



Ralph Arden Meadows Jr.

March 16, 1941 - November 15, 2018

On Thursday, November 15, 2018, Ralph Arden Meadows Jr., 77, lost his hard-fought battle with Lou Gehrig's Disease. Old "Lou" might have won the fight, but Ralph got the prize, his "Reward in Heaven." Please take a moment and share a fond memory or kind expression of sympathy for Ralph's family at www.andersonbethany.com.

Services: There will be a Viewing at Tabernacle Baptist Church, 115 W. 11th St., Roswell, NM, on Friday, November 23, 2018, at 5:00 PM, followed by a Celebration of Life Funeral Service at 6:00 PM. Pastor Jason Perry will be officiating, and Pastor Randy Rhoton will read scripture. A eulogy speech will be given by a very good friend, Len Stokes. Interment will be held at South Park Cemetery on Saturday, November 24, 2018, at 10:00 AM, followed by a family reception at Tabernacle Baptist Church.

On March 16, 1941, Ralph was born in Roswell, NM, St. Mary's Hospital, to Ralph Sr. and Evelyn Green Meadows. He grew up in Roswell and together, he and Bea built their home. Ralph's talent was woodcarving. He loved to build model planes and carve out wooden ones. He was a member of Tabernacle Baptist.

Ralph worked in construction throughout the years. After thirty-five years with Armstrong Construction, he retired. He enjoyed his work and took pride in

everything he did. If you drive around town, you will see a lot of parking lots and roads Ralph had a hand in building. His family and friends will dearly miss Ralph.

Survivors: Those left to treasure and cherish memories of Ralph are his loving wife, Bea; daughters: Karen and Lee Foster of Ft. Sumner, NM, Terri Fugua of Weatherford, TX, Barbara and Michael Sharp of Weatherford, TX; sons: Billy Meadows of Roswell, NM, William Hite of Weatherford, TX, Robert and Kimberly Hite of East Bethel, MN; sister, Jody Yowell of Roswell, NM; sister-in-law, Joy and James Griffith of Odessa, TX; twenty grandchildren; forty-one great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild; and numerous nephews, nieces, and a lot of friends.

Preceded: Ralph was preceded in death by his parents: Ralph Sr. and Evelyn Green Meadows; son, Chris Meadows; infant sister, Barbara Tyler; and brothers-in-law: Harold Tyler, Tuffy Deck, Billy McDaniel, and Don Yowell.

Pallbearers: Chosen to serve as Pallbearers will be Ken Dillard, Jim Mayes, Carlos, Dusty Johnson, Freddy Herrera, Johnny Hughes, and Melvin Montoya.

Honorary Pallbearers: Chosen as Honorary Pallbearers are Bill Armstrong, Pat McGill, all former employees of ACC, and a very special friend, Charles Smith.

Memorials: Memorials may be made in Ralph's name to TBC Bus Ministry.

Special Thanks to Kindred Hospice, Ralph's nurse, Roberta, and to a special friend, Ken Dillard, who picked him up off the ground more than we can count, and all the friends who visited him. Thank you to Pastor Jason Perry, and Pastor Randy Rhoton.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ralph Arden Meadows Jr.*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ralph Arden Meadows Jr..*



November 20, 2018 at 05:09 PM



“ *We shared a lot of tacos and many happy times at my parents house, Charlie and Effie Hubbard and at Ralph Sr and Evelyn house in country. We told ghost stories, esp. Jo Carolyn. Ralph Arden was my brother Paul's good friend. My deep sympathy for his family. He was a good man and friend to many. Pat Hubbard Carlton*

pat carlton - November 20, 2018 at 10:06 AM



“ *Love and Friends, Alpha Plumbing, Inc. purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Ralph Arden Meadows Jr..*



Love and Friends, Alpha Plumbing, Inc. - November 19, 2018 at 11:23 AM

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“ *My Uncle Ralph!!! I can remember as a child, him building his model airplanes. He was good at it and he even painted them. DO NOT TOUCH! He would come out and help us at the ranch with any and everything. Oh And our family fishing trips and then the fish fries that came when we got home. Seems like the childhood memories are good for taking you back the way things use to be. We all have them and they make us feel young again. Thank you Uncle Ralph for the memories until we meet again. Love, Cheryl McDaniel Wafful*

Cheryl & Tim Wafful - November 17, 2018 at 02:20 PM