

BILL HENDERSON

Mr. Bill Henderson, age 79 of Pennington, passed away Tuesday, September 22, 2009 in the Memorial Hospital in Lufkin. Mr. Henderson was born in Pennington, Texas to parents Lou Milton and Mollie Ashworth Henderson. Mr. Henderson moved to the Lake Jackson area in 1951 and lived there until 1993 where he worked as an insulator for Dow Chemical, retiring after 33 years of service. He was a member of the Insulators and Asbestos Workers Local 102 and Local 22. He and his wife, Sandra came back home to Pennington in 1993 and he began his career as a rancher.

They were involved in the Piney Creek Baptist Church where he was an usher and served on the Building and Grounds Committee. They were also involved in several community organizations where they met many new friends and became reacquainted with former friends. Mr. Henderson was a founding member of the Pennington Party Animals whose purpose is to celebrate birthdays and play 42.

He was president of the Pennington Cemetery Association, member of the Pennington Volunteer Fire Department, Pennington Water Department Board, Pennington Community Center Board, Charter member of Pennington Buyers Group, past member of Trinity County Fair Association and Brazoria County Cattlemen's Association. Mr. Henderson was a former weather watcher for KTRE TV in Lufkin which he took much pride in.

Survivors include his wife Sandra Henderson, of Pennington; children Kathy Taylor, of Brazoria, Mary Zambada, of Livingston, William Henderson, of Pearland, Marty Lewis, of Hudson, James Henderson and wife Jennifer, of Pineland, and Rebecca Henderson, of The Woodlands; eight grandchildren Shannon Day and wife Melissa, Cindy Arambula, Michael Zambada, Michelle Soria and husband Robert, Misty Tatum and husband Todd, Michael, Brandon and Skye Brazile; 12 great-grandchildren; sister Pauline Buller, of Bay City.

Preceded in death by his parents Lou Milton and Mollie Bell (Ashworth) Henderson; brother-in-law Haddon Buller; and sister Lella Mae Sexton and husband Maness.

Funeral Services for Mr. Bill Henderson were held Friday, September 25, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. James Bickley and Mr. Billy Ed Buller officiating. Interment followed in the Pennington Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Pennington Cemetery Association, P. O. Box 216, Pennington, Texas 75856 or Pennington Community Center Sign Project, P. O. Box 15, Pennington, Texas 75856.

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