JAMES ANDREW HOPKINS



1944-2008

NEWARK: James A. "Jim" Hopkins, 64, of Newark died on Saturday, November 8, 2008 in Fort Worth.

Jim was born November 8, 1944 in Tulsa, Oklahoma to Andrew Cleburne and Mary Elizabeth Brown Hopkins. He mar ried Billie Marie Painter on May 4, 1970 in Miami, Oklahoma.

Jim was a member of The River Church, was an aircraft mechanic for American Airlines and prior to that he was a carpenter. He was a member of the Tulsa, Oklahoma Carpenter's Local Union and the T.W.U. Transport Union.

Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Billie Hopkins; daughters, Yvonne Rae Hopkins of DecaturLesa Grumbles of Arlington; step-daughters, Cheryl Almond Vaughan of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma and Jamie Almond Brown of Fort Smith, Arkansas; sister, Hazel Rogers of Van Buren, Arkansas; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews

and cousins.

Services were held at 11 A.M. Wednesday, November 12th at Coker-Hawkins Funeral Chapel in Decatur with Reverend Greg Mohr officiating. Graveside service will be 3 p.mThursday, November 13th at the Hall Cemetery in Natural Dam, Arkansas.

Honorary Pallbearers for the Decatur service are Jim Alling, Alan Moore, Tom Burner, Rhett Rechenmacher, Jim Hickinbotham and Jim Tumlinson.

Pallbearers for the Arkansas service are Wayne Fields, Carroll Gene Hopkins, Junior Hopkins, Christopher Ornelas, Bud Pruitt, Carl Franklin and Jason Carter.

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