



## Bill Charles Alford

September 3, 1937 - March 27, 2023

Bill Alford of Stratford, Oklahoma was born September 3, 1937 in Midland Township/Stratford to Charley and Marie (Richardson) Alford. He passed away March 27, 2023 in Ada, Oklahoma at the age of 85 years 6 months and 14 days. He grew up in the Stratford area and graduated from Vanoss school in 1957, Bill served our country in the Army Reserves for 2 years. He was a man of many talents, wore many hats, he was a farmer, and he worked for years at the feed store at Gaar Corner, Bill was a faithful member of the Stratford, First Baptist Church he was one of the longest attending members of that church starting there with his parents as a child, and continued by bringing his children there. His children say that anytime they needed anything fixed he was always there to lend a helping hand. He loved his family and loved the Lord with all his heart.

Preceded by; his parents, wife Rebecca Mink one son: Olin Alford, two grandsons: Zachary Shannon, and Logan Emberton. two sons-in-law, Tim Shannon and Lee Elms.

Survived by; three daughters; Billie Howell & husband Brian of Ardmore, Oklahoma, Cassandra Elms and Shawna Pursiville & husband Frank all of Stratford; daughter-in-law Angie Alford, of Penrose, Colorado; stepson; Larry Rycroft & wife Christy, of Ada. step daughter; Gayla Scott & husband Chuck of Stratford.

14 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers; Zane Shannon, Christopher Pursiville, Daniel Pursiville, Larry Rycroft, Michael Timmons, Cole Alford, and Houston Murray.

Visitation: will be from 1 to 5 on Sunday April 2, 2023 in DeArman Funeral Home Stratford, OK.

Services: will be 2:00 PM Monday April 3, 2023 at the Stratford First Baptist Church. Officiating: Rev. Keith Stevens. Burial will follow in Memorial Park cemetery Ada, Oklahoma.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bill Charles Alford*

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“ *Sincere condolences from everyone in Billie Howell's Laboratory Family.*

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