



## Sanford "Nick" Caffey

May 12, 1941 - July 5, 2025

Memorial services for Sanford "Nick" Caffey, 84, of Gilmer, Texas, will be held at 11:00 am, Saturday, July 19, 2025, at Glade Creek Baptist Church with Brother Wayne Norvell officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of McWhorter Funeral Home.

Nick was born on May 12, 1941, in Milam County, Texas, and passed peacefully in his sleep on July 5, 2025. He was the middle son of Ralph and Effie Caffey with brothers, John and Billy. He lived on the family farm and graduated from Sharp High School in Buckholts, Texas. He was a loving husband to Leona for 61 years. They lived on a small farm in Pritchett with two sons, Joe and Barry. He was a proud father and was always there to see his sons' accomplishments throughout their lives, but nothing made him prouder than his grandsons and great-granddaughter.

Nick and Leona were avid horseback riders. They attended trail rides and gatherings all over the state of Texas and neighboring states. He worked in the parts department in numerous dealerships in the East Texas area. He loved the outdoors and could always be found working in the hayfield or on a piece of machinery.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Leona Caffey; son, Barry Caffey; grandchildren, Collin Caffey (Haley), Justin Caffey, and Cooper Caffey; and his great-grandchild, Ryley Rae Caffey.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ralph and Effie Caffey; son, Joe Riley Caffey; and brothers, John Robert Caffey and Billy Earl Caffey.

Please visit Nick's online registration book at [www.mcwhorterfh.com](http://www.mcwhorterfh.com) to leave a memory for the family.

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

Glade Creek Baptist Church  
2411 Locust Rd.  
Gilmer, TX 75645

# Tribute Wall

LH

“ I always enjoyed swapping stories with Nick at the parts counter of Kelley Tractor. He was a good man to do business with. Prayers for his family.

Larry Hopkins

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Larry Hopkins - July 18, 2025 at 11:16 AM

RH

“ Prayers for your family, my father Marvin W. Hall helped Nick w/some hay cutting & baling & just last week my wife & I were passing by the old hay field off of FM 2685 at Pritchett & I reminded my wife of the times that we bought hay from Nick. My dad & Nick were good at repairing the baler & hay cutters!

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Ron Hall - July 18, 2025 at 09:09 AM

LW

“ Linda White purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Sanford "Nick" Caffey.



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Linda White - July 17, 2025 at 02:06 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**McWhorter Funeral Home** - July 17, 2025 at 01:32 PM

RB

“ Prayers and condolences to the Family. Nick and I had many conversations, he was always positive and encouraging. Leona praying for you and the Family..

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**Ruby Brown** - July 15, 2025 at 10:47 PM