



Elmer Leroy Matthews

November 19, 1935 - March 24, 2018

Elmer Leroy Matthews, 82, of Cross Roads, TX, passed away Saturday, March 24, 2018 in Denton, TX. He was born November 19, 1935 in Rosenberg, TX to Leonard and Joy (Roe) Matthews. He married Rosene Thomas on February 8, 1956. Elmer is survived by his wife, Rose of Cross Roads, TX; two sons, Gary Matthews and wife Danita and Daryl Matthews all of Cross Roads, TX; two daughters, Staci Matthews of Cross Roads, TX and Patti Thomas and husband Chris of Grandview, TX; one grandson and four granddaughters; one great-grandson and four great-granddaughters; brother, Doug Matthews of Bay City, TX; sister, Gloria Betak of Pflugerville, TX; and nephews, Dennis and David Matthews of Bay City, TX. He was preceded in death by his parents, Leonard and Joy; son, Mike Matthews; and two sisters, Lea Nelson and Vivian Pruet. Visitation will be held 7:00PM-8:00PM, Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX. A graveside service will be held at 3:00PM, Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at Belew Cemetery in Aubrey, TX with Randy Carroll officiating. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

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Tribute Wall

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“ I knew Elmer through Acme Brick and have been friends with Staci for 15 years. To the family: I hope you are able to find some sort of peace in your memories.

Jennifer Marrs - March 27, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ My condolence to the family. I will carry in my heart Elmer no one could make me smile like you did. R.I.P My friend.

Gracie Martinez - March 27, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ It is with great pleasure that I had the privilege to have known Elmer, we had the best of times together as we would go to the hayfield to get hay for my horses and carry on a conversation that no one else would know what we said because both of us were almost deaf. He was a friend indeed as well as having a close wonderful family he adored. Rest well my friend, Larry Brady

Larry Brady - March 26, 2018 at 12:00 AM