



## Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll

March 20, 1929 - April 17, 2016

Sunday afternoon the 17th of April, Billy White was welcomed into heaven by his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Bill was born in Electra, Texas on March 20, 1929, and was the proud son of T.D. and Mittie Carroll. Bill was the namesake of W.R. White, an outstanding Baptist leader and former President of Baylor University.

The family moved to Henderson, TX in 1935, where Bill graduated from Henderson High School in 1948. He was an outstanding athlete, especially in Track & Field. In the 1947 Texas Junior College Championship, he won the 100-yard dash with the time of 9.5 seconds, which, at the time, was only 1/10th of a second from world record holder, Jessie Owens. Bill later accepted a scholarship to Baylor University and continued a successful Track & Field career.

Bill proudly served his country and was honorably discharged from the Air Force in 1955. He continued his career as a successful salesman with several Henderson area companies along with personal business endeavors.

He was married to Hazel Deason Carroll for almost 65 years and was the loving father of three sons: Dan, John and Don.

Bill is survived by Hazel, son Don and his wife Holly. Also surviving him is

brother James E. Carroll and wife Glenda, and sisters Sarah Compton and Mary Elizabeth Anderson and many other nieces and nephews.

Honorary pallbearers are the past and present members of the Strong-Hurt Pharmacy afternoon bull sessions that actually solved most of the world's problems.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, April 19th, 2016, between 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. at Crawford-A-Crim Funeral Home. A graveside memorial service will be held Wednesday, April 20th at 10:00 a.m. at Lakewood Memorial Park in Henderson, TX. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Lakewood Memorial Park

1001 Van Buren St.  
Henderson, TX 75652

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **19**. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home  
1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

## Graveside

APR **20**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

SS

“ Susan Summers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll



Susan Summers - March 04, 2017 at 08:12 PM

NH

“ Hazel, I was so sorry to hear about Whitie. He and Daddy had good times working together and all of my family thought a lot of him.

Nancy Herrington - April 21, 2016 at 04:44 PM

DB

“ David And Pam Ballenger lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll



David and Pam Ballenger - April 20, 2016 at 09:21 PM

CF

“ Whitie was a true Henderson Lion fan for a long time, and bled 'red & blue'. My prayers go out to Hazel and family in their loss. I pray for God's blessings to all.  
Charlie "Coach" Franklin

Charlie Franklin - April 20, 2016 at 11:36 AM

BH

“ *Brent Hale lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll*



**Brent Hale** - April 20, 2016 at 07:54 AM

DM

“ *Donna Smith McNevin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll*



**Donna Smith McNevin** - April 19, 2016 at 06:01 PM



“ *Carol Phillips Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll*



**Carol Phillips Harris** - April 19, 2016 at 04:48 PM

CR

“ *Claude Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy White "Whitie" Carroll*



**Claude Robinson** - April 19, 2016 at 03:58 PM

JS

“ Prayers and my condolences go out to the Carroll family at this time.

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**Jamie Skelton** - April 19, 2016 at 10:40 AM

SS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I am sorry for your loss.

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**Stacey Sword** - April 19, 2016 at 08:55 AM

FC

“ Always remember that God loves you and will be near when you call his name. May his presence cheer your heart and warm your days.

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Frances and H. D. Coursey*

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**Frances Coursey** - April 18, 2016 at 04:48 PM

MW

“ Prayers go out to the family. Sorry for your loss.  
*Mike Walters*

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**Mike Walters** - April 18, 2016 at 11:08 AM