



Robert Earl Brister Sr.

July 8, 1939 - February 21, 2020

Funeral services for Robert Earl Brister Sr., 80, of Lexington, Texas are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Monday, February 24, 2020 at Lexington United Methodist Church in Lexington with Rev. Reagan Seaton officiating. Burial will follow in the Lexington Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 23, 2020 from 1:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Monday, February 24, 2020 from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Lexington. The family will be present for visitation Sunday evening from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Robert Earl Brister Sr. was born on July 8, 1939 in Brookhaven, Mississippi to Jessie Elijah & Dora Bell (Rockhold) Brister. He was united in marriage to Priscila Letterman on January 17, 1959 in Gloster, Mississippi. This union was blessed with two sons, Robert Jr. and Richard. Robert began working as a welder and boilermaker at Ethol Corporation in Louisiana. After leaving Ethol he worked for IGC in Rockdale on the dragline erection crew, and finally at the power plant at the University of Texas in Austin. Robert was a member of the Boilermaker Welder Union, the Lexington Volunteer Fire Department, Masonic Lodge #138, and the Lee County Wildlife Association. He served his community by volunteering with several different Boy Scout troops, served as an assistant coach for the Lexington Little League, and was a board member of the Lexington Memorial Cemetery Association. He was also an active member of the Lexington United Methodist Church. Robert enjoyed fishing,

traveling, camping, hunting, tending to his cattle, repairing equipment, talking on his CB, and spending time with his family and friends.

Robert passed away the afternoon of Friday, February 21, 2020 in Caldwell.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jessie & Dora Brister; brother, Arthur James Brister; and nephew, Benny Douglas Brister Jr.

Robert is survived by his wife, Priscilla Brister of Lexington; two sons, Robert Brister Jr. and his wife, Arlene of Lexington, and Richard Brister and his wife, Terri of Lexington; six grandchildren, Robert J. "B.J. Brister of Lexington, Dustin Carl Brister of Lexington, Zackary Lee Brister and his wife, Rebekah of Virginia, Dalton Wayne Brister of Lexington, Dylan Michael Brister of Round Rock, and Delaney Marie Brister of Lexington; two great grandchildren, Jason Brister of Carrizo Springs, and Allie Brister of Carrizo Springs, and one brother, Benny Douglas Brister of Louisiana.

Memorials may be made to the Lexington United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 116, Lexington, Texas 78947 or to a charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

Lexington Memorial Cemetery

County Road 410
Lexington, TX 78947

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 23. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Lexington
120 Third Street
Lexington, TX 78947

Family Present for Visitation

FEB 23. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

FEB 24. 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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120 Third Street
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Church Service

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Lexington United Methodist Church
508 North Rockdale St.
Lexington, TX 78947
lexingtonunitedmethodistchurch@outlook.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Earl Brister Sr.* ”



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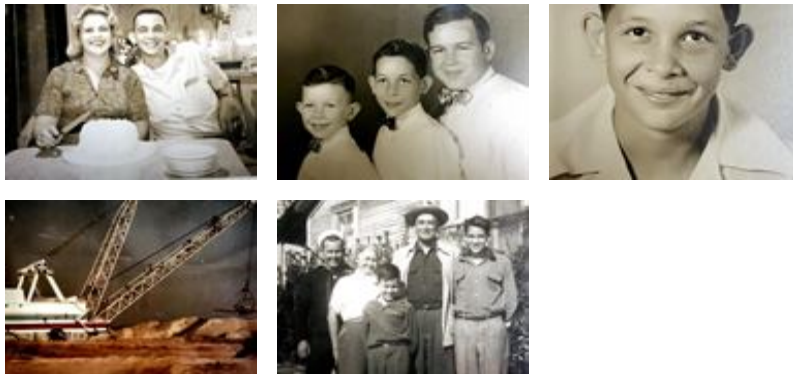
“ *Prayers for the family.
David, Joanne Tally, and Samuel Bergsten* ”



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