



B.L. "Mutt" Graham

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C LARENDON SERVICES - Services with Firefighter honors at 10:30 am, Saturday, August 18, 2007 in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Darrell Burton of Odyssey Hospice, officiating. INTERMENT - With Military Honors at Citizens Cemetery Mutt was born March 11, 1922 to Luke and Lola Statser Graham in Crowell, Texas. He married Juanita "Nita" Mabery on June 2, 1941 in Wheeler. Mutt began his cooking career in the US Navy in World War II. He and his wife Nita opened their own café, Mutt's Café in Clarendon in 1947, which they owned and operated for 34 years. He was a member of the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department for 60 years and served as Chief from 1957 until 1963. He also held other ranks and served in various offices throughout his career with the Department. He was a volunteer ambulance driver for the Clarendon EMS for several years. A very busy man, Mutt was also a former Mayor of Clarendon and was a former recipient of the Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year Award. He was a member of the Moose Lodge, Masonic Lodge #700, and the VFW. Mutt, along with Billy Jack Land and Maurice Hart organized the Clarendon Little League program in the 1950s. He was a devoted husband for 66 years, a wonderful father of two, a dearly loved grandfather and great grandfather, a precious brother and uncle to many. To know Mutt was to love him. He was one of the beautiful people who walked among us and had no idea that he was so special to so many.

PRECEDED IN DEATH BY - his parents; and 2 brothers, Earl Graham and Billy Graham. SURVIVORS - his wife Nita of Clarendon; one daughter, Carol King of Spring; one son, Ted Graham of Clarendon; 2 sisters, Nella Hix of Colorado and Mary Hendley of McLean; one brother, Pete Graham of Tucumcari, NM; 4 grandchildren; and 4 great grandchildren. MEMORIALS - Odyssey Hospice or Coffee Memorial Blood Center in Amarillo. THE FAMILY MAY BE CONTACTED



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VT

Vonda Averett Of Willis, Texas posted:

to all the family...I am so sorry to here about unle Mutt. I loved him and aunt Nita very much...they are great uncle and aunt but they are so much more to me and i will miss uncle Mutt very much. all my love to Aunt Nita...i am Sondras youngest Daughter

August 25 at 7:00 PM

RT

Rhonda Price Of Cleburne, Tx posted:

It was a true honor to have known Mutt. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

August 18 at 7:00 PM

BC

Beatrice Burleson Of Clarendon posted:

We send our deepest sympathy and you will be in our Prayers.We have known Mutt and the fanmily for many years he drove the ambulance when James hadhisheart attack in 1998 and we rember him in the resurant he was a kind and caring person.Love and PrayersBea,James,Ron and Doug Burleson

August 18 at 7:00 PM

RC

Roger Finch Of Clarendon posted:

Carolyn, Ted and Helen and Nita, and to all the grandkids! "Mutt" was such a friend to everyone and his love for all of you was so well shown. His HAPPY attitude and forever smile touched many lives! His life would make anyone proud. I am sorry for your loss and that I can't come see you due to Medical problems, but my prayers are with such a GREAT family that is filled with love. Roger Finch

August 17 at 7:00 PM

MB

Mary Alice Merrell Of Bovina Tx posted:

Fond memories of time at Bovina Resturant

August 17 at 7:00 PM

DC

Dan Sawyer Of Clarendon, Tx posted:

With warm memories and deepest sympathy

August 16 at 7:00 PM



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LC

Letty Dorado Of Canyon, Tx posted:

He was a wonderful person and it was an honor to have known him. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

August 16 at 7:00 PM

MC

Mr. & Mrs. Troy Skinner Of Clarendon, Tx posted:

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY TO MRS. GRAHAM AND FAMILY. MUTT WAS A VERY SPECIAL PERSON. HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED.

August 16 at 7:00 PM

SA

Suzánne Sandifer Of Abilene Tx posted:

My Dearest Nita and Very Special Long Life Friend -- My HEART is with you at this very hard time for you. I loved Mutt so much as I do you, which you and Mutt ALWAYS knew. PLEASE never forget that. You and Mutt were truly my "2nd PARENTS" & dearest friends of mother, daddy and me. My heart cries with yours. NITA, I WILL LOVE YOU ALWAYS. In Deepest Sympathy, Suzánne (Susie) Sandifer Abilene TX

August 14 at 7:00 PM

LC

Lori Baggett Of Claude, Tx posted:

Sorry to hear about your loss. Lori Baggett

August 14 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring B.L. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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