OBITUARY

Joe passed away on December 4, 2024, in Alvarado. Born on August 24, 1937, in Tahoka, Texas, Joe was a devoted family man and a person of cheerful disposition, known for his warm smile and friendly nature. A member of the Baptist faith, Joe married Jackie Ruth Beck on August 17, 1962, in Cleburne. His professional life was dedicated to farming, where he cultivated not only the land but also lasting relationships with his family and community. Joe cherished moments spent fishing and sharing laughter with his loved ones. Joe will be deeply missed by all who knew him, and his spirit will continue to shine in the hearts of those he touched throughout his life.

He is survived by his children: Kay Miracle and husband Johnny, Vicki Howard and husband Ricky, Gary Don Stanley and wife Shirley, Kathy Williams and husband Gary, Donna Stanley, and Darla Squyres and husband Randy. Joe's legacy continues through his granddaughters, Amanda Montgomery, Misty Tucker, Brandy Embry, Catherine Dominguez, Andyssey Pollard, Alonnah Pollard, and Kaitlyn Chapman, and as well as his grandsons, Cody Miracle, Ricky Joe Howard, Tim Howard, Billy Stanley, Christopher Stanley, Joe Don Stanley, Blume Chapman, and Peyton Squyres. Joe is also remembered by his brother, Jimmy Stanley, and was loved by 27 great-grandchildren, along with numerous other relatives.

Joe was preceded in death by his parents, Rufus and Ruth Stanley; his beloved wife, Jackie Stanley; and his siblings, R.C. Stanley, Horton Stanley, Jessie Gent, Orabelle Quattlebaum, and Patsy Dixon.



Joe Don Stanley

Dad

He never looked for praises
He was never one to boast
He just went on quietly working
For the ones he loved the most

His dreams were seldom spoken
His wants were very few
And most of the time his worries
Went unspoken too.

He was there...A firm foundation Through all our storms of life A sturdy hand to hold on to In times of stress and strife.

A true friend we could turn to When times were good or bad One of our greatest blessings The man that we called Dad.

IN MEMORY OF Joe Don Stanley

BORN

Tuesday August 24, 1937 Tahoka, Texas

PASSED AWAY

Wednesday December 4, 2024 Alvarado, Texas

SERVICE

11:00 A.M. Tuesday December 10, 2024 Rio Vista Cemetery

OFFICIATING

Pastor Jacky Mears

FINAL PLACE OF REST

Rio Vista Cemetery Rio Vista, Texas