



## Jimmy Lee McBee

August 14, 1946 - February 26, 2024

Jimmy Lee McBee, 77, of Sulphur, was born August 14, 1946 in Comanche, OK, to the late Chester and Opal McBee of Comanche, OK. Jimmy Lee was lovingly known Papaw by many family members. He went home to be with the Lord on Monday, February 26, 2024. Jimmy is survived by his loving wife of 40 years, Evelyn Hunter McBee, of Dougherty, OK. Evelyn has always been the love of his life and he treated her with a shining love that everyone who knew them understood how deep their bond was. Jimmy served in the Army National Guard and went on to retire from Haliburton in Duncan, OK. After retirement he continued to work part time at Sooners Grocery in Sulphur, OK. He was a man who had a need to always be in motion helping other's anyway he could. Jimmy was the type of man who would literally give you the shirt off his back if you asked for it. He was a kind, gentle and hard worker dedicated to improving the life of those around him. He spent his life exemplifying the love of our Lord and Savior. Always a shining example of a life blessed and well lived. We find peace and solace in knowing he is in heaven now enjoying the presence of our Lord. His love for his family was unwavering and the patience he had displayed, made him the best husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother, in-law and friend. He was especially devoted to the little ones of the family as well as his beloved pet, Max. He spent a great deal of his time woodworking, making rocking chairs for each baby born into the family. These chairs have become heirlooms to be treasured by every single child. One of his favorite past times was tinkering in his shop and taking care

of the large lawn. He seemed happiest riding on his lawnmower, just enjoying the sunshine and the beautiful end-product of a perfectly manicured yard. He had a love for travel and spent a lot of time on the road with family traveling across America. Other survivors include one son, Michael McBee and wife Stacey of OKC; One Stepdaughter Sandy Wilbur and husband, Bill of Keller, Texas; and three stepsons Jim Davidson and wife Bretta of Gladewater, Texas; John Davidson and wife Carol of North Richland Hills, Texas; and Jack Davidson and wife Melissa of Sulphur, OK. A sister Carolyn Boyer and husband Jess of Comanche, OK; as well as many nieces, nephews, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, brother and sister in-laws, this is a large family of love, laughter and compassion. Jimmy was preceded in death by his mother Opal and father Chester as well as a nephew, David McBee. Graveside services will be held at the Dougherty Cemetery at a later date.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Terry and I met Jim at Midway Hill Baptist Church. He was a gentleman and very kind to us on every occasion we were involved with. Very grateful for the friendship he bestowed upon us. Men like Jim are precious to everyone in their life path. Loved knowing him. God Bless his family.

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**Cynthia Flowers** - March 14, 2024 at 10:59 PM

 Larry N  
Patti  
Bailey

“ Just saw this obit.....so sorry to hear this. I worked for Jim when he was assist manager at Goodners #2 back in 1968-69. Don Davis was the manager at the time. Best boss/friend I've ever had. Then in 1972 I had the pleasure to work with him at Halliburton. I always enjoyed visiting/joking with him. My condolences to the family. We've lost a good man, may he rest in peace and hope to join him in the afterlife....

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**Larry N Patti Bailey** - March 04, 2024 at 10:34 AM

JH

“ Really don't know where to begin. Met Jim in the 70s on my first day at Halliburton. He was such a nice person. We played in various golf tournaments and always had a blast. Before work most every morning we sat and talked sports, whatever season it was. A truly good man and a friend. I could go on and on. Deepest condolences to Evelyn, Michael and the entire family. Rest in peace my very good friend...

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**Jack Harvey** - February 28, 2024 at 07:52 PM

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“ I was so sorry to hear of Jim’s passing. I had the privilege of working with Jim at Halliburton and I’ve never met a better man. It was an honor to be his friend. My condolences to Evelyn, Michael and the rest of the family. Bev and I will remember yall in our prayers.Randy Martin

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**Randy Martin** - February 28, 2024 at 05:36 PM