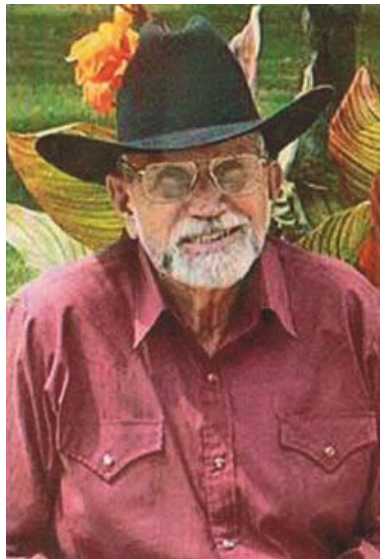


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## *Buddy Cabe*

*October 19, 1931 - January 7, 2015*

Jerry "Buddy" Cabe, 83 of Lanty, Arkansas, beloved husband of Ernestine Cabe of 59 years, passed away on Wednesday January 7, 2015, at home in Lanty. He was born on October 19, 1931 at Tahoka, Texas. Buddy was the son of the late Garland and Modell Cabe. He graduated from Brownfield High School in Texas with the class of 1950. On January 8, 1951, He joined the Air Force. He served in the Korean War. In the year of 1954, he was Honorable Discharged from the Armed Forces of the United States of America as the Airman first Class. He received an Occupation Medal (Germany), National Defense Service Medal and a Good Conduct Medal.

In the year of 1955, He enrolled at the University of Houston where he took Automotive Mechanics. He graduated there in the year of 1957. On November 9, 1955, Buddy married his beloved wife Ernestine McClaren Cabe. During their journey together, Jerry established and operated Long Drive Auto Service for 25 years.

He became a member of the Houston Area Woodcarvers Club on October 1979. In 1982 He sold his Auto Repair business and established a new business. The Business was known as Cabe Enterprises. The business supplied woodcarving supplies to carvers and carving clubs throughout Texas. Over a span of 20 years this service extended into several states. Buddy took his first formal instruction the summer of 1982 at Brigham Young University. In 1988 Buddy and Ernestine moved to Lanty, Arkansas where they continued the business of Cabe Enterprises for 20 years.

After moving to Lanty, he and Ernestine attended the Overcup Methodist Church. Buddy was very active in the Community and Church. He was very outgoing and a very hard working man. He never met a stranger. He was his beloved wife's best friend. Buddy was loved by all his family and friends. He love woodcarving, Knife making and auto repair.

He is preceded in death by his father Garland Cabe and mother Modell Cabe. Buddy survived by his wife Ernestine Cabe, and his sister Marjorie Dee Briscoe of Brownfield, TX, nieces Jamie Briscoe of Lubbock TX, and Judy Joplin of Levelland, TX; special nieces Linda Donohoe, Kathy Prince, Cindy Brown, Hettie Ingram and Martha McClaren; along with loving caregivers; Tina Harris, Pete Harris and Shane Gullett.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Adams Cemetery.