



Robert Earl Jenkins, Sr.

October 13, 1941 - December 9, 2015

ROBERT EARL JENKINS, SR. "SANDMAN", AGE 74

And a resident of Franklinton died shortly after 1:00 pm Wednesday December 9, 2015 at his home. He was a longtime truck driver, where he was widely known as "Sandman". Robert was a member of Acys Creek Missionary Baptist Church. He enjoyed the outdoors and loved to go camping with his family, often to the Bogue Chitto River campgrounds in the area.

Survived by:

Wife of 53 years: Delois Ann O'Bryant Jenkins

2 Sons and Daughters in law: Robert Jenkins, Jr. and Melissa Jenkins
Ryan and Suzonne Jenkins

2 Daughters: Teresa McCain,
Robbye Jenkins Dixon

10 Grandchildren: Tyler Breland, Tristen Jenkins, Zackary Sheridan, Chasity Grauel, Shana Lott, Ciara Craft, Staci Breland Magee, Jessica Jenkins, Jadyn Jenkins, Myriah Sheridan

3 Great-grandchildren: Ayden Magee, Jailyn Grauel, Ryleigh Shayne Thomas Grauel

2 Brothers: Odis and Nell Jenkins and Johnnie Jenkins

Sister and brother in law: Nelleen and Alonzo McKenzie

Also numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and many friends.

He was preceded in death by a daughter Lesha Jenkins VanEpps, his parents Robert Jenkins and Bessie Thomas Jenkins, brothers Edgar Jenkins, Leslie Ray Jenkins and sisters Chinesy Ingram, Bobby Jena Strawser, Ruby Dean Henderson, "Dolly" Sue Holmes.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home Thursday December 10th from 6 pm until 10 pm. Visitation will continue Friday at Grace Missionary Baptist Church from 11 am until the funeral service at 2 pm with Eld. J.W. Graves, Eld. Richard Magee and Eld. Duane Ball officiating. Burial will follow in the Duncan Cemetery.

Pallbearers: James VanEpps, Shane Thomas, Mitchel Magee, Tyler Breland, Zackary Sheridan, Tristen Jenkins, Ayden Magee

Obituaries can be viewed online at www.crainfh.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *Letitia King lit a candle in memory of Robert Earl Jenkins, Sr.*



Letitia King - December 11, 2015 at 10:30 PM

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“ *Brenda Dykes Ratley lit a candle in memory of Robert Earl Jenkins, Sr.*



Brenda Dykes Ratley - December 10, 2015 at 12:59 PM

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“ *To the family, today and in future days I know you will fee I empty and will miss him dearly. In time God will give you the strength and guidance you need to deal with his absence. The Bible gives us promise of one day being reunited with our loved ones . Hold on to your memories they are priceless. I pray for each of you that God will wrap his arms around you and give you strength and peace each day to make it through these dark days ahead. Know I love you and if you need me I am a phone call away.*

Brenda Dykes Ratley - December 10, 2015 at 12:57 PM