



## Billy E Walker

September 15, 1952 - March 15, 2019

It is with a peace that surpasses all understanding that we celebrate the passing of Billy Walker from this life to the presence of our Lord. Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory of Billy for his family at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com).

Born to Buddy and Jo Walker on September 15, 1952, Billy lived in Tatum, NM, during his youth and at the age of 15, found the love of his life and future wife of 47 years, Barbara. Billy and Barbara have a beautiful family that includes their son, Ben; daughter-in-law, Caiti; and grandchildren: Livia, Ian, and Walt. Billy also leaves behind his loving sister, Pam; his brother-in-law, Russ; nephew, Jacob Martin and his family Keysha, Jabri, and Kaysen; and nieces: Heather and Hollie of Arkansas.

Billy was a man of faith that chose his words wisely and from his heart. He held a lifelong belief that there was never any reason to burn a bridge because you may need both the bridge and match someday. He enjoyed working in the oil and gas industry and came away with many dear friends. Billy had a great sense of humor and a fantastic laugh, he treasured spending time with family and friends and enjoyed every moment he could. Billy was a fan of cooking shows and an avid sports fan that never gave up on his Dallas Cowboys.

It is with a thankful heart that we extend our gratitude to all those that have been involved in Billy's care over the course of his more than 12 year battle against cancer.

**SERVICES:** A celebration of life has been scheduled for Saturday, March 30, 2019, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, at 300 S Kentucky Ave, Roswell, NM. Please come as you are and enjoy time talking about the blessing that was Billy Walker.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Billy E Walker*

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December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Hey BaBaWaWa, it's Phyllis (Barnes) now Eggimann. I'm living in Lockhart, Tx. now with Amber and her daughter Melany (age 11). Bob and I have been married 23 years, met in Albuquerque. When Kelly told me that Pam had contacted him about Billy's death my heart was broken for you. Billy was one of the funniest rednecks (I think he would have agreed with that label) and you have always been a very special person in my past memories. I would love to talk with you sometime my phone number is 512-557-8059. My mailing address is 707 Indian Blanket, Lockhart, Tx. 78644. Love and kisses to you and "Baby Ben". Wish I could be there for you.  
Your old friend, Phyllis*

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**Phyllis Eggimann** - March 25, 2019 at 11:30 PM

“ Barbara & Ben,

*Our semi daily visits are always a high note to my day, will surely miss Billy's great insights to our regular "sports talk". He took his Cowboy fandom w/ great humor, always hopeful but very cautiously optimistic, never quite knowing what to expect from week to week.*

*Enjoyed having him at our card games, even when the chips weren't coming his way he was always smiling and having a good time. That was the thing about Billy, he always enjoyed being in the company of others and made the games more fun.*

*He really put up such a strong fight throughout his bout with Cancer and even though he had some big setbacks and emergencies he seemed to always come out of it with that positive attitude.*

*Barbara, you have shown such strength to go along with your husbands during this 12 year span, I know you made him at ease during the final hospice stay, what a blessing you are.*

*Wishing you, Ben, and the rest of your great family all the best during this tough time.*

*I bet Billy is already rooting for your Packers, unless of course the Boys are involved, he might even be rooting for a tie in that case.*

*Your friend & Mailman,  
Brad*

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**Brad Newton** - March 23, 2019 at 11:14 PM

BS

“ Barb, When we heard about Billy's passing, our hearts sank. We sat in silence and bowed our heads in prayer as we have done so many times before, but this time instead of asking God to please ease Billy's pain and heal him from illness, we said a prayer of thanksgiving. Thank you God, for the blessing of knowing Billy. Billy is home now, his work here on earth is done and his life in heaven has begun. We got to know Billy through you Barb, you shared his upsets and his triumphs and his positive outlook of life. We enjoyed hearing about how much he enjoyed our tamales. Barb we got to know your family through you, Ben is someone we respect and admire. Your daughter in love and your grandchildren we know because of you. We prayed for your family and you prayed for ours. We will continue to pray for all of you. Remember all the candles you have lit? Now Billy's light will shine through eternity, he is your guiding light. I heard a priest recently say "Death is not good-bye, instead we should say "we will see you later." See you later Billy, until then, pray for us.

*Leo and Bee*

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**Bee Sanchez** - March 23, 2019 at 12:25 PM

MA

“ Dear Barbara, Ben and family,

*I just let Tony know about Billy's passing and all of us are just heartbroken. Losing a spirit like Billy's is just an immeasurable loss for people who knew and loved him. The laughter and joy he brought with him everywhere he went was the trait I remember most about him. As Ben and Tony grew up as best friends for so many years, your home, love and support was like having a second family for Tony and Jessie. I can't begin to describe what you two meant to our family, but particularly for Tony. Since I am a cancer survivor, I have an idea of what a battle he took on to live those extra years. So as well as being kind and loving, he was also a fighter. We are so sorry for the loss of Billy, but one certainty you have, is that Billy Walker lived a good life and impacted many people with his love and kindness.*

*Mike and Dianne Alber*

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**Mike and Dianne Alber** - March 23, 2019 at 10:28 AM

GH

“ *Barbara and family,*

*I am so sorry to hear about Billy. He was undoubtedly one of the nicest men I know. My prayers are with all of you. I am so glad I ran into you all at the Super Bowl party years ago.*

*My prayers are with you.*

*Love,  
Gina*

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**Gina Hornbeck** - March 22, 2019 at 01:40 PM

MF

“ *So sorry for your loss, Billy was a wonderful man. My condolences to Barbara and all the family. You're in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless!!*



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**Mabel Fuentes** - March 22, 2019 at 10:04 AM

AD

“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Billy. He was a very kind, gentle, loving man. Have good memories of him, and we will continue to cherish them. God Bless the family and may GOD guide you all thru this difficult journey. God Bless.....Angela Dominguez and Family*

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**Angela Dominguez** - March 20, 2019 at 09:36 AM

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“ *So very sorry for your loss.  
So many good / fun memories  
A good man  
I am proud and honored to say he was my friend  
Rick Rickman*

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**Rick Rickman** - March 19, 2019 at 07:54 PM