



Richard "Sonny" Hill

December 25, 1922 - January 31, 2008

Richard "Sonny" Hill of Elmore City, Oklahoma was born to Otto Fritz and Elma Laverna (Mishler) Hill on December 25, 1922 in Wirt, Oklahoma and passed from this life on January 31, 2008 at his home in Elmore City at the age of 85 years.

Sonny grew up and attended school at Graham, Oklahoma. He served his country in the U. S. Army during World War II. Sonny was proud of being in the Company E 508 Regiment 82nd Airborne. On August 4, 1945, Sonny married Lawana Ballew in Clemscot, Oklahoma. He worked in the oil field for Warren Petroleum, Gulf and Chevron as a field foreman. Sonny also worked at the Maysville and Antioch panther creek booster plant. He was a member of the Elmore City First Baptist Church. In his spare time, Sonny enjoyed collecting arrowheads and rocks, taking care of his cattle and riding four wheelers. The highlights of his life were his grandkids and love of his friends.

Mr. Hill is survived by;

His wife: Lawana of the home

1 daughter: Linda Blankenship Chappell and her husband Sonny of Elmore City, Oklahoma

2 brothers: Donnie Hill and his wife Ruby of Davis, Oklahoma
Benny Hill and his wife Edie Lou of Graham, Oklahoma

1 sister: Patricia Scott of Elmore City, Oklahoma

2 grandchildren: Larry Blankenship and Jason Blankenship

4 great-grandchildren: Cole Ryan, Zoe, Lauren and Davian Blankenship

3 step-grandchildren and 6 step-great-grandchildren

Mr. Hill was preceded in death by;

His parents: Otto and Elma Laverna Hill

1 brother and 1 sister

Funeral services for Mr. Hill are scheduled for Sunday, February 3rd, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. in the Elmore City First Baptist Church with Dr. Bruce McCray officiating. Interment will be in the Elmore City Cemetery under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home. You may send a condolence to the family at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 1. 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

FEB 3. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church- Elmore City
103 S. Arkansas
Elmore City, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard "Sonny" Hill*



Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Richard "Sonny" Hill*

November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM



“ *Linda, I am so sorry to hear about your loss. We lost Dad and Bonnie a few years ago, and still miss them more than ever thought possible. My prayers are with you, and your family. Love
Patty##imported-begin##Patty (Tomlinson) McKee##imported-end##*

February 07, 2008 at 06:21 PM



“ Greetings Linda,
I was so sorry to hear about your Dad's death. He was a great man and great Dad to you over the years. Carolyn told me that she saw you and talked with you yesterday. Larry and I are doing well. I taught Kdg. here in Edmond for thirty years, but have recently retired and am now enjoying our two grandkids who also live here. We don't get to Elmore very often but go to Marlow to see mom. I hope your health is good as well as your mom's health. Many years have passed since we rode the bus together. I just thank God for all the blessings through the years. Blessings to you and your family as well.
Betty##imported-begin##Betty (Adkins) McNeill##imported-end##

February 04, 2008 at 10:20 AM



“ I am so glad that I had the chance to know Sonny for so many years. He was always so nice to me and everyone in Elmore. All the fishing trips he allowed me to go on, on his ponds is some of my most memorable times as a kid. I know he loved going to Red River. It became a family tradition, as it is now with my family. As close to heaven as Red River is, he is seeing now the beauty that Red River could never offer. Heaven. Enjoy Sonny!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I'll see you there!!!!##imported-begin##Mark Haley##imported-end##

February 04, 2008 at 01:45 AM



“ We feel so bless to have known Sunny.
He was truely one of God's soldiers. Every time we talked to our girls and their families, or friends about our church, Dan always mentioned Sunny
and the testimonies that he shared. We truley will miss him.
Love, Dan and Carolyn Croom###imported-begin##Carolyn and Dan Croom###imported-end##

February 03, 2008 at 09:26 PM



“ Lawana and Linda,
So sorry to hear of Sonny's passing, though we know he is with God, we still miss him. Our thoughts and our prayers are with you through out this difficult time. We love you and miss you.

Russell and Janice###imported-begin##Russell and Janice Bivins###imported-end##

February 02, 2008 at 02:46 PM



“ Lawanna & family,
Just wanted to say how blessed we are to have known Sonny.
"Lafayette" was quite a character, and we will miss him so much.
One thing about it, tho, we will see him again, he just got there a little quicker than the rest of us.
We love you, Darrell & Nancy###imported-begin##Darrell & Nancy Haley###imported-end##

February 01, 2008 at 03:19 PM