

Interment
Hillcrest Memory Gardens
12825 N.E. 50th St., Spencer, OK 73084



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The Newman family would like to
extend our deepest gratitude and
appreciation for the outpouring of your love,
sympathy, prayers, and support
during our time of sorrow.
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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Sunrise
JANUARY 1, 1936

Sunset
APRIL 4, 2021



Billy
RAY NEWMAN SR.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 2021 AT 1:00PM
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REV. JAMIE DAVIS SR. ~ OFFICIATING

Obituary

Billy Newman Sr. was born in the small town of Henderson, TX on January 1, 1936 to Andrew Newman and Leoma Chapman. He was the 1st of 2 children. Billy lost his mother Leoma at an early age. He was reared by his sweet and loving Aunt, Christine Richardson, who stepped in and assumed the role of mother raising him and his sister as her own, along with her biological children.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Andrew Newman and Leoma Chapman; his earthly mother, Christine Richardson (Mamma Mamma); his wife of over 40 years, Helen Newman; his son, Billy Newman Jr. (Patches); his siblings, Odie Burkley, Alvin Bruce Burkley, and Bobbie Lenyard; his grandchildren, Tracy Williams Jr. and Diamond Garver.

Billy built a life of his own in Oklahoma City, becoming a true 'Okie'. When he became of age, he married his one true love, Helen Lewis; to this union, two children were born. Billy attended Oklahoma City Public Schools; whereafter, he began working. He lived in many places and traveled to many states. Billy was a valued employee at General Motors in Detroit, Michigan for many years of his life. Later in his life, he worked as a beloved and valued truck driver in Oklahoma City. Many grew to know him because of his passion for driving Big Rigs. He was given the nickname "Rubber Duck" because of his slender stature and many travels across the United States.

To all who knew him well, he was humorous without even trying. He had a way with words that could baffle the most intelligent. He was a mellow rapper with a rhyme known for his famous line, "the only thing that runs is the watermelon vines, and they wouldn't run if they could walk sometimes." Billy was fun loving with a huge heart. He loved listening to the Blues, taking road trips with family and friends, yelling out BINGO at the Bingo hall. He also enjoyed watching Nascar Racing, football, and basketball.

On April 4, 2021, at the age of 85, Billy joined his wife and others gone before him in eternity. He leaves to cherish in his memory: his loving children, son Marivn Davis (Rayle Ann), daughters Yvonne Guin (Shannon) and Tashombia Newman-Adams (James) all of Oklahoma City, OK; Siblings: Brenda Burkley Levingston of Jacksonville Arkansas, Wanda Richardson of Oakland California; many grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other family, and friends

Order of Service

Song

Open My Heart

Scripture

Old and New Testament

TraLisa Makey

Poem

Joy Kelly

Obituary

Read In Silence

Prayer and Words of Comfort

Rev. Jamie Davis Sr.



Romans 14:8

For if we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die,
we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or
whether we die, we are the Lord's.