



Mr. Billy Joe Rice

December 3, 1929 - October 8, 2013

Graveside services for Mr. Billy Joe Rice, 83, of New Caney, formerly of Henderson, will be held at 11 am Saturday, October 12, 2013 at Rusk County Memorial Gardens with Rev. Glen Ketchum officiating. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

Mr. Rice passed from this life on October 8, 2013 at his residence in New Caney. He was born December 3, 1929 in Yell County, Ark. to the late Porter and Lottie Richards Rice. Before moving to New Caney, Billy Joe had lived in Henderson for 29 years and was a resident of Humble before that. He was a heavy equipment operator and later helped operate Bea Rice Farm and Tool. Billy Joe was a member of the Church of God and was an ordained Church of God and Assembly of God minister. He was not perfect but was a hardworking, quiet, and humble man. Billy Joe was a good son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, and friend.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: his wife, Bronnie Rice; and son, Don Rice.

Survivors include: son, Jerry Rice and wife Deborah of New Caney; daughter-in-law, Beverly Rice of Henderson; sister, Sue Dystra of Arkansas; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Henderson Food Pantry at 1780 Jacksonville Dr., Henderson, TX 75654, and/or the Humble Area Assistance Ministries (H.A.A.M.) at P.O. Box 14051, Humble, TX 77347.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Rusk County Memorial Gardens

Hwy 259 N.
Henderson, TX 75652

Previous Events

Graveside

OCT **12**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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