



James "Jack" Rankin

May 21, 1922 - November 4, 2007

James Rankin, Jr. better known as Jack, has gone to be with his Lord and beloved wife, Grace on November 4, 2007

Grace preceded him in death January 2000.

Funeral services will be held at the Victory Baptist Church at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 7, 2007 in Katie, Oklahoma. Interment will be at the Elmore City Cemetery under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home of Elmore City.

Jack served in the Army during World War II and was honorably discharged after the war ended in 1945.

Jack married Grace Damron on January 10, 1948 and settled in Elmore City to work and raise a family. Jack made his career mostly in the oil field but also owned a gas station and raised cattle on the family farm.

Jack is survived by his sister, Anna Lea Harvey of Mount Pleasant, Texas

2 sons: Charles Rankin of Moore, Oklahoma
Roy Rankin of Antlers, Oklahoma

4 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren

Jack was a common man with old fashion values and shared his experiences by helping his community, his neighbors and others in need.

Jack supported his community and held an interim term as local judge and a couple terms as the mayor of Elmore City.

Jack was held very dear by his family and respected by his many friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Elmore City)
105 S. Main
Elmore City, OK

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NOV 6. 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

NOV 7. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Service

NOV 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

Victory Baptist Church of Katie
3 miles East of Elmore on County Rd. At 4-way stop go 3 miles South, church on right
Katie, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *James "Jack" Rankin*

November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM



“ *To the Rankin Family,*

We are sorry to hear of the loss of Jack. I know he will be missed by all of us. As the former pastor of FBC Elmore City and neighbor of Jack, he was a dear friend. Even after we left Elmore we kept in touch with Jack through the years. We always enjoyed our visits on the phone and enjoyed his sense of humor. We know he is in a better place and enjoying perfect peace with the Lord. We pray that God will comfort and bless each of you during this difficult time.

In His Love,

Bro. Pat & Jackie Layne###imported-begin##Pat and Jackie Layne###imported-end##

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