cecil Mickel of Houston and Dorothy & Dennis Iselt of Lincoln; brother-in-law, Leonard Proske of Houston as well as numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Tribute Wall

SM “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

Sheila Morales - April 24, 2009 at 11:09 AM

JS “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

Jim & Ollie Siegeler - April 24, 2009 at 10:34 AM

JB “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

John & Josephine Brown - April 24, 2009 at 09:41 AM

LM “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

Lynne Meers - April 23, 2009 at 11:02 PM

GJ “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

Gordon & Theresa Jenke - April 23, 2009 at 04:02 PM

CF “ *Robert "Bobby" Lee Knippa* ”

Chapman Family - April 23, 2009 at 03:28 PM