



Henry Pace

January 31, 1942 - September 21, 2016

Henry Oliver Pace, age 74, Phil Campbell, passed away on Wednesday, September 21, 2016 at his residence. Henry Pace overcame many obstacles in his life, from a stroke in his early twenties, to having 5 artificial joints, having too many surgeries to count, surviving a F-5 tornado even when his wife did not, and yet never took a handout from anyone. He owned and operated Pace Tire and Auto for over 20 years. He played a major role in getting a lot of people in the Phil Campbell area city water in the 1980's. He was a member and deacon of First Baptist Church of Phil Campbell. Henry was the type of man that you always knew where you stood with him, a hardworking man, who helped a lot of people and never met a stranger. He was a man's man but his granddaughters brought out the tender side in him and they were the light of his life. The visitation will be 1:00 ? 3:00 p.m. Friday, September 23, 2016 at Spry Memorial Chapel, with the funeral following at 3:00 p.m. in the chapel. Officiating at the service will be Bro. Sammy Wallace. Burial will be at Liberty Hill Cemetery in Phil Campbell. He was preceded in death by wife of 46 years, Martha Nix Pace; his parents, Neal & Virginia Pace; and brother, Walker Pace. He leaves to cherish his memory, his sons, Brian Pace from Odessa, TX and Steven Pace (wife, Natasha) from Hamilton; grandchildren, Maggie Pace, Mary Claire Pace. Emmy Ella Pace; 3 step-grandchildren; brother, Gary Pace (wife, Lucy); sister, Ann Pace; sister-in-law, Judy Evett; and several nieces & nephews. The pallbearers will be Randy Ergle, Tom Armstrong, Jimmy Carter, James Taff, Mark Cain, Phillip Pace, Justin Pace,

and William Cox. The family would like to extend a special thanks to Christine, Brenda, Myra, Bobbie, Renee, Joyce, the staff of Alacare Home Health, Aseracare Hospice, and all the others who helped to take care of our dad. Spry Memorial Chapel assisted the family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our hearts are heavy today as we say goodbye to a long time friend. We will miss him but know he is in a better place and with our sweet Martha. Brian and Steven you are lucky young men to have had such wonderful parents and role models. They loved you both so much. We were blessed to have been able to call them dear friends. Love to you both and your families. We will always be here for you if you need us.*

Shelia and Joe Tucker - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Condolences to the family*

Raymond Suggs - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM