



Archa Leroy Babb

August 18, 1936 - January 27, 2017

Services for Archa Leroy Babb, 80, of Tyler, will be held on Monday, January 30, 2017 at 2:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Sam Deville officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to service from 1:00 to 2:00 PM. Burial will follow at Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery in Tyler under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. Babb passed away Friday, January 27, 2017 in Tyler.

He was born August 18, 1936 in Tyler to Leroy and Carmen Babb.

Archa and Wanda were high school sweethearts. After 57 years apart, love brought them back together and they were married in 2012. He graduated from John Tyler in 1953 and he joined the Air Force, Navy, National Guard and also the Sheriff Posse. He retired from Kelly Springfield after 33 1/2 years. Archa enjoyed bird hunting with his dogs, he loved horses, playing cards and most of all loved playing his piano in the nursing homes so others could enjoy. Archa was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Nelda MacFall.

He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 5 years, Wanda Edwards Babb; stepdaughters, Karen Jones and husband Lee of Tyler, Cindy Hamilton and husband John of Tyler, Patricia Bunnell and husband Robert of Mineral Wells and Kristi Mauldin of Mineral Wells; sisters, Doris Holmes and husband John of Tyler and Carolyn Harris and husband Howard of Tyler. He is also survived by grandkids and great-grandkids, and numerous nieces and nephews, loved by all of them.

Pallbearers will be John Paul Hardy, Ryan Luman, Brandon Bunnell,

Jonathan, Bunnell, Josh Hamilton, Cole Bussell and Bryan Mauldin.

Cemetery Details

Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery

7825 South Broadway Avenue
Tyler, TX 75703

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy
Tyler, TX 75703
(903) 581-2008

Service

JAN 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Archa Leroy Babb



Stewart Family Funeral Home - January 30, 2017 at 01:56 PM

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“ Alex Stansbury lit a candle in memory of Archa Leroy Babb



Alex Stansbury - January 30, 2017 at 08:08 PM



“ 36 files added to the album LifeTributes



Stewart Family Funeral Home - January 30, 2017 at 10:02 AM

LS

That was my dad was a shock reading this yesterday!! Leeanna love you sorry I didn't know!

Leeanna Babb Schaefer - December 16, 2023 at 07:35 AM

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“ *Dr & Mrs Dennis E. Stansbury and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Archa Leroy Babb.*



Dr & Mrs Dennis E. Stansbury and family - January 28, 2017 at 05:14 PM

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“ *Julie Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Archa Leroy Babb*



Julie Ferguson - January 28, 2017 at 12:53 PM