James Calhoun "Bo" Dyer(1929 - 2015)



James "Bo" Calhoun Dyer, 86, passed away Thursday morning, Sept. 10, 2015. Funeral: 10 a.m. Saturday at Arlington Chapel. Interment: Moore Memorial Gardens. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Arlington Chapel. James was born July 3, 1929, to Thomas Watson and Ada Ruth Dyer. He was the youngest of six children. In his younger years, he was the catcher for a minor league baseball team, the Sherman Denison Twins. He married the love of his life, Dorothy Jean Ferrill, on July 9, 1954, and to this union they were blessed with three children. He worked for Ben E. Keith and retired after 25 years of service to spend time with his wife and family. James and Dorothy were married for 61 years. He enjoyed

being surrounded by his family and watching sports, especially the Texas Longhorns. He was preceded in death by his parents; a grandson, Shawn Christopher Dyer; brother, Scott Dyer; and three sisters, Mary Smith, LelaMae Smith and Catherine Shadid. Survivors: Wife, Dorothy; sons, Thomas James Dyer and wife, Tammy, and Gary Ray Dyer Sr. and wife, Cheryl; daughter, Rebecca Joan Isbell and husband, Kelly; sister, Dorothy Marie Hughes; 10 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

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