



Billy Mason Weaver

January 15, 1946 - September 11, 2011

Billy Mason (Hicks) Weaver, born January 15th, 1946 in Paris, Texas to the parents of Catherin Brown who preceded him in death and father Billy Hicks. Sister Nadine Kummins and Brother Robert Gentry both preceded him in death.

Billy attended schools in Richmond, California and Oakland, California. Billy wanted a trade and attended Manpower, located on South 47th Street in Richmond on the Gompers School site where he met and married his ex wife Jacqueline West who was the Secretary. From this union they had a baby girl, Angela Doreen. Billy also had an older son they called (Little Billy). Although Life changes and time passes by, Billy was their father and he loved both his daughter and son.

During Billy's younger adult days, Billy's nick name was (Steel Bill) given to him by Marvin known to us as "Smiley. The saying was "Some say he won't and some say he will".

Billy was full of spunk he loved his cars during that time "Wow"! Billy and Marvin had several hobbies and street car racing was one of them. Their cars were so clean, that you could see your reflection in them. Billy introduced Marvin (Smiley) Jones to Yvonne West and later they married.

Billy loved to dance, “he could really dance”! He could do the mash potatoes, the steak, the duck, and let us not forget those slow moves. He also enjoyed playing dominos, Friday night fish fries, playing cards (Whist) and the card game Tonk. Billy loved his music and the Bongo drums. He and Marvin would take a spoon and fork and beat the hell out of the kitchen table. He loved the song “Little Green Apples” by O.C. Smith,” Function at The Junction” and “Good Time Charlie” by Bobbie Bluebland and “I Got The Feeling” by Godfather Of Soul James Brown..

Billy was the first to drive his brother-in-law Tyrone (Rap) Webster’s “Spanking Brand new 1967 Blue Riviera before his sister-in-law my sister Shirley had an opportunity to drive.

Boy those were the days the “Good Old Days”.

Billy loved his hat; and then it was hat’s off. Let us not forget his many hairstyles: the process, the Jeri curl, the Jesus Christ, pony tails and braids. Later on in life Billy loved fishing and training dogs. He still had a deep love for music and cards before he became ill. Billy’s children, Billy and Angela, Care Provider Shirley Webster and Hospice Staff Jerry, Hulda and Shakti provided the best care possible throughout his transition. Billy expressed that he did not want visitors and he thanked everyone for being concerned from the bottom of his heart.

Billy fought his battle, his voice became a whisper, he was tired, the pain he had was no more. “God has set him free”.

Billy was a Father, Brother, Uncle, Grandfather, Great Grandfather, Buddy, and a Friend. Billy leaves his son Billy (T Bone) Weaver, Daughter Angela Knight, Son-in-law Jeffrey knight, Brother Willie Weaver, and Sister Pamela Walker, a Host of Nephews, Nieces, Cousins and Close Friends Billy Bright, Early Lowe and Willie Britton and his Buddy and friend Keylo his dog to

cherish his memory and Legacy.

Previous Events

Service

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