



Rick Lyle Bailey - "Funny Man"

January 28, 1950 - June 19, 2023

Ricky Lyle Bailey, 73, of Porum, OK passed away June 19, 2023 in Porum, Oklahoma. He was born January 28, 1950 in Checotah, Oklahoma to Carlile and Christine Bailey. Rick married the love of his life, Nedra, on August 25, 1967. They were married for 54 years and were each others best friends. Rick was a loving husband, father, and pawpaw. His most precious times were spent loving Nedra and spoiling his kids and grandkids. He supported his family for years by roofing houses. In his younger years he enjoyed bulldogging, coon hunting, and raising horses. His most recent joys in life were watching his sons and grandsons rope, supporting all of his grandkids endeavors, and sitting on his porch talking to all who came to visit. His nickname was "Funny Man" because he was always telling stories and jokes that made his family and friends laugh. Rick will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him but his larger than life personality will forever remain imprinted in our hearts.

Rick is survived by: 3 sons, Blake Bailey and wife Cindy of Stigler; son Dusty Bailey and wife Tina of Porum; son Travis Bailey and wife Amanda of Porum; 1 daughter Ashley Todd and husband Brec of Checotah; sister, Marquita Johnson of Stigler; brother-in-law Albert Dorris and wife Pat of Haskell; grandkids, Morgan and husband Evan; Megan and husband Lael; Johnna and husband Justin; Colby, Brookelen, Treyton, Bailey, Beau, Emery, and Jaron; great grandkids, Grant, Aspen, Everson, and Dawsyn; and many other family and friends.

Rick is preceded in death by his wife, Nedra Bailey; parents Carlile and Christine Bailey, parents-in-law Clayton and Marie Dorris.

Memorial Service will be 10:00 A.M. Friday, June 23, 2023 at the Porum High School Gymnasium Event Center with Reverend Jack Sloan officiating.

Eulogist: Blake Bailey. Honorary Pallbearers include Danny Williams, Jeff Girty, Jimmy Coppin, Bimbo Fowler, Teasie McCrary, Bill Crow.

Cremation arrangements made under the direction of King & Shearwood Funeral Home of Stigler.

Cemetery Details

Bennett Cemetery

Previous Events

Memorial

JUN **23**. 10:00 AM.

Porum High School Gymnasium Event Center

Tribute Wall

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“ *I remember Rick from high school days. Nedra was a good friend and classmate. Over the years I would run into Rick and he always had a smile on his face and a story to tell. He will be missed by many.*

Bill Gardner - June 21, 2023 at 11:53 PM