

## CODY PAT MURPHREE

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*DECATUR:* Cody Pat Murphree, 73, died on Saturday, April 7, 2012, in Decatur.

Cody was born December 7, 1938, in Comanche, Texas to William Cody and Ethel Elmina (Parsons) Murphree. Cody was united in marriage to Gloria A. Harris on August 4, 1975, and was married 36 years at his death. He is also preceded in death by his first wife, Rosa Jack Wall Murphree and brother, Curtis Murphree.

Cody was owner of the Classic Muffler & Undercar Service in Fort Worth. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and a member of the Wise County Veterans Service. Cody was a member of the Decatur Planning & Zoning Commission, President of the Decatur Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Wise County Sheriff's Posse, and was Captain for two years and Chief for three years of the Decatur Volunteer Fire Department.

Survivors include his three sons, Jeff Murphree and wife, Pam, William Murphree and wife, Candi, and Patrick Murphree and wife, Kurrie, all of Decatur; three daughters, Leisa Gage and husband, Robert, of Decatur, Lynn Riley and husband, David, of Denton, and Greta Massey and husband, Bryan, of Decatur; 16 grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; three brothers, Ray Murphree and wife, Jean, of Comanche, Bill Murphree and wife, Patsy, of Monahans, and Roger Murphree and wife, Jane, of Comanche; two sisters, Lois Brooks and husband, R.C., of Carlsbad, New Mexico and Bobbie Curtis of Lubbock.

Funeral service was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 11, 2012, at Coker-Hawkins Funeral Home with Dr. Shelly Brooks and Reverend Johnny Irish officiating. Interment: Oaklawn Cemetery.

Pallbearers included Jeff Murphree, Patrick Murphree, William Murphree, Tim McGar, Mike Overton and Bob McKinnon.

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