



## James E. Burkey

December 10, 1930 - May 21, 2014

JAMES E. BURKEY, of Corsicana, Texas, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Wednesday May 21, 2014. He was born Dec 10, 1930 to T.E. and Lois Burkey in Quanah, Texas. He served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict and was a business man living in Lubbock, Odessa and Midland, Texas. He retired in Lubbock as the Building Supervisor for Indiana Avenue Baptist Church.

He married the love of his life Bobbie R. Kenley on June 26, 1950. They were blessed with three children, seven grandchildren, and ten great grandchildren and one more blessing to come. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. A faithful deacon and servant of our Lord, he served joyfully throughout his life being a Godly example for his family to follow.

He will be greatly missed by wife Bobbie, daughter Karen Clayton, husband Rex of Tishomingo, Ok, daughter Terri Atkinson, husband Drew of Greenville, Tx, and son Randy Burkey and wife Kelli of Corsicana, Tx. Grandchildren: Kendra Webb and husband Gary, Kyle Clayton and wife April, Marc Atkinson and wife Wendy, Stacie Hodel and husband Eric, Britni Ganze and husband Jeffrey, Lindsay Burkey and Blake Burkey. Great Grandchildren: Jacob, Jonah, and Kinley Wiss, Maycee Webb, Mackenzie and Nolan Clayton, Andrew and Emma Hodel, Juniper Atkinson, and Daxton Ganze.

Visitation will be 6:00 - 8:00 pm Friday, May 23, 2014 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Funeral service will be 11:00 am Saturday, May 24, 2014 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Blake Burkey, Jeffery Ganze, Marc Atkinson, Eric Hodel, Gary Webb, Jacob Wiss, Jonah Wiss.

Memorials may be made to Northside Baptist Church Building Fund or Care Center at 2800 North Beaton Corsicana, Texas 75110.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

900 North 19Th Street  
Corsicana, TX 75110

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 23.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana  
1530 N. 45th Street  
Corsicana, TX 75110  
(903) 874-4774  
[info@griffin-roughton.com](mailto:info@griffin-roughton.com)

## Service

**MAY 24.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *James E. Burkey*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Bill Weatherly, GM purchased the A Full Life for the family of James E. Burkey.*



**Bill Weatherly, GM** - May 23, 2014 at 04:00 PM



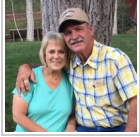
“ *Jim was a very dedicated of our Gideon camp for a few years here in Lubbock. Enjoyed our visits each week.*  
*Randy Weaver*

**Randy Weaver** - May 23, 2014 at 03:11 PM



“ *We are so sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. Our family will never forget the sweet visits with your dear family when we would have our reunions. We loved hearing the stories of our loved ones who had passed on and seeing the joy in our parents eyes when you would come to visit. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. With much love, The Dwyer family- Joan and Winfred Morgan, John Dwyer, Janet Dwyer, Judy and Don Myers.*

**Joan Morgan** - May 23, 2014 at 08:46 AM



“ *Our prayers are with your family at this time. We have fond memories of Jimmy and know he will be missed greatly.*

*Love,  
Dan and Donna Stone*

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**Donna Edwards Stone** - May 22, 2014 at 10:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James E. Burkey.*



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May 22, 2014 at 03:49 PM



“ *Care and Compassion Spray was purchased for the family of James E. Burkey.*



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May 22, 2014 at 09:45 AM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James E. Burkey.*



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May 22, 2014 at 07:08 AM

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“ Sorry to hear about Jimmy's passing. He was one of the really Good Guys. He was always there with a helping hand when I needed one. I will always remember him fondly, as I will you. I never heard him speak ill of anyone, he always kept his chin up, was a happy person. I know you will miss him deeply. There will never be another one like him.

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**Lyndell Kenley** - May 21, 2014 at 07:36 PM