



Austin S. Dabbs

October 28, 1932 - March 31, 2014

Austin "Buddy" Dabbs, 81, of Brady, Texas, passed away peacefully, Monday, March 31, 2014, at his home in Brady. Austin was born in Elaine, Arkansas, on October 28, 1932, to Ira Sylvester Dabbs and Mary Avie (Scott) Dabbs. He married Grace Jewell on October 12, 1951, in Superior, Arizona. Austin and Grace moved to McCulloch County from Phoenix, Arizona, in 1984.

Buddy, as he was known, was best known as a singer/songwriter/guitarist, and the author of two books. He attended the Kansas City School of Auctioneering and was an Auctioneer Colonel who bought, sold or traded anything and everything. Buddy worked for the Cyprus Bagdad Copper Company in Bagdad, Arizona, for 22 years and was on the town maintenance crew for the company-owned town of Bagdad. He was also a member of the Yavapai Sheriff's Posse. After moving to Brady, he drove school busses for Brady Independent School District. Buddy was an avid team-roper and fisherman. He was a member of Temples of Worship church where he served as a song leader.

Buddy is survived by his wife of 62 ½ years, Grace Dabbs, of Brady and their three sons: Mark Dabbs, and wife LaDonna, John Dabbs, and wife Elizabeth all of Bagdad, Arizona, and Thomas Dabbs of Brady; one daughter, Debra Rudy, and husband Tom, of Silver City, New Mexico; William Dabbs and Matthew Dabbs and their children, of Arizona; two sisters, Hesther Vian and Helen J. Webb, both of Mesa, Arizona; three grandchildren, Amanda DeBuigne, and husband Jeff, Mary Schwoerer, and husband Adam, and

Austin Rudy, and wife Erin; three great-granddaughters, Madeline Rudy, Julia Grace Rudy and Clio Schwoerer; one soon-expected great-grandson; and numerous nieces and nephews. Buddy is preceded in death by his parents. Memorials are requested to the The Bible League in lieu of flowers. Visitation will be held from 5 - 7 pm, Saturday, April 5, 2014, at Heritage Funeral Home in Brady. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, April 6, 2014, at 2 pm at Heritage Funeral Home Chapel with a private family burial to be scheduled.

Tribute Wall

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“ Grace, Mark, John, Thomas and Debbie our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. The Allmon Children JC, Bud, Mary and Cody

Mary Allmon Williams - April 12, 2014 at 03:28 AM

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“ Our sincere condolences to the family for your loss. Buddy will be fondly remembered by the Williams family.

Mike Williams (jr) - April 08, 2014 at 06:28 PM

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“ We send our sincere condolences for your loss. Our prayers are with you.

Kathy and Craig Sircy - April 04, 2014 at 09:45 PM