



## John Burk

May 3, 1917 - February 23, 2007

John O. Burk, Jr., 89, of Corsicana passed away Friday, Feb. 23, 2007 at Trinity Mother Francis Hospital in Tyler. Mr. Burk was born on May 3, 1917 in Hill County. Visitation will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Services are slated for 2 p.m., Tuesday at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Rick Lamb officiating. Interment will follow at Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery. Mr. Burk was a Corsicana resident for 30 years. He was a retired firefighter and cattleman. In addition he was a World War II veteran, serving in the Army Air Corps. He was a member of Northside Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, John O. Burk, Sr. and Kitty Burk and brother James W. Burk. On Oct. 12, 1940 he was united in marriage to Mabel Anita Hunter. She preceded him in death on Feb. 4, 1986. On July 11, 1987, he was married to Mary Spears. Survivors include his wife Mary; son Mike and wife Mary of DeLeon; daughter Linda Moore and husband Robert of McClenny, Fla.; step son Pete McLeroy and wife Nita of Houston; step daughter Norma Jean Corbitt of Houston; six grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; sister-in-law Mrs. James W. (Boots) Burk of San Antonio.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Burk*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *My grandmother was the sister of John Burk, Sr. She knew J O and spoke fondly of him. JO and my father Buck Jones were about the same age. Some of the Burk family settled in Corsicana along with the Duncan family after moving from Cannon County, TN. Other in the Burk family went to Hillsboro . I knew J O through my grandmother Mamie Burk. He was well respected within the entire family.*

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**Dr.Poxods** - February 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ *J. O. and I were lifelong friends as well as cousins. I sure will miss him. My regards to all the family.*  
*Cotton*

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**Carlton V. Davis** - February 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Mrs. Burk,*

*We are so sorry for your loss. I pray that you will be able to find peace in all of your good memories, rejoicing that John is completely healed and in heaven with Christ. David and I are here for you if you ever need us. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*  
*David, Kristi and family.*

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**David & Kristi Garcia & Family** - February 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM