



Robert F. Bateman

November 26, 1934 - March 28, 2015

Obituary of Robert Bateman

Robert F. Bateman, 80, of Bushnell, Florida, died Saturday, March 28, 2015. He was born November 26, 1934 in Mississippi. Mr. Bateman was a member of St. Catherine Baptist Church and lived in Bushnell since 1979. He worked for Trices Dairy in Okeechobee, Rowland Dairy in Zephyrhills and BNR Dairy in Tuscanooga. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, but working with cows was his #1 priority. He is survived by his wife, Kathleen of Bushnell, FL; sons: Walter C. Sylvester of Bushnell, FL, and Tony (Charlene) Bateman of Lake Panasoffkee, FL; daughters: Debra Bateman of Mississippi, Rhonda Meeks of Vero Beach, FL, Daphne Lynn Sylvester of Bushnell, FL, and Eleanor (Bubba) Allen of Bushnell, FL; 11 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Visitation

The family will receive friends on Thursday, 4/2/15 from 4:00 to 6:00 at Purcell Chapel.

Service

Service will follow at 6:00 p.m. at the Purcell Funeral Home Chapel, Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to hear of your dad's passing , Losing a parent is very hard.
May God give you each grace and strength for the road ahead.

Diane (Gibson) Underwood - April 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ What a wonderful man. He always had a smile on his face. What a
time he and McBride must be having up in heaven now. He will be
missed by all. May God Bless and be with the family and friends
through this time of sorrow. We will miss you, Tinker and Mary Anne

Tinker and Mary Anne Rogers - April 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM