



Jerry Clinton Stinchfield Sr.

July 12, 1932 - June 20, 2014

Mr. Jerry Clinton Stinchfield, Sr., 81, passed away Friday, June 20, 2014, at Tyler.

He was born July 12, 1921 in Evansville, Indiana to Charles Sanders and Lillie Merritt Stinchfield.

Mr. Stinchfield moved to Gladewater in 1981 where he opened East Texas Industrial Roofing and Sheet Metal, operating the business with his two sons. After retirement, Mr. Stinchfield enjoyed motorcycles, fishing, and working outside in his yard or on his truck.

Jerry was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters and three brothers. He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 60 years, Joan Stinchfield; children Sherrie Kincaide and husband Don of Tyler, Debra Dendy of Gladewater, Jerry Stinchfield, Jr., of Carrollton, and Mickey Stinchfield and wife Melissa of Tyler; sister, Patsy Nancy of Evansville, Indiana; brother, Darrel Stinchfield and wife Monica of Evansville, Indiana; 11 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Arrangements are under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association of Greater Dallas, 4144 N. Central Expressway, Suite 750, Dallas, TX 75204.

Tribute Wall



“ Well i loved going to granny and pas house to spend the night as a kid. I remember me and brad sleeping out in the motorhome with him eating chili and watching boxing. Classic. Not to mention all of us stinking the motorhome up and the east texas heat. Love the good memories. I know your lookin down with the Lord smiling at me. I love you pa see you in a minute. ;)

Clint Stinchfield - June 25, 2014 at 12:57 PM



Charlene
Dillard

“ When I was little, my parents divorced & my mom moved us to Texas to live with my grandparents. My world was turned upside down. My Pa helped make that transition alot easier. He kept me busy helping out with the chickens & running from Billy the goat who I swear hated little girls! He and my Granny gave me faith that marriage could work. They teased each other constantly but there was never any doubt that they loved each other. Reading through these memories everyone has shared just makes me smile. I remember the river house where I had his Minnie mouse eggs for the first time & learned that a snapping turtle was a dangerous thing. He taught me that if you want to do something all you have to do is try, you are the only thing that will stand in your way. I remember the hand made pipes and the canes he made from the roots of trees he dug up and the realistic paintings that had eyes that would look at you no matter where you were standing, and none of us will forget Cooter with the false teeth & hair sitting in an old pair of Pa's overalls. Man that thing was creepy. Out of all of this, I will miss his laugh the most. I am truly blessed to have had him for my grandfather. I'm grateful that my husband and my children got to know him and see the wonderful man that he was. He taught all of us so much about love and family! You will be dearly missed Pa! I take peace in knowing you are with your family and doggies that passed before you. Make Tiger smile and Bubba say I love you for me! Goodbye my Pa!

Charlene Dillard - June 25, 2014 at 09:51 AM



“ *As a kid I thought my paw was the coolest /strongest man i knew. As i grew older I knew it to b true!!!!just not all his crazy b.s.story's . about giant mesqitos the size of dogs that would attack him on a daily. Lol. Like Stephanie said about wonder eggs Plus Scooby doo bacon and many other crazy things he would call his amazing food he cooked. Lol . Unlike any other person I have come to know. When u was around him and he even just liked u / u felt like u was the only person who was there. He made u feel a certain kind of special undescribed with words. Just wanna say thank u Mickey Stinchfield for my creation and your dedication as a father that gave me all the opportunities to know this amazing human being!!!!!! Just wanna say im PROUD to b a STINCHFIELD!!!!!!! R.I.P. GRANDPA*

Bradley Stinchfield - June 25, 2014 at 05:55 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jerry Clinton Stinchfield Sr..*



June 25, 2014 at 05:42 AM

SS

“ Paw wasn't a typical grandfather, He was an inventor of many defferent but wonderful things. He once made a life sized doll that included his own false teeth and would give you nightmares lol. He was always very proud of things he made from stuff only he could find a use for. He liked to dance a jig and show off his moves with grace, sometimes if you were lucky he would sing "a dooby dooby doo" . I have so many memories of him teaching to me to fish, occasionally learning a bad word and eating tons off wonder woman eggs :) I will miss the hugs he gave when I left his house. He would say I love ya kiddo and smile at me . I know he's looking down on me and will watch me, and be there for my big accomplishments he always knew would happen. RIP Paw Paw

stephanie stinchfield - June 24, 2014 at 11:09 PM



Well said cuz!!!! Coutter r how ever u spell it. Lol. One of a kind

Bradley Stinchfield - June 25, 2014 at 05:59 AM



“ My blessings to my family. I know this is a very difficult time for you. It has been so many years since I had seen you but I know in my heart you had never changed. Although you were my cousin by marriage I always loved you Uncle Jerry.

Karen Stewart-Pease - June 24, 2014 at 09:41 PM

SK

“ My Daddy chose me when I was 3Months old. I was always his daughter. He so loved his children and grandchildren.He did whatever he had to do to take care of his family. He used to make my husband Don who was his other son do 1 arm push ups before he would let him take me out on a date to show how much of a man he was. I will so miss his sweet sloppy kisses and him shouting hallelujah.

Sherrie Kincaide - June 24, 2014 at 09:20 PM

HK

“ From the very 1st time I met your Dad, there was no doubt that he was a hard working, tell it like it is, and funny man! I know exactly where my Bestie (Debbie) gets all of this from! Prayers to all of you because I have been in your shoes! You will never forget but, your grief will ease as time goes on.

Helen Mayne Kalinec - June 24, 2014 at 08:58 PM

 Debbie
Stinchfield
Dendy

“ Debbie Stinchfield Dendy lit a candle in memory of Jerry Clinton Stinchfield Sr.



Debbie Stinchfield Dendy - June 24, 2014 at 08:23 PM

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Debbie Stinchfield Dendy - June 24, 2014 at 08:15 PM

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My dad was the most amazing man I have ever know. He loved his family, worked hard for everything he had and would give you the shirt off of his back if you needed it worst than he did. He was a self taught man and was very artistic. There wasn't anything he couldn't do if he set his mind to it. he will be missed by many. We will see each other again dad. I love you and miss you terribly.

Debbie Stinchfield Dendy - June 24, 2014 at 08:22 PM

JM

“ *My grandpa was one of the funniest, hard working, honest/tell it like it is people I will ever know. When he hugged you, you felt his love. He was truly an original and we are going to miss him so much.*

jamie martin - June 23, 2014 at 08:52 PM



So true jamie

Bradley Stinchfield - June 25, 2014 at 06:00 AM

JS

“ *My dad was the hardest working man that I ever new. There was nothing he couldn't do or try to do. He loved fishing but his real passion was Grand National Flat Track motorcycle racing. As a child my greatest memories was going to the races with him, he was in hog heaven at the races and now he is really there. In his later years he loved to dirt bike with my brother Mickey my brother in law Don and myself. Those were great times. Dad I love you and I will never forget you. RIDE ON DAD*

jerry stinchfield - June 22, 2014 at 05:58 AM



Love u Unk.

Bradley Stinchfield - June 25, 2014 at 06:01 AM