



Woodrow Wilson Holifield, Jr.

October 3, 1951 - July 13, 2011

Woodrow Wilson Holifield, Jr., 59, of Ellisville, died Wednesday, July 13, 2011 at South Central Regional Medical Center in Laurel. Funeral services will be held at 10 am Monday, July 18, at Memory Chapel with burial to follow in Mt. Moriah Cemetery in Jones County. Rev. John Gardner and Rev. Bob Burch will officiate. He retired from the oil field and was of the Baptist faith. Mr. Holifield was preceded in death by his parents, Woodrow Wilson Holifield, Sr. and Vesta Gladys Lawrence Holifield. Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Holifield of Ellisville; two sons, John Jenkins and Russell Holifield both of Ellisville; daughter, Kristy Smith of Hinesville, GA; five grandchildren; three brothers, Thomas Holifield of Lyman, SC, B. J. Holifield and David Holifield both of Laurel; and two sisters, Gloria Broadway of Soso and Patricia Holifield of Laurel. Pallbearers will be Thomas Holifield, B. J. Holifield, Austin Jenkins, John Jenkins, Russell Holifield and Matthew Holifield. Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 pm Sunday, July 18 at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements. To view and sign the family guest book, visit ww.memorychapellaurel.com.

Tribute Wall

JC

“ Although I did not know Woodrow personally, Kristy spoke very highly of him to me quite often and I feel as though I know him. Woodrow, from what I've heard from your daughter, you were a great father to her and you will be dearly missed. God bless you. Although you are gone, you will never be forgotten.

Jennifer Clark - July 16, 2011 at 08:15 PM

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“ woodrow was my best friend and i will miss him dearly may god bless his family chuck walters

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“ Elizabeth you know how much we love you and will always be here for you. David says he has lost his best friend and buddy and I know Gloria, Pat, BJ and Tom feel the same. Jr has left all his friends and family many memories to keep us laughing until we are with him again.

Elaine Holifield - July 15, 2011 at 11:17 AM

TM

“ Elizabeth and family, I am so sorry to hear about Woodrow's passing. I know he will be dearly missed. I will be praying for all of you in your time of sadness.
Tonnie

Tonnie McArthur - July 15, 2011 at 10:53 AM

KH

“ I love you Daddy! I will never forget when I was just a little girl, going to work with you on the rig. One time when Rusty was still in diapers Momma came out to the rig and we went to some resturant and ate. You fixed my hair with bread ties and had me wear one of rusty's diapers so you wouldnt have to take me to the bathroom. That is just one of thousands of memories that will forever be with me. I love you and miss you Daddy!

Kristy Holifield-Smith - July 14, 2011 at 08:21 PM