



Otis Harold Lyckman

August 27, 2015

Otis Harold Lyckman passed away on August 26, 2015. He was born June 29, 1924 to Swedish-Norwegian parents John and Jenny (Anderson) Lyckman in Brady, Texas.

Otis was raised in the Dodge community of McCulloch County where he attended Dodge country school and graduated from Brady High School. Following graduation, he served in the U.S. Army during World War II as a Sergeant in the European Theater. Upon honorable discharge, Otis returned to Brady to farm with his family and served as a department supervisor for Intercontinental Manufacturing Company.

He married Dionitia Rambo Pennington on July 24, 1953, and they farmed and ranched together in Menard County for 60 years. As a leader in the community, Otis was a member of the Rotary Club, Menard ISD school board and proudly served the people of Menard County as Judge for 24 years. He was also an original founder of the Rural County Judges Association.

Otis was a faithful member of Grace Lutheran Church and served as church president for 24 years. He lived life using his faith as an example to his family, and through his wisdom, instilled the importance of fairness, patience, gentleness and work ethics.

He was predeceased by his wife, Dionitia; his parents; sisters, Gibret, Marjorie and Jeanette; and brothers, John, Edward, Boyd and Warren. He is survived by brother, Alvin Lyckman; son, Monte and wife Susie Lyckman; daughter, Dreu and husband Jerry Bearden; granddaughters Laci Lyckman Grobler and

husband Neil, Taylor Lyckman, and Chel Terrell and husband Mark; great-grandson Hudson Beck and great-granddaughter Holland Grace Terrell; brother-in-law Jerry Rambo; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers are Mann, Cary, Zach and Riley Rambo, Benny and Stanley Kothmann, March Compton and Jay Cunningham.

Graveside services will be held Friday, August 28 at 2:30 p.m. at Rest Haven Cemetery in Menard.

And the Master said, "Well done, good and faithful servant!"

Tribute Wall

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“ We are sadden by the loss of Otis. He was a kind & gentle person we enjoyed very much. Will keep the Family in our prayers. God Bless.

Chester & Ola Low - August 28, 2015 at 03:34 PM

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“ Judge Lyckman was very special to me. He encouraged me to be the best that I could be in my EMS career and I will always remember those words he shared with me long ago. Monte and Dru, you are in my prayers as well as the rest of the family. I know you all have special memories to recall. We serve an AWESOME GOD and He will give you comfort and peace.

Louise Whitson - August 28, 2015 at 02:27 PM