



Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter

July 1, 1928 - January 16, 2019

Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter was born in Huntsville, Texas on July 1, 1928. He and his twin sister, Lela, were the last of nine children born to William Burton Carter and Sarah Emma Parker Carter.

At the age of 18, Buck joined the U. S. Marine Corps and traveled the world as a rifleman on a ship. When he was discharged, he came back to Huntsville and married Beulah Mae Langley Carter.

From the young age of 14, except for his time in the Marines, he worked as a butcher at various local grocery stores. Many remember him from Piggly Wiggly, Safeway and Appletree. After retirement, Buck enjoyed tending to his Hereford cattle.

He was predeceased by his parents and all his siblings. He is survived by his two beloved nieces, Sharon Bradley and Earlene Strunk as well as various other family members.

Special thanks to Carol Laster, Chris Jones and Alma Torres, who lovingly helped care for him during the last years of his life.

Visitation will be on Friday, January 18th at 1:00 p.m. with the funeral to follow at 2:00 p.m. at Pine Prairie Freewill Baptist Church, Huntsville, TX.

Memorial condolences may be made to the family online at www.shmfh.com

Cemetery Details

Pine Prairie Free Will Baptist Cemetery

77 Phil Wood Road
Huntsville, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Pine Prairie Free Will Baptist Church
80 Phil Wood Road
Huntsville, TX 77320

Funeral services

JAN 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

Pine Prairie Free Will Baptist Church
80 Phil Wood Road
Huntsville, TX 77320

Tribute Wall



“ *Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Mellicent Wiley lit a candle in memory of Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter*



Mellicent Wiley - January 22, 2019 at 10:55 PM



“ *We are so sorry or your loss. Sending prayers of comfort to the family and friends.*

Tom/Debbie Grisham - January 18, 2019 at 06:58 PM



“ *Clay Newcomb And Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter*



Clay newcomb and Frances Newcomb - January 17, 2019 at 10:43 AM

MH

“ M. Hyvl lit a candle in memory of Marcus Lee "Buck" Carter



M. Hyvl - January 16, 2019 at 10:57 PM

MC

“ Buck was such a nice fellow and would give you the best cut he had to make you feel special. Haven't seen him in years but he was a staple of the past.

Mark T Chalker - January 16, 2019 at 05:31 PM

SL

Buck was the best butcher in the state. He was a "grumpy old man" with a heart of pure gold. He would give you the shirt off his back. He scared me to death when I started working at Safeway with him in the meat department. I saw through that tough guy act real fast and we became fast friends. Ashamed to say I have not seen him in a few years, but I loved that man . He was a true gentleman. RIP Buck.

Sandra Lillard - January 16, 2019 at 09:45 PM