



Sammie Lee Ford Sr.

December 7, 1945 - September 1, 2021

Sammie L. Ford, age 75 of Rockdale, passed away Wednesday morning, September 1, 2021 at his home in Rockdale. Funeral services are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Saturday, September 11, 2021 at Springfield Baptist Church in Rockdale. Burial in the New Oak Lawn Cemetery in Rockdale.

Sammie L. Ford was born December 7, 1945 in Dewitt County, Texas to Alvin and Ora Lee Ford. He attended school in Yoakum, Texas. He confessed Christ at an early age. At this present time, he was a member of Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church in Rockdale.

Sammie loved to create and tend to flower beds and work his vegetable garden, if he had a good crop he would share with his community. Sammie won yard of the month twice, he took pride in all his work. He moved to Rockdale and became one of Rockdale Tigers biggest fans. He worked for Alcoa Aluminum Plant for 24 years as a pot tender.

He is preceded in death by his father, Alvin Ford; mother, Ora Lee Ford; a son, Samuel Rogers; two daughters, Samantha L. Ford and Brenda L. Ford; six brothers, Boddy Ray Ford, Clayton Ford, Willie J. Shropshire, Woodward Ford Sterling, Armstrong Raymond and Gene Raymond and six sisters, Katherine Ford, Elouise Williams, Geraldine Ellis, Lena Edwards, Vera Lee Ford and Pricilla Ford.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Lynda Ford of Rockdale who he was married to for 30 years. To this union one son, Darius L. Ford of Rockdale, Tyrone Hardgrove, Sammie L. Ford, Jr., Baxton Byumn. Step son, Skylar Miller; three daughters, Ora Lynell Ford and husband Terry, Lasondra Ballard, and Asjia Clay; two brothers, George Ford and wife Sue, and Stayton Ford. Sammie has 10 grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Serving as pallbearers are Don Miller, Elmo Miller, Chris Miles, Billy Tindle, Damion Taylor, Stanley Miller.

Cemetery Details

New Oak Lawn Cemetery

250 South Pear
Rockdale, TX 76567

Tribute Wall

PM

“ *MAY GOD'S GRACE AND MERCY
CONTINUE TO ENDURE FOREVER AND
EVER..*



Peggy and Precious Morrison - September 24, 2021 at 01:49 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White
was purchased for the family of Sammie Lee
Ford Sr..*



September 11, 2021 at 12:11 AM

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“ *To the family much love. I pray God's grace
amongst each of you. My condolences and
prayers to each of you He always tried to give
me a hard time in good humor. I light this
candle in his memory*



eldora richards - September 09, 2021 at 03:48 PM

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“ *Walter & Regina Hurd*



walter & Regina Hurd - September 09, 2021 at 12:24 PM



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September 08, 2021 at 08:42 AM



“ *James And JoAnn Bradford lit a candle in memory of Sammie Lee Ford Sr.*



James and JoAnn Bradford - September 08, 2021 at 12:18 AM

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“ From Joyce and me, Sammy was a good friend and I had many good and fun conversations over our many years...and, yes, enjoyed many great deliveries of mustard and turnip greens, potatoes, tomatoes and onions..we enjoyed his wonderful vegetables.

Sammy did so much good for folks, and, loved all of his family and Lynda so much. Lynda kept him lined out, at least most of the time.

Our sincere condolences to Lynda and all the family, Sammy will be missed by all who knew him well.

Sammy is in heaven today, all healed.

Most sincerely,

Ron and Joyce Montgomery

Ron and Joyce Montgomery - September 07, 2021 at 04:23 PM

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“ Aretha Flores lit a candle in memory of Sammie Lee Ford Sr.



Aretha Flores - September 07, 2021 at 08:24 AM

JP

I knew Sammie from back in the 90's, always fun to be around. To the family, keep your head up. God doesn't make mistakes RIP Mr. FORD.

J. Patterson

J Patterson - September 10, 2021 at 01:57 PM