

MARVIN RAY "OZ" READ SR.

1938-2015

BRIDGEPORT: Marvin Ray "OZ" Read Sr., 76, an equipment operator, died Saturday, July 11, 2015 at Baylor All Saints in Fort Worth.

Marvin was born on October 24, 1938 to John Dixon and Irene (Pike) Read in Paradise. He was united in marriage to Dana Choate on March 14, 1977 in Decatur. Marvin retired from TXI after 35 years as an equipment operator.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his son, Ronald Read; his step-daughter, Sheri Cox; his sisters: Pauline Carlton and Lorene Read; his brothers: J.D. Read, Leon Read and Ernest (Hoot) Read; his step-grandson, Zackery Gober.

Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Dana Read; his sons: Marvin Read and wife, Linny; Rodney Read and wife, Valaria; his daughter, Beverly Taylor and step-daughter, Lisa Raven; his granddaughters: Amye Read, Kayla Van Brunt and chosen granddaughter Lauren Breeden; his step-granddaughter, Bree Salazar; his grandsons: Cameron Taylor, Raylen Read and Ty Read; his great grandson, Cayden Van Brunt; his great granddaughter, Kaili Taylor; other family members and a host of friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be made to the Wise County Food Bank, 940-626-4676 or www.warmtx.org.

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