



Franklin Winston Lilly

January 12, 1942 - December 20, 2013

Services for Mr. Franklin Winston Lilly, age 71, of Lindale, are scheduled for 2PM on Monday, December 23, 2013 in the New Harmony Baptist Church with Rev. Robbie Caldwell officiating. Interment will follow in the New Harmony Cemetery under the direction of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Directors in Lindale. Mr. Lilly went to be with his Lord on Friday, December 20, 2013 at the Hospice Homeplace in Tyler. He was born on January 12, 1942 in Commerce, Texas to Elton Carr & Ruth Perry Lilly and was formerly of Tyler before moving to Lindale in 1981. Mr. Lilly was a veteran of the Viet Nam War serving as a Captain in the US Air Force and was a quality control analyst for the Texas Department of Human Services. He was a member of the New Harmony Baptist Church. Mr. Lilly created an amazing legacy every day of his life by serving and blessing others through many unselfish acts of kindness. He was the rock of his family who loved his wife of 43 years, Willene, and adored his children, his family, and his dog, Chole.

Survived by his Wife, Mrs. Willene Jackson Lilly of Lindale

Children: Amber Lilly Baquet and Craig Williams of Lindale, Samuel Rusk Lilly and wife, Karla, of Lindale; Jack Garrett Lilly of Mineola; and Jodi Elizabeth Lilly Protsman and husband, Jacob of Ft. Worth

3 Sisters: Mary Ruth Greeley and husband, Arlin of Coolridge, Arizona; Betty Sotelo of Las Vegas, Nevada; and Judy Madaski & husband Chuck of Clovis, California

4 Grandchildren: Addison Codi Baquet, Blake Garrett Lilly, Alexis Grace Lilly,

and Brylee Jade Baquet

Special Friends: Ann Carlisle of Lindale and Larry Henry of Chandler

Pallbearers; Keith Johnson, Cary Johnson, Michael Rhodes, Jeff Fennel,
David O'Connor, Phil Lee, and Joey Hollifield

Honorary pallbearer will be Larry Henry

Family will receive friends from 4PM to 7PM on Sunday at the Caudle-
Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale.

Cemetery Details

New Harmony Cemetery

9920 FM 724
Tyler, TX 75704

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
jeff@crdfh.com

Church Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

New Harmony Baptist Church
10251 FM 724
Tyler, TX 75704
nhbc@newharmonybaptistchurch.org

Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Franklin Winston Lilly*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - December 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Franklin Winston Lilly*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Franklin Winston Lilly*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



John R. Perry - January 14, 2014 at 01:58 AM

JP

“ I was so sorry to hear about my first cousin passing away. I remember him as a good and generous person. I looked up to him as I would an older brother. I will always remember him for giving me my first BB gun, a treasure for a young man of six years old. His family lived in AZ in the 50's and visited us from time to time. Later on, distance prevented visits and we lost contact. Unfortunately, I found him too late to renew old times, but we shall meet again on the other side.

My prayer is for his family and friends that God will comfort them during this time of loss.

*John R. Perry
AZ*

John R. Perry - January 14, 2014 at 01:53 AM

BW

“ i am sorry for the loss of your husband and my first cousin. My sisters, Margaret Thomas and Wanda Rolf were wondering about Frank and I later went to the internet and found that he expired. I found a phone number which i will give to Margaret and she will try to contact you. We would love to hear from you.

Bill West 214 358 3607

Bill West - January 07, 2014 at 12:37 PM

JP

Hi Bill, Like you I found out about Franklin by checking on the internet. I just happen to come across the obit.

John R. Perry in AZ

John Perry - January 14, 2014 at 01:55 PM

BR

“ Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family now and in the days to come.
Sincerely, Beth Chism Rangel

Beth Chism Rangel - December 24, 2013 at 12:34 AM



“ Red Poinsettia was purchased for the family of Franklin Winston Lilly.



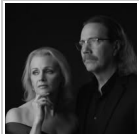
December 22, 2013 at 12:16 PM



“ Holiday Homecoming Basket was purchased for the family of Franklin Winston Lilly.



December 21, 2013 at 09:42 PM



“ Debbie Dudley Barnett lit a candle in memory of Franklin Winston Lilly



Debbie Dudley Barnett - December 21, 2013 at 05:27 PM