



Tommy Ray Wright

November 4, 1926 - October 17, 2021

Tommy Wright, 94, of Lubbock, Texas passed away October 17, 2021.

Tommy was born November 4, 1926 in Mountain View, OK to Claude and Pearl Wright. Tommy grew up and spent his childhood in Sudan, TX. Following High School Tommy went in to the Navy and fought in WWII. Tommy also had a love for music and formed a band early on in his life called the Texas Melody Boys. He enjoyed traveling the western US and playing music for people. While playing he met Betty whom he later married. He became the second person in the state of Texas with a license to work on Mercedes vehicles as a mechanic. He then became a tool and dye maker as a specialist in his field. Tommy enjoyed spending time with family and friends alike.

Loved ones include son Ron Wright and wife Teresa of Austin, TX; daughter-in-law Suki Wright of Kennedale, TX; granddaughter Jenny Wright of Arlington, TX, and Tracy Wright of Austin, TX; grandsons John O'Dowd and wife Lisa of Leander, TX, and Brian Wright of Austin, TX; great-grandchildren Tristen, Macy, Mia, Catelyn, Taylor, and Bailey; and Nephew Carey Wright.

Preceded in death by Betty Wright (Wife), Claude Wright (Father), Pearl Wright (Mother); Randy Wright (Son), John Wright (Grandson), Milo Sweezy (Brother-in-law), and Harold Dean Wright (Brother).

Family visitation will be at Sanders Funeral Home October 29, 2021 from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM. A graveside service will be at 10:00 AM Saturday, October 30, 2021 in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park with Pastor Andrew Hurst officiating. Memorial service will follow at St. Luke's United Methodist Church starting at 11:00 AM. Please celebrate the life of Tommy by visiting www.sandersfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park

15602 TX-493 Loop
Lubbock, TX 79423

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM.

Sanders Funeral Home

Graveside Service

OCT **30**. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park
15602 TX-493 Loop
Lubbock, TX 79423

Memorial Service

OCT **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM.

St. Luke's United Methodist Church

Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tommy Ray Wright



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She likes it hot.
I like it cold.
She is neat.
I'm a slob.
Andy Rooney says, "A's marry Z's."
But we are in different alphabets.
I push.
She pulls.
She says, "Up."
I say, "Down."
She is right.
I am day.



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“ Tommy was such a dear, kind man. All of us at Lubbock Meals on Wheels enjoyed getting to know him and his beloved Betty. He was generous and cared so much about others. He was a great musician and wood worker - sharing these talents with us at various events through the years. He truly lived a life of service. We will miss him and wish his family peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Your friends at Lubbock Meals on Wheels

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