



Richard C. Loper, Sr.

November 23, 1956 - October 21, 2011

Richard C. Loper, Sr., 54, of Laurel died Friday, October 21, 2011 at Wesley Medical Center in Hattiesburg. Funeral services will be held at 3:30 pm Monday, October 24, 2011 at Memory Chapel with burial to follow. Rod Lowery will officiate. Mr. Loper was self-employed in the tree service. He was preceded in death by his mother, Kathy Loper Holifield; step-father, Holie Holifield; sister, Pat Parker; brother, Mitchell Johnson; and grandson, Cameron Hill Smith. Survivors include his father , Albert Johnson of Gulfport; wife of 32 years, Lisa Craven Loper of Laurel; three sons, Curtis Craven of Mayo, FL and Ricky Loper and wife Melanie and William Loper and wife Regina all of Laurel; daughter, Tara Langenback of New York; ten grandchildren; six great grandchildren; brothers, Eddie Holifield of Biloxi, and Sidney Johnson, Robert Johnson and David Johnson all of Gulfport; and sisters, Debbie Slaughter and Janet Woods of Hattiesburg, Joann Martin and Tammy Huguet of Gulfport and Mandy Johnson and Jamie Johnson of TN; a host of nieces and nephews; and special cousins, Mike Griffin of Ovet and Kay Gace of Biloxi. Pallbearers will be John Parker, Zack Morris, Chris Holifield, Chaz Holifield, Anthony Rodgers and Ben Mitchell. Honorary pallbearers will be James Polson, Norman Polson and Anthony Smith. Visitation will be held from 1:30 pm until service time Monday at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *lisa and family we are so sorry to hear about ricky our thoughts and prayers are with the family love yall* ”

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