



Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr.

June 20, 1944 - November 1, 2017

Roberson Funeral Homes

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“Alice Oldest Family Owned and Operated Funeral Home”

Dateline: Orange Grove, Texas

Joseph Robert “Willy” Willesden Sr. age 73

Died on Wednesday, November 1, 2017 at his residence following an extended illness. He was born to Robert William and Lillian (Alger) Willesden on June 20, 1944 in Queens, New York. Willy, as he was known to his friends and family, proudly served in the US Navy, after serving in the Navy, he worked for many years in the oilfield and then worked for OxyChem as a Maintenance Supervisor.

Willy was preceded in death by his parents, and a step-father: George Gorsline.

Survivors:

Wife: Evyonne Willesden of Orange Grove, Tx.

2 daughters: Rebecca (Brian) Carr of Orange Grove, Tx.

Aimee Willesden-Wofford of Orange Grove, Tx.

Son: Joseph (Blessing) Willesden of Orange Grove, Tx.

2 sisters: Edith Barton of Topeka, KS

Joyce Burnham of Great Bend, KS

2 brothers: Robert Willesden of Great Bend, KS

George Gorsline of Gulfport, MS

6 grandchildren: Justin Wofford, Doyle Wofford, Kyleigh Carr, Kinleigh Carr, Paige Willesden, Remi Grace Willesden.

Visitation will begin on Friday, Nov. 3, 2017 from 6 to 8PM at the Roberson Funeral Home Chapel in Alice, Texas.

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, Nov. 4, 2017 at 2PM at the River Hills Baptist Church in Calallen, Texas.

Military Graveside funeral services will follow at the Orange Grove Cemetery.

The Family would like to thank the New Century Hospice and especially Melissa Rochester, and Marivel Renteria for their excellent care.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The LCpl Colton Rusk Memorial Scholarship Fund C/O Coastal Bend Community Foundation

615 N Upper Broadway, Suite 1950

Corpus Christi, Tx 78401

Services entrusted to Roberson Funeral Home of Alice, TX.

Online condolences may be left at www.robersonfuneralhomes.net

Cemetery Details

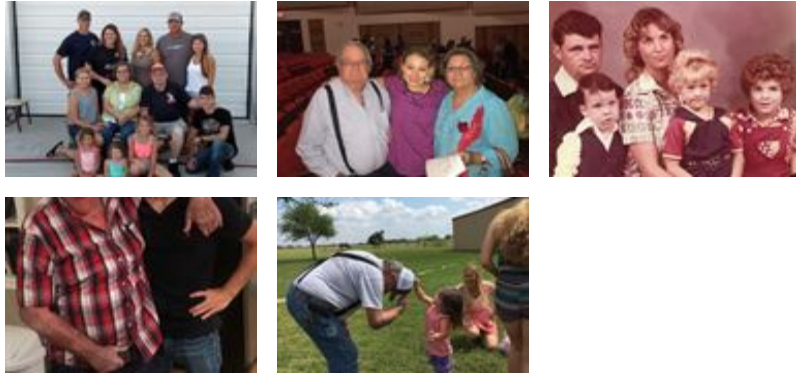
Orange Grove Cemetery

Orange Grove, TX

Tribute Wall



“ 59 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Roberson Funeral Home - November 03, 2017 at 02:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..



November 03, 2017 at 01:00 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. I know he has suffered a lot in the past few months. Prayers for all. Myrtle Custer*

myrtle custer - November 02, 2017 at 07:08 PM

CC

Willy was one of the greatest men i ever known. He will always be one of my favorite persons near and dear to my heart. The saddness in my heart for him and the people he's left behind is awful. I know he will no longer suffer in thr house of the Lord, but he will be missed here on earth. May God bless us all, help us through the saddness and give the comfort of knowing he's in a better place. From my heart to yours, 🥺💕

Cheree denning caka - November 04, 2017 at 09:34 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..*



November 02, 2017 at 05:53 PM

JA

“ *Dear Evyonne, my sweet friend, I am so very sorry for your loss. My heart aches for you and your family. There has been a great loss to this world, but a wonderful gain to Heaven. My thoughts and prayers will be with you and all of your family for the days, weeks, and months ahead! Love and hugs to you and your family. Jo Nita Adams*



Jo Nita Adams - November 02, 2017 at 04:52 PM

LA

“ *Love, Jo Nita Adams purchased the Stately Croton for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..*



Love, Jo Nita Adams - November 02, 2017 at 04:43 PM

MM

“ So very sorry for your loss. Mike and Trish Montgomery. Lockhart Texas

Mike Montgomery - November 02, 2017 at 04:30 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..



November 02, 2017 at 01:26 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..



November 02, 2017 at 01:25 PM

ED

“ Eddie & Rebecca Denning lit a candle in memory of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr.



Eddie & Rebecca Denning - November 02, 2017 at 12:13 PM

SF

“ Sincerely, Scott Kirchoff & Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..



Sincerely, Scott Kirchoff & Family - November 02, 2017 at 09:09 AM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Robert "Willy" Willesden Sr..



November 02, 2017 at 01:01 AM

RO

“ Sending love and prayers to our dear sweet friends ! The Rowlett Family

Rowlett - November 01, 2017 at 11:59 PM