



William Payton

January 23, 1924 - September 21, 2007

William Louis "Choc" Payton, 83-year-old resident of Gentry, Arkansas, died Friday, September 21, 2007, in Siloam Springs Memorial Hospital. Born January 23, 1924, in Binger, Oklahoma, he was the son of John Everet Payton and Luvina Mae Howe Payton. He was a long time resident of Siloam Springs. Mr. Payton was a retired carpenter. He was a member of the First Christian Church of Gentry. Survivors include his wife Pat of the home; two sons William Richard Payton and his wife Lynn of Hot Springs, Arkansas, and Louis Randall Payton and his wife Paulette of Westville, Oklahoma; three daughters Barbara Lynn Bryson and her husband Dean of Gentry, Cynthia Ann Backer and her husband Clyde of Rogers, and Debbie Sue Coillot of Gravette; one sister Addie Adams and her husband Ray of Gentry, Arkansas; 20 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday, September 24, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at Wasson Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, September 25, at 10:00a.m. at Wasson Chapel. Burial will be in Gentry Cemetery. Memorial gifts may be made to the American Cancer society.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Richard; I just wanted to send my sincere condolences on the loss of your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this very sad time.*

Regards, Bobbi

Bobbi (Marler) Lancaster - September 19, 2012 at 11:30 AM

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“ *Pat & family
I am so sorry for your loss. Choc was a good man and a friend to a lot of people. He was definitely one of a kind.
I have a lot of good memories of him working with my Dad and just being part of our family for a lot of years. He will truly be missed by all who knew him. May the Lord give you peace and comfort your soul.*

God Bless.

Love to all,

Sherry

Sherry Lamphear - September 19, 2012 at 11:30 AM

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“ *choc payton,,,we will miss you tremendously,,,we loved you like a grandpa,,,we had some good memories, when we lived at park circle, Pat we love you very much, and our thoughts and prayers are with you always,,,love you from the bottom of our hearts...love mike and gina,*

gina griffin - September 19, 2012 at 11:30 AM