

Salter, Henry Ford

1939-2021

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Henry Ford Salter, 81 of Bowie, passed away Saturday, Feb. 13, 2021, in Wichita Falls.

Funeral will take place at 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 19, at the chapel at White Family Funeral Home in Bowie with Brad Ough officiating.

Burial will follow at Elmwood Cemetery, also in Bowie.

Henry was born Feb. 22, 1939, in Palo Pinto to James and Nina (Eanes) Salter. He attended four years of technical school, for AC and heating and electrician trades. On Jan. 22, 1981, Henry married Liz Richey in Denton. Since the late '50s Henry operated the Majestic Theater in Bowie and later operated the local drive-in theater throughout the '70s and '80s. He worked as a mechanic for 28 years at Haggard Slack Company and for a number of years at Nokona Leather Goods. Henry was an essential member of the White Family Funeral Home since 2005, until the present. He enjoyed working and rebuilding clocks and was a jack of all trades, who could fix just about anything.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father; four sisters, Vera Pearl Salter, Georgia Weaver, Inez Wright and Ruby Harwell; and two brothers, Elson (Dub) Salter and Charles (Charlie) Salter.

Henry is survived by his wife, Elizabeth "Liz" Salter; son David Salter; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made in honor of Henry to your church or favorite charity.

Arrangements entrusted to the White Family Funeral Home of Bowie.