## Cearley, Ernie

1931-2021

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Ernie Cearley was born July 19, 1931, in Slidell to Aubrey and Odessa Cearly. He went to be with his Lord and Savior July 14, 2021.

Ernie served in the U.S. Army in Korea from 1952 to 1954. He then worked for Cities Service Oil Company for 44 years. He married Allene Peterson Dec. 10, 1988.

Ernie was preceded in death by his parents; brother Frank and wife, Janie; sisters Pearley and Marie; sister-in-law Barbara Wade; and brother-in-law Billie Terrell.

He is survived by his wife, Allene; sister Faye Terrell; sons Wayne and wife, Janet, and Lyndon, stepson Monty Peterson; brother-in-law Ronnie Wade; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and good friends Leonard and Regina Oney and John Webster.

Memorial will be held at First Baptist Church, Willow Park, 601 Ranch House Road, Willow, Park, Aug. 14, 2021. Visitation will begin at 1 p.m. with the service beginning at 2 p.m. The family has requested that memorials be made to St Jude Research Hospital in lieu of flowers.