



Luther Lynn Holeman

January 31, 1947 - June 18, 2022

Funeral Services for Luther Lynn Holeman, 75, of Big Sandy, Texas, will be held at 11:00 am, Wednesday, June 22, 2022, at McWhorter Funeral Home, Gilmer, with Dwayne Stanton officiating. Interment to follow at Pleasant Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends at 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Tuesday, at McWhorter Funeral Home.

Lynn was born January 31, 1947, to Luther Jefferson and Oma Dee Dacus Holeman in Gilmer, Texas and passed from this life, peacefully into the arms of the Lord, June 18, 2022, in Tyler, Texas.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Kitty Soape; son, Jeffery Lynn Holeman; daughter, Codi Stanton and husband Dwayne; brother, Don Holeman; sister, Margaret Johnston and husband Bobby Jack Johnston; grandchildren Jonathan Mears and wife Cassie, Ashley Jarman and husband Seth, Sarah Rawls and husband Brice, Steven Bailey and husband Kyle, and Lonnie Holeman, and 4 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Luther and Oma Dee Holeman; wife, Dale Holeman; brother, Bobby Dean Holeman; and sister, Hughleen Stracener.

Pallbearers are Jonathan Mears, Steven Bailey, Lonnie Holeman, Seth Jarman, Brice Rawls, and Kyle Bailey.

Lynn was a member of the Life Tabernacle UPC Church of Gilmer, where he often played bass and was a minister. He spent many Saturday's speaking to the folks in nursing homes and telling them about the love of Jesus and the

Acts 2:38 plan of salvation. He loved God more than anything and served Him with everything he had. Lynn spent his life coming up with crazy ideas and then creating them. (Some being the most amazing machines ever invented.) If someone had a mechanical problem of any sort, he would take a day or two and then come hauling in some strange creation that fixed the issue. He loved to scare people with his bullhorn that he made from a Purex bottle...waiting in the woods for unsuspecting victims. (Most victims were hand delivered by his family members.) He was an animal lover and always brought home wild creatures from deer, to a crow (that learned how to talk), to a flying squirrel and even a baby skunk. He was an unbelievable bass and guitar player and loved performing in church as well as with the band, One Lane Bridge. When he worked for Upshur County, his nickname was, "Einstein" and his handle was, "Hillbilly", when he had a CB. He was honest as the day is long and perfected the art of making acetylene bombs with bread sacks and trash bags. Lynn was someone that most everyone loved. His two greatest accomplishments, out of all the things he created, were his two kids Jeff and Codi. He had a great sense of humor, loved life and will be greatly missed, but there's no question where his final destination is.

Please visit Lynn's on-line registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Hill Cemetery

4620 Lemon Road
Big Sandy, TX 75755

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

McWhorter Funeral Home
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Service

JUN **22**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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RJ

“ *Lynn was a wonderful neighbor. He looked out for everyone on our road. He sure made things interesting around here, to many to list and laugh about. He will be missed here for sure. Thanks for the good times Lynn*

Rita and John - June 22, 2022 at 12:39 PM

GK

“ *So very sorry to hear of Lynn's passing. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May the Lord wrap his loving arms around you. Glenda Owens Knifong*

Glenda J. Knifong - June 22, 2022 at 12:06 AM

AR

“ *So very sorry for this great loss. I will never forget how loving and kind Lynn was. He will be missed greatly and forever in my memories. My sincerest condolences. Andrea Rogers*

Andrea Rogers - June 21, 2022 at 07:57 PM

DH

“ I always looked forward to seeing Lynn at our school reunions. He would entertain my daughter and I with his fun recollections of our school days. He was a great storyteller. I rejoice in knowing he is in heaven now.

Dolores O’Neal Howard - June 21, 2022 at 07:37 PM

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“ *One Lane Bridge*

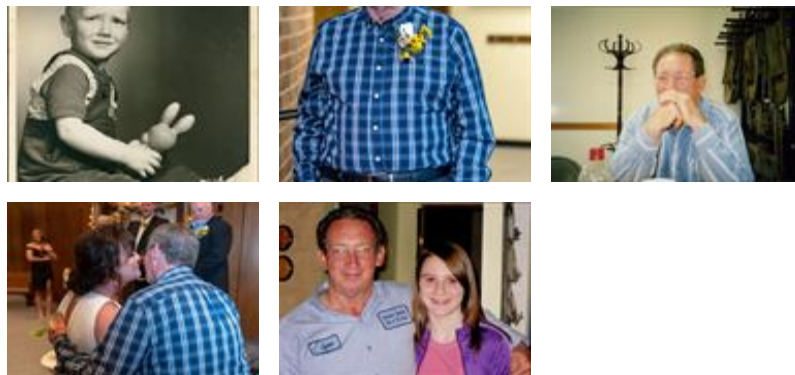
A memory shared from Larry Black



Quentin - June 21, 2022 at 06:09 PM



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