



James Pilkington

October 2, 1949 - June 19, 2025

James E. Pilkington of Fairfield, Texas passed from this life on Thursday June 19, 2025, in Tyler, Texas at the age of 75. He was born in Grapeland, Texas on October 2, 1949, to Sam and Martha Marie Burren Pilkington. He was a veteran serving his country in the United States Army. James retired from the Texas Department of Corrections where he was a corrections officer.

He is preceded in death by his parents, son Timothy James Pilkington, brother John Pilkington and sisters Diane Parmley, Lois Vaughn and Jean Hammonds. James is survived by his daughter Melia Pilkington. The mother of their children Lee Ann Pilkington. Brother Fred Pilkington and a number of extended family members and friends.

Graveside service will be Tuesday, June 24, 2025, at 10:30am at Fairfield Cemetery with Justin Wells officiating.

Cemetery Details

Fairfield Cemetery

500 East Reunion
Fairfield, TX 75840

Previous Events

Graveside Funeral Service

JUN 24. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Fred, Debbie, & family purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of James Pilkington.



Fred, Debbie, & family - June 23, 2025 at 03:58 PM