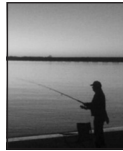


BOBBY C. RYALS



Bobby C. Ryals, 80, of Callahan, passed away on January 4. He was born on October 14, 1937 in Ludowici, Georgia to Alan and Desdie Ryals. He worked as a welder for TMT and Crowley before his retirement in 1979. Bobby enjoyed fishing and watching boxing but his greatest enjoyment was his Monday-Friday fellowship with the men at Cecil's Diner in Oceanway and his Saturday and Sunday visits to the Flea Market. He was a member of the Masonic Blue Lodge in Callahan and Shriners. He was a man who had not been sick or hospitalized since 1979 and enjoyed life to its fullest! He was welcomed home by his little companion Misty.

Bobby is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Vivian Voncile Ryals; sons Kenneth L. (Lily) Ryals, Donald E. Ryals and Jeffery S. (Barbara) Ryals; daughter Sheena M. (John D.) Lewis; 15 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and brothers Clayton Ryals, Wilbur Ryals and Hugh Poppell. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers AC Ryals, Herbert Poppell and Earl Ryals; sisters Emma Studstill and Corine Holton.

A viewing was held Monday, January 8 in the Nassau Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 9 in the Nassau Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Jimmy Brannon and Bro. Winston Butler officiating. Interment followed in Mill Creek Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Donny Ray Ryals, Jeffery Scott Ryals, DJ Collins, John Darrell Lewis, Sr., John Darrell Lewis, Jr., Nicholas Williams and Travis. Honorary pallbearers were Ricky Crews and Hardy.

Condolences may be expressed at www.nassaufh.com.

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