



William Gilbert

August 28, 1934 - August 6, 2021

William Alfred Gilbert, 86, of Elkins; passed away Friday, August 6, 2021, at home. He was born Tuesday, August 28, 1934, at Hindsville; to William Robert and Clara Elbert Gilbert.

William married Barbara Joann Evans on Thursday, March 15, 1956 at Huntsville; and together they were parents to six children. He was a backhoe operator for Seaside Pools and proudly served his country as a member of the United States Marines. He enjoyed farming, gardening, and watching old westerns and war movies. William dearly loved his family.

William was preceded in death by his parents; one grandson, Nathan Osburn; and one son-in-law, Ronald Fulton. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Gilbert of the home; one son, Dwight Gilbert of Elkins; five daughters and four sons-in-law, Mya Fulton of Wesley, Frances and Edward Cothren of Prairie Grove; Pansy and Lance James of Goshen; Pearl and Randy Lawson of Goshen; and Sabra and David Whittenburg of Elkins; 16 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, and 8 great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends 5:00-7:00 PM, Wednesday, August 11, 2021, at Brashears Funeral Home. Graveside services will be 10:30 AM, Thursday, August 12, 2021, at Fayetteville National Cemetery with David Danielles officiating. Pallbearers will be Jeremy Whittenburg, Jeff Whittenburg, Magan Osburn, Braden Gilbert, Kacey Srita, Josh Engelke, William Engelke, and Lance James. Services are entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory of Huntsville.

Tribute Wall

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“ *my thoughts and prays are with you all Alfred was a good man he will be greatly missed i rember from I was a kid I grew up with all the girls I rember he made us a dunbuggy out of a vw had so much fun with it as a kid my love to you all*



Delane Doss - August 10, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ *You all are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of your loss. Clara and my mother, Maggie Reed King, were cousins.*

Margaret (Mrs. Austin) Smith - August 09, 2021 at 12:00 AM