



Pete "Bill" Riddle

September 17, 1948 - April 26, 2016

Pete M. "Bill" Riddle, age 67, born September 17, 1948 as a native of Trenton, GA and resident of New Iberia Louisiana for 37 years died Tuesday evening April 26, 2016. Bill was a very loving person and was loved by many. He was an outstanding father, brother and uncle, and the best poppie to all of his grandchildren. He was also a best friend to all of those he loved and never let anyone down when they needed his help. Bill loved to go fishing and was always ready to have a cookout for friends and family. He was always laughing and joking around with everyone. He was also a huge Alabama Football fan and the term "Rolltide" brought him great joy. Bill will be greatly missed by all of his friends and family.

Mr. Riddle was preceded in death by his parents Lee Edward Riddle, Sr. and Annie Mae Russell and brother John Thomas Riddle.

Surviving include his wife Elizabeth G. Riddle of 35 years; children Michelle Solar and husband Robert, Shawn Lirette and wife Cindy, Wendy Lirette, Travis Riddle and fiancé Tonia Turner; grandchildren Shontelle Solar, Robbie Solar, Kayla Solar, Ethan Lirette, Hannah Dore, Emma Potier, and Audrey Mae Riddle; great-grandsons Kaden Solar and Gabe Castille; one brother Lee (Liz) Edward Riddle, Jr.; sisters Rosie (Lavon) Robinson and Genevieve (Perry) Payne; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held 11 AM Saturday April 30, 2016 in the chapel with Pastor David Smith officiating. Mr Riddle will be laid to rest in Browns Gap Cemetery by pallbearers Travis Riddle, Shawn Lirette, Tommy Riddle, Donavin Riddle, Robbie Solar, Sanders Castille, and Bud Duhon. Family will receive friends 2 PM until 9 PM Friday and 9 AM until service time Saturday at Ryan Funeral Home, Trenton, GA.

Cemetery Details

Brown's Gap Cemetery

Highway 301 South
Trenton, GA 30752

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **29**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Ryan Funeral Home and Crematory
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Service

APR **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pete "Bill" Riddle*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM



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April 30, 2016 at 09:11 AM

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“ I have many memories of Bill; one of my favorite memories is back in the summer of 1986, I believe it was. The oilfield was busted, all the rigs had been stacked, at least the moored rigs, didn't have any idea of when we would ever be going back to work. Well a few of us ole "anchor hands" decided that the bad times weren't gonna keep us down; we decided to take a trip to Sam Rayburn Lake and live it up

And did we, but one of my favorite parts of that five days of having no worries was one day we were out in the boat fishin' and having a good ole time. We were talking about how we were living like we were rich people and we were all just about broke and had no job. I asked Pete, if he could do any thing he wanted to do, what would it be. He thought for about a second and then said, "I'd be fishin", I said, "fishin"?" and in an instant with his big ole laugh, he said, "In the Bahamas" and we all was rolling with laughter at that point. I have many great memories of Bill which I will always cherish. Bill was a great friend, we didn't see eachr othe too much after the oilfield cranked back up, since we worked for different companies, but I knew if I needed him he'd do anything for me if I called him, he'd do that for anyone.

My prayers are with all of the family and friends,

Tim Hamil

Tim Hamil - April 29, 2016 at 05:10 PM



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Ryan Funeral Home - April 29, 2016 at 02:44 PM



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Robert Solar - April 29, 2016 at 12:09 PM



“ *Robert Solar lit a candle in memory of Pete "Bill" Riddle*



Robert Solar - April 29, 2016 at 12:06 PM



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“ One of my best memories I have was when you and I were fishing in the Big Dog leg and I hooked the biggest Sac-a-lait of my life. We were both fishing off the bow of the boat as we always were fighting for the best spots. Well once I hooked that bard door as you would say I tried to go to my left with that fish and there was a tree in my path then I went to my right to try and clear him and what was there "Bill" ...lol And there went the line pop and we both looked at each other and then it started why you let him get away. Why you was in my way...lol Will miss all those times and all our great cookouts of good food and great conversations.Love you always!!



Robert Solar - April 29, 2016 at 01:03 AM



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April 28, 2016 at 06:16 PM