

## JAMES LAWRENCE DAVIS, JR.

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**1939-2014**

*SLIDELL:* James Lawrence Davis, Jr., 75, a retired rancher, died Saturday, December 27, 2014 in Decatur.

James was born on April 3, 1939 to James and Lola (Hubble) Davis Sr. in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was united in marriage to Elma Kay Loyd on May 12, 1960 in Alvord. James retired from being a rancher and dairyman.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Elma Kay Davis of Slidell; his sons: Jimmy Davis of Slidell and Jeff Davis and wife, Lisa, of Chico; his daughter, Kathleen Barnhart of Slidell; his brother, Bill Davis of Slidell; five grandchildren: Shawn, Sarah, Isaac, Dustin and Taylor; one great-grandchild, Caysen.

Funeral service was held at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 31, 2014 at Slidell Baptist Church with burial in Slidell Cemetery.

Bobby Cates and Charles Taylor officiated. Pallbearers included Shawn Barnhart, Isaac Davis, Dustin Davis, Rodney Yard, Danny Juarez and Ralph Amyx. Honorary pallbearer was Tony Martinez.

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