

## **Bobby Seelye | 1937-2016**

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Bobby "Midget" Seelye

Bobby "Midget" Seelye, 78, of Chico died Sunday, Aug. 7, 2016, in Chico.

Funeral is 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 11, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Gary Sessions officiating. Burial will follow at Chico Cemetery. Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers are Nobie Tucker, Dan Price, Ed Cowley, Don Austin, Coit Harris, and Gabriel Timmons. Honorary pallbearers are Snuffy Brooks and Pancho Redwine.

Bobby was born Sept. 16, 1937, in Denison to Lee Roy and Ozella (Talley) Seelye. He married Vernice Latham April 11, 1961, in Denison. Bobby was a truck driver for Coffman Tank Truck until his retirement. He was a member of the Chico Volunteer Fire Department.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son Roy Lee Seelye; daughter Christina Gay Kilgore; and grandson Dustin Seelye.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Vernice Seelye of Chico; son Ronny Seelye of Chico; daughter-in-law Rena Seelye of Fort Worth; daughter-in law Lisa Marshall of Chico; grandchildren Ashley Seelye, Bobby Ray Seelye and Cody Hixon; great-grandchild Logan Hixon; and other family members and friends.