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Marvin Ray "OZ" Read Sr., 76, of Bridgeport died Saturday, July 11, 2015, at Baylor All Saints in Fort Worth.

Visitation was July 13 at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport. Private burial will be at a later date.

Marvin was born Oct. 24, 1938, in Paradise to John Dixon and Irene (Pike) Read. He married Dana Choate March 14, 1977, in Decatur and retired from TXI after 35 years as an equipment operator.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son Ronald Read; stepdaughter Sheri Cox; sisters Pauline Carlton and Lorene Read; brothers J.D. Read, Leon Read and Ernest (Hoot) Read; and his step-grandson, Zackery Gober.

Marvin is survived by his wife of 38 years, Dana Read; sons Marvin Read and wife, Linny, and Rodney Read and wife, Valaria; daughter Beverly Taylor; stepdaughter Lisa Raven; granddaughters Amye Read, Kayla Van Brunt, and chosen granddaughter Lauren Breeden; step-granddaughter Bree Salazar; grandsons Cameron Taylor, Raylen Read and Ty Read; great-grandson Cayden Van Brunt; great-granddaughter Kaili Taylor; and other family members and friends.

Memorials may be made to Wise Area Relief Mission, 940-626-4676, www.warmtx.org.