



Richard Stubblefield

September 10, 1929 - August 13, 2007

Richard "Dick" Gordon Stubblefield passed quietly from this life Monday, August 13th at the age of 77. He was born September 10, 1929 in Wetumka, OK to Enos Marion and Pauline Thelma (Baker) Stubblefield.

Richard attended school in Yeager, OK and he enlisted in the U.S. Army on January 29, 1951. He proudly served his country during a tour in Germany as Private First Class of the 28th Infantry Division of the United States Army. Upon his return to the states in 1953, Richard married his sweetheart, Mary Katherine Thomas on October 17 in Oklahoma City. The oilfield brought the couple to Lindsay in 1955 and they have made their home there for over 51 years. Richard worked as a floor hand, operator and rig supervisor for Chris Well Service, later known as WellTech, for over 34 years. He retired from Morgan Well Service in 1992.

A man of many hobbies, Richard loved playing the guitar and singing old gospel hymns, watching Wheel of Fortune and the Atlanta Braves on TV and raising his vegetable gardens each summer. One of his favorite pastimes was golfing with either his sons and son-in-law or his old golfing buddies. He was proud to be lucky enough in 1981 to hit that coveted hole-in-one shot.

Richard deeply loved his family and thoroughly enjoyed his time spent with them; especially his grandkids and great grandbabies. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church. Richard was greatly admired and will be remembered for his courage and positive attitude and the great sense of humor he maintained throughout his lengthy battle with cancer and emphysema. He was

quite the fighter and inspiration to all.

Richard is survived by his loving wife of almost 54 years, Mary Katherine; one daughter, Teresa Ann Billingsley and husband Rick of Lindsay, OK; two sons, Richard Glen Stubblefield and wife Tamara also of Lindsay; Randal Lynn Stubblefield and wife Beth of Lewisville, TX; six grandchildren, Marquia Scruggs and husband J.D., Melanie Lawrence and husband Richard all of Lindsay; Trent Stubblefield and wife Kasi of Grand Prairie, TX; Cody Stubblefield of Stillwater, OK; Andrew and Daniel Stubblefield of Lewisville, TX; and great grandbabies Aleah and Aiden Scruggs of Lindsay.

He is also survived by two brothers, Wilson Stubblefield of Prescott, AZ; Jim Stubblefield and wife Lynda of Yukon, OK; two sisters, Wynola Holden and husband Ron of Harrisonville, MO; JoAnn Schmidt and husband Bob of Garland, TX; one stepsister, Billie Mae Wilson and husband J.D. of Mustang, OK; one stepbrother, Bobby Weatherford and wife Wanda of Clayton, OK and a host of other relatives and friends.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Enos Stubblefield and Pauline Weatherford; one sister, Ava McCullah; four brothers, Burton, Allen and Duane Stubblefield and Charles Weatherford; two stepsisters, Margie Anderson and Virginia Scruggs; and two stepbrothers, Hugh and Don Weatherford.

Serving as pallbearers were Trent and Cody Stubblefield,, Richard Lawrence, and Lance, Shaun and Lon Holden.

Honorary pallbearers were J. D. Scruggs, Bob Enochs, Bill Jackson, J.T. Flesher, Maurice Willis, Bill Tate, Earl Rose, Wilburn Hightower and Clayton Lindsey.

Services for Richard were held Wednesday, August 15th at 2:00 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church in Lindsay with Bro. Jerry Billingsley and Bro. David Guerrero officiating. Burial was at Green Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of B.G. Boydston Funeral Home in Lindsay, OK. Condolences may be sent to the family online at www.boydstonfuneralhome.com.

The family requests that contributions in memory of Richard Stubblefield be made to the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

NH

“*Mary & Family, I know the only sorrow will be missing Richard , but that wonderful hope in seeing him again is comfort. By his witness and strengh it is evident He is with our Lord right now!*”

Nancy Huckby - August 19, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RS

“*Mary and family. My thoughts and prayers go out to you all. Richard was one of the kindest men that I have ever met. Always a smile on his face and and a kind word to all who met him. God Bless you all.*”

Randi Shahan - August 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RB

“*Richard, Tammy, Cody & family, We are so sorry to read of your father's/grandfather's death in the Stillwater NewsPress tonight. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you all as you move forward through this difficult passage of life. May God flood your hearts and your minds with sweet memories in the days to come.*”

Ralph, Jo Ann & Danna Brown - August 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LH

“*Mary and family, Sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We know that Dick is in a much better place, but also understand how much he will be missed. Love to you all.*”

Lori & Jim Holcomb - August 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Mary, and family, so sorry about Richard, but at least he is not hurting anymore and has gone to Heaven where all his pain will be gone. I remember all the good times we had together, and our children all grew up together on Winona street living across the street from each other since 1963, we all had some great times together and we will never forget Richard. He was a great husband, wonderful father, and grandfather he will be missed so much. An Mary if you need us you know we are just across the street. We all Love you, and all the family. May God be with you through this time of loss.

Maxine & Haskell Harvey - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Getting to visit with Richard and your family these past few years during Relay for Life has been a blessing. Your love and dedication as a family is an inspiration. You are in my prayers.

Rhoda - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Rick and Tamara,

Beth and me will keep you and your family in our prayers. I never got the opportunity to tell you how much I appreciated you coming to my Dad funeral. If Beth and me could be there we would, but our prayers will be with you.

Your friends Bob & Beth

Bob & Beth Stansbury - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ Mary and family my thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. Lanette and girls

Lanette Roe - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Mary and family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you,
we love you.

Dennis and Lisa Shahan - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ To the Stubblefield family; may you be comforted in the knowledge that Dick is no longer in pain and he can breath the best air there is. The breath of Life. My family and I send our deepest sympathies to all of you. Love you all.

Betty Foster - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Mary & family, We are deeply sorry to hear of Richard's passing. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. We hope that you all know if there is anything at all that we can do, you can call us anytime. We love you all.

Brittany & Gaylan Copeland - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Richard, Tammy, Trent, Cody and Family. Words can not express our sorrow for your loss; but take heart, Dad and Grandpa only left a bit of suffering here in exchange for a Crown of Glory! Take heart that we will one day be re-united. Know we care deeply for each of you and will be praying for you. We Love You ALL! THE FOXES

Greg Fox - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *Mary and family: My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. You have lived by us almost my entire life. One of the things I will never forget is the baby squirrels that fell out of the tree that mom famously named Mary and Richard. Anything you need please know that I am just a phone call away.*

Rhonda - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Mary and family, so sorry to hear of Dick passing. He was a real fighter. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Janette and family*

Janette Bunch - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM