



John M Bryan

December 18, 1934 - April 19, 2011

Services for Mr. John M. Bryan, age 76, of Liberty City, are scheduled for 2Pm on Friday, April 22, 2011 in the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home chapel. Interment will follow in the Sabine cemetery. Mr. Bryan died on Tuesday, April 19, 2011 in the Good Shepherd Medical Center in Longview. He was born on December 18, 1934 to David Raymond & Exa Gilmore Bryan in Mt. Sylvan and was formerly of Mt. Sylvan & Lindale before moving to Liberty City in 1969. Mr. Bryan was a 1953 graduate of Lindale High School. On October 18, 1954 he proudly joined the US Navy and he served on the aircraft carriers USS Hornet & USS Wasp as a signalman. Mr. Bryan was employed at Tyler Pipe Industries and Schlitz Brewery in Longview and retired from Stroh's in 1977 after working 31 years. He was the owner & operator of the The Movie Star in Liberty City for 23 years. Mr. Bryan was preceded in death by his parents, David & Exa Bryan, Brother, David Bryan Jr., Sister, Helen Lott, & Mother-in-Law, Mrs. Frances Stevens.

Survived by his Wife of 51 years, Mrs. Dorothy Stevens Bryan of Liberty City

2 Daughters: Carissa Purcell of Liberty City & Courtney Clements & husband, Jody of Kilgore

Grandchildren: Addison Purcell & Sam Clements

Special Family Member: Jimmy Purcell of White Oak

Step Grandchildren: Kaleb Clements, Emily Clements, Tristan Clements, Drew Clements, & Bailey Clements,

Step Great Grandchildren: Brennan Clements, Brody Clements, & Weston Clements

Numerous Nieces & Nephews

Pallbearers: Jackie Johnson, Jody Clements, Jimmy Purcell, Larry Lott, Johnny Bryan, David Bryan, Bill Harvey, & Glenn Craze

Honorary Pallbearers: Bill McChristian, Bill Morton, Kenneth Whatley, Jessie Stevens, Chuck McClenny, Johnny Neely, Bo Camp, and all co-workers at Stroh's and Lindale High School Class of 1953

Family will receive friends from 6PM to 8PM Thursday evening at the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale.

Tribute Wall



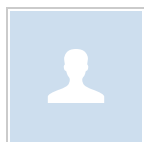
“ *John M Bryan*

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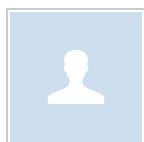
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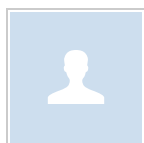
“ *I was very sad today to hear the news on John. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Todd Fleming##imported-end##*

April 25, 2011 at 05:44 PM



“ *We are sorry for your loss. May the lord comfort you in your time of need.##imported-begin##Tom & Irena Hedrick##imported-end##*

April 25, 2011 at 04:06 PM



“ *Dorothy Anny, Carissa, and Courtney,*

I just heard this sad news. I'm so sorry. You are in my prayers. May the many fond memories help to ease the pain.

Bettina Stevens Caggiano and family##imported-begin##Bettina Stevens Caggiano##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 11:30 AM



“ Dorothy Ann, Carissa, and Courtney, I just found out about John. (Sat. 4/23) I wish I could have been at his service. I am so so sorry for your loss. Please know you are all in my thoughts and prayers. "May the God of HOPE fill you with all joy and peace, as you trust in HIM so that you may overflow with HOPE by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13) God Bless you all. I pray for peace and comfort for each of you. Love you, Tammi

April 23, 2011 at 11:45 AM



“ Courtney, Carissa and Dorothy,

You are all in my prayers. I am so sorry that I did not know in time to attend the visitation or funeral. John was a fine man and will be greatly missed. My heart goes out to each of you.

Sincerely,

Melissa Sullivent Walden

April 22, 2011 at 03:18 PM



“ Let not your heart be troubled believe in God, believe also in me. In my father's house are many mansions; if it were not so I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you. John 14 1-2. Find comfort in knowing that God loves you all and will comfort you in your time of sorrow. He will not leave you comfortless for his Spirit is with you now and always. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. In his Love The Samples Family
Stacy, Dwayne, Anetra, Carlos and Janice (Family of Jewel Samples)

April 21, 2011 at 09:55 PM



“ Dorothy, I was extremely sad to learn of John’s death. I am remembering the time we went bowling. John bowled 3 strikes. We were bragging on him. I think he guttered nearly every ball after that. You, John, Frank, and Pat were such special friends.##imported-begin##Lajuanda (Smith) Morrow##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 06:04 PM



“ Dorothy, Courtney, Carissa, and family,
You all mean the world to us. We love you very much and are so sorry for your loss. Mr. John was precious and we will always remember his smile! He made that easy because he was always smiling.
God Bless,
Wayne and Amy Cassady##imported-begin##Wayne and Amy Cassady##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 04:44 PM



“ Carissa, Courtney & Momma Bryan,

I know you are grieving with the passing of John. I pray for the Father to fill your hearts with His peace during this difficult time. We will be praying for you all! We rejoice with you in John’s home-coming with Jesus! Know we are here if there is anything we can do for you.

*In Jesus Love,
Frank & Penny Hummel##imported-begin##Frank & Penny Baker Hummel##imported-end##*

April 21, 2011 at 02:22 PM



“ John will be missed - he was a great neighbor, and a great dad to Courtney & Carissa! I last saw him when I was home at Spring Break and he and Dorothy were walking with Sam in thier yard - all with huge smiles!##imported-begin##Megan Bradley##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 12:31 PM



“ You are all in our prayers as you go through this sad time. Your dad was a good man and will be remembered for the wonderful job that he and your mom have done raising you girls and for the good job he did working for Stroh’s.

Love you all,##imported-begin##Jackie & Gene Fout##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 08:54 AM



“ So Sorry for your loss, He was such a sweet person. You are in my thoughts and prayers!##imported-begin##Heather Mayfield##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 08:53 AM



“ Dear Courtney and family,
You are all in our prayers. We are so sorry for your loss. We love you.
Sincerely,
Amy, Andy, Drew and Sydney Bates##imported-begin##Amy Bates##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 08:40 AM