



Terry L. Decker, Sr.

March 13, 1947 - May 21, 2007

Terry Decker, Sr., 60, of Kensett, was born March 13, 1947 in Kensett, Arkansas to Robert Decker, Sr. and OpaLee Whitney Decker. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Larry Mitchell and Robert Decker, Jr. Terry was known as the Bar B Q and Fish Fry Guy.

Terry was born and raised in Kensett where he attended school until having to go to work. He worked for Greer Tire in Searcy and the Kensett Saw Mill for many, many years. Terry loved his family and he really loved his 3 grandsons, Elizah, Isiah and Terry Decker, Jr.

In January 13, 1999 he found his wife and united into marriage. He gave his life to God in 1999, at the age of 52. He was Baptized and became a member of Arnold Tabernacle Church in Kensett. He loved going to Church until his health failed.

The Lord called him home on Monday, May 21, 2007 at White County Medical Center in Searcy, Arkansas. He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Shirley Decker of Kensett; a son, Terry Decker, Jr., his name sake, of Kensett; two daughters, Unice Decker of Bald Knob and Joyce Malone of Judsonia; nine grandchildren; two brothers, Jimmy Decker (Sarah) of Kensett and Sammy Decker (Fannie) of Hot Springs; two sisters, Shirley Young (Carl) of Judsonia and Alice Turner (Robert) of Beebe; a sister-in-law, Beatrice Decker of Kensett; uncle, Dotson Mount and an aunt, Earnestine Whitney both of Kensett.

His wife Shirley brings to this family six children, eleven grandchildren and

four great-grandchildren. A host of cousins, nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation will be Friday, May 25, 2007 from 6 - 8 p.m. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at the Arnold Tabernacle Church in Kensett with burial following in Crow Cemetery. Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Bald Knob-Judsonia.

Tribute Wall



“ *my prayers go out to the family.*
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