



Ray Black

August 21, 2024

Ray Black passed away peacefully on August 21st, 2024, at the age of 82 at his home in McLendon-Chisholm.

Ray was born in Durant, Oklahoma on July 30, 1942, to Rudolph and Irene Black, both of whom preceded him in death along with siblings: Wayne Black, Gene Black, Joyce Harlin and Nell Jones, and niece Sheila McManus Mora and Donita Blades Hill.

He was raised in Cobb, Oklahoma where he graduated from Cobb High School in 1960. During high-school Ray played on the basketball team. The many long practices and hard-fought games instilled in him a strong work ethic. This experience prepared him for a long and fruitful career at Sears as a supervisor for over 34 years until he retired in 1994. While still in high school Ray met the love of his life, Patsy Flint. Ray and Patsy married several years later in 1963, together they would build a life and family on a foundation of love.

Ray was known for his unwavering faith in God, his unending love for his family, and his knack for fixing seemingly anything. Ray loved attending Lakepointe Church where he was a member, serving in his community, and especially helping his family. His four granddaughters affectionally called him "Papa" (pronounced Paw Paw), and Ray held them beyond close to his heart;

he would never miss a game or activity when it came to his granddaughters. He will always be remembered for his strong faith and his love for his family.

Left to carry on Ray's love and memories are his beloved wife, Patsy Black, daughter Cynthia Tuttle, son Kevin Black and wife Tracy, grandchildren: Kacie Perkins and husband Brandon, Brooke Tuttle, Mikayla Black and McKenzie Black along with numerous nieces and nephews, and a host of friends.

A celebration of Ray's life will be held at 10:30am, Saturday, September 14, 2024, at Lakepointe Church in Rockwall, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made in Ray's honor to St. Jude's Hospital at <https://www.stjude.org/donate/>.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP **14.** 10:30 AM (CT)

Lakepointe Church
701 E Interstate 30
Rockwall, TX 75087

Tribute Wall

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