



## John Lewis Ford

February 4, 1939 - July 26, 2021

John Lewis Ford was born to Coy and Irene Ford on February 4, 1939. John went to his Heavenly home on July 26, 2021. He grew up on the family farm and graduated from New Deal High School in 1957. After graduation he married his high school sweetheart, Jonnie Looney, and began farming with his dad Coy. After many years of farming, he began a second career of being a bus driver. He enjoyed being a TNM&O bus driver. He loved all the adventures he had and sharing his faith and witnessing to all those he drove wherever they were going. John's bus driving career was cut short by macular degeneration and he became homebound. He loved listening to Christian and Gospel music on the radio. He had always been a prayer warrior but became an even stronger one in his later years. He loved fishing, hunting, water-skiing, and camping. He loved jokes and had a wonderful sense of humor. He was very active in his church, filling many roles; his favorite being involved with the youth on Wednesdays. He loved his family, but most of all, he loved his Lord and Savior.

He is survived by his wife, Jonnie, daughter Brenda and Larry Bryan of Hale Center, son Tim and Dana Ford of New Deal, son Brad Ford of Lubbock, and daughter Abigail and Simon Ramford of Lamesa; his pride and joy being his grandchildren Kelsey Bryan of Canadian, Travis Bryan of Gruver, Justis and Austin Ramford of Lamesa.

Visitation will be come and go Thursday July 29, 2021 from 5:00 to 7:00 PM at Sanders Funeral Home. Private Graveside service will be the morning of

Friday July 30, 2021 and a memorial service will be July 30 at 2 PM at the First Baptist Church in New Deal. Because we have at-risk family members , we ask that you please help us protect them by wearing a mask at the visitation and/or memorial service. Disposable masks will be provided at the door.

Memorials may be sent to First Baptist Church New Deal, TX 102 Monroe Ave. New Deal, TX 79350.

# Cemetery Details

## Resthaven Memorial Park

5740 West 19th Street  
Lubbock, TX 79416

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 29. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home  
1420 Main Street  
Lubbock, TX 79401  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Lewis Ford



Sanders Funeral Home - July 28, 2021 at 11:17 AM

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“ When we first moved to New Deal and went to church he told me he knew my grandfather when my grandfather was young and a deacon at the church. I loved hearing all his memories about him. Mr. Ford will be missed by everyone. He was a precious man.

Doyee Wisdom Ray - July 30, 2021 at 04:19 PM

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“ Mel Haggard purchased the Meat & Cheese Sympathy Gift Crate for the family of John Lewis Ford.



Mel Haggard - July 29, 2021 at 06:21 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John Lewis Ford.*



July 28, 2021 at 01:36 PM



“ *Your Region 17 ATPE Family, we love you! purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of John Lewis Ford.*



**Your Region 17 ATPE Family, we love you!** - July 28, 2021 at 10:11 AM



“ *85 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Sanders Funeral Home** - July 27, 2021 at 05:51 PM



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**Sanders Funeral Home** - July 27, 2021 at 03:26 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John Lewis Ford.*



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July 27, 2021 at 02:55 PM