



## Mr. Wilburn Lawrence "Buddy" Caler

May 15, 1938 - June 4, 2023

Mr. Wilburn Lawrence "Buddy" Caler, 85, of Magnolia, AR., passed away Sunday, June 4th, 2023, at The Springs of Magnolia. Buddy was born on May 15, 1938, in Ashdown, Arkansas, to the late Wilburn Eugene Caler and Rose Fomby Caler. Buddy enlisted in the U.S. Air Force after graduating, serving 4 years in England. He then went on to serve as a police officer in Dallas, Texas for several years. He always spoke of being a part of patrol the day JFK was assassinated. Lastly, he moved back to Ashdown, Arkansas, and worked for the U.S. Postal Service until his retirement. Buddy attended Hopewell Baptist Church in Ashdown, Arkansas.

He enjoyed aviation and owned his own airplane for many years. He loved hunting, fishing, and could build almost anything. He was a great father, grandfather, and a great provider for his family.

Buddy was preceded in death by his parents, daughter, Lisa Jayne Caler, and sister, Judy Caler Moon.

He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Emily Suzanne Caler; daughter, Lindsay Caler Hodges (Randall) of Texarkana, Texas; grandson, Colton Hodges of Texarkana, Texas; stepdaughters, Whitney Turner of Magnolia, Arkansas, Tara Currence (Dennis) of Lockesburg, Arkansas; stepsons, Chad Bryan (Lesli) of Edmund, Oklahoma, Brandon Bryan of Benton, Arkansas; 10

step grandchildren, Kaden Pugh (Alisa), Chase Cobb (Brooke), Hunter Currence, Cameron Turner, Lacey Morgan (Jeremy), Jack Currence, Angel Currence, Holly Bryan, Heidi Bryan, and Bo Bryan; 7 great step grandchildren.

Memorial Services are pending at this time.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Gracie W Tucker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Wilburn Lawrence "Buddy" Caler



Gracie W Tucker - June 10, 2023 at 01:00 PM

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Prayers and condolences to the entire family. May God hold you in His protective arms and give you the comfort you need during these times.

Gracie W Tucker - June 10, 2023 at 01:03 PM

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“ Marie Wingfield lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilburn Lawrence "Buddy" Caler



Marie Wingfield - June 06, 2023 at 07:02 AM

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“ Dezrail Cooper sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Wilburn Lawrence "Buddy" Caler



Dezrail Cooper - June 05, 2023 at 11:57 PM