



Rev. Billy L Hickman

March 14, 1939 - April 29, 2025

Billy Lee Hickman, was born on Tuesday, March 14, 1939 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma the Son of Burton Lee and Agnes Ann (Crews) Hickman. He passed this life on Tuesday, April 29, 2025 in Wilburton, Oklahoma. He was 86 years of age.

Billy was a graduate of 1956 Graduate of Central High School in Tulsa. He married the former Miss Sherry Offineer on June 10, 1958 in Sumter, South Carolina. She preceded Billy on November 20, 2022. They are together again in their Heavenly home. Billy was a veteran of the United States Air Force, having served from June 11, 1956 to June 10, 1960. Following his military service he received a Bachelor's in Theology from Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee, Oklahoma. Billy was licensed to preach on January 5, 1969 at Cincinnati Avenue Baptist Church in Tulsa and Ordained to Gospel Ministry on June 28, 1970 at Calvary Baptist Church in Holdenville. He pastored churches in Tulsa, Holdenville, Francis, Arkoma, Lawton, Broken Arrow and Enid, all in Oklahoma. He was the Director of Missions for the Sans Bois Baptist Association in Oklahoma from June 1, 1991 to December 1, 2007. During this time he was Interim Pastor for numerous churches in Oklahoma. The Family requests memorials to the Oklahoma Baptist Children's Home, 12700 East 76th Street North, Owasso, Oklahoma 74055.

He is survived by,

Daughters, Teresa and husband, Dr. Paul Brady, Wilburton, OK
Rhonda Carter, Broken Arrow, OK

Son, Randall Lee Hickman, Broken Arrow, OK

Grandchildren, Chad Lee Queck, Bethany and husband Gabe
Provencher, Sheresea Carter, Christy Brady and husband
Jun Then, Sabrena Hickman, Matthew Paul and wife
Amanda Carter, Chad Hickman, Brittney Gentry,
Austin Lee Hickman

Great Grandchildren, Dallas, Blake, Caleb, Keegan, Ryley Lynn, Bailey May,
Christian, Samuel, Paul and Elaine.

Cousins, Lonnie Crews, Tulsa, OK
Joey Crews, Tulsa, OK
Raylene Crews, MI

Niece, Michelle Hickman Halbert, Yukon, OK

Nephew, David Hickman, Oklahoma City, OK

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lee and Agnes; wife, Sherry;
grandson, Billy Ray Carter.

1 Timothy 5:17 ESV

Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor,
especially those who labor in preaching and teaching.

Paul Brady and Ronnie Payne had a special time of recognition for Billy Hickman. Billy was the DOM from June 1991 to December 2007. Sharon Burnett, Secretary for SBBA for 22 years and Billy's secretary for 16 of those years, spoke of her time with him. "He was a true 'Pastor to the pastors.' He ministered to pastors and churches to help them give glory to the Lord. Billy and his wife Sherry were a team. The fellowship of pastors and the people of Sans Bois grew under their leadership." Sharon also shared the story of how Bro. Billy became known as spiderman. Paul Brady and Ronnie Payne presented Bro. Billy Hickman with a plaque of appreciation for his service while it showcased his original "DOM name plate".

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Special recognition was given to Rev. Billy Hickman, for the 16+ years he and his wife, Sherry, served as the SBBA Director of Missions. Bro. Billy was licensed to preach in 1968 at Cincinnati Avenue Baptist Church in Tulsa. He was ordained to the Gospel Ministry in 1970 at Calvary Baptist Church in Holdenville. Hickman served as the SBBA Director of Missions June 1, 1991-December 1, 2007. Leading the tribute to Hickman was Paul Brady, Ronnie Payne, and Sharon Burnett. Bro. Hickman received a plaque for his service.

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

4161 E. Admiral Place
Tulsa, OK 74115

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

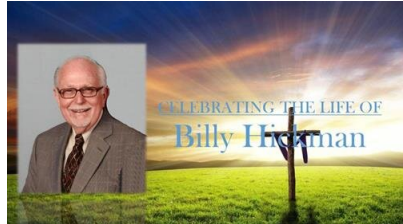
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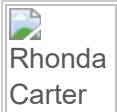
Tribute Wall



“ Hayhurst Funeral Home created a Funeral Service in memory of Rev. Billy L Hickman



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 30, 2025 at 01:23 PM



Rhonda Carter



Rhonda Carter - May 01, 2025 at 02:59 PM



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We will miss Billie, but know that he is now in a better place.
Bill & Ardys Knapp (his neighbors)

Ardys Knapp - May 01, 2025 at 08:12 PM

Rhonda
Carter

“ I love you Daddy and Momma, you were the best parents any daughter could have and I adore every moment cherished with our memories of being together 💕 I am so happy you are spending eternity with Jesus together now 🙏💕🙏



Rhonda Carter - May 14, 2025 at 12:22 PM

Rhonda
Carter

“ Rhonda Carter lit a candle in memory of Rev. Billy L Hickman



Rhonda Carter - May 14, 2025 at 12:15 PM



So sorry for the passing of your dad. I remember him he was a very kind man my main memory was him marrying Nena and Randy when I was little. He was always kind.

DeEtte Blackburn - May 23, 2025 at 12:04 PM



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Hayhurst Funeral Home - May 02, 2025 at 11:54 AM



Rhonda Carter

I love you Daddy 💕 You set the best example of one of the most God fearing Christians in this world 🙏 Rest in the Heavens Praising Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior with Momma and Billy Ray and so many of our family and loved ones 🙏 I will cherish every moment I got to spend with you always and forever 💕

Rhonda Carter - May 03, 2025 at 12:03 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rev. Billy L Hickman.

May 01, 2025 at 01:10 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rev. Billy L Hickman.



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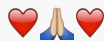
RW

“ I count it an honor to have known and served with Bro. Billy. He was a wonderful spiritual example in my life. He was a joy to serve under as our Director of Missions for our association. My prayer and support to the family.

Randy Waldrop

Randy Waldrop - April 30, 2025 at 03:54 PM

Rhonda Carter



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Rhonda Carter

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Rhonda Carter

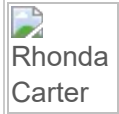


Rhonda Carter - May 01, 2025 at 06:28 AM

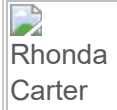
JW

“ Bro Billy was an interim pastor at Beaver Street Baptist a few years back. He was a great Pastor and a great friend. We loved him. My husband was Chairman of deacons at that time and worked closely with him. He was truly a Godly leader

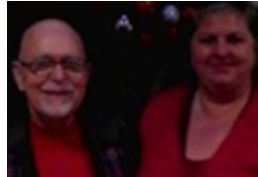
Janet Worley - April 30, 2025 at 09:46 AM



Rhonda Carter - April 30, 2025 at 10:16 AM



“ I love you Daddy ❤️



Rhonda Carter - April 29, 2025 at 10:16 PM



Rhonda Carter - April 29, 2025 at 10:18 PM



“ Daddy you were such a Joy to be around 💖
You are the most God driven Daddy any daughter could ever have. You have blessed me and I thank you always. God has been good to me and without your guidance I could never imagine where I would be. You are now with Jesus for eternity. Give Momma and Billy Ray a big hug 🤗 for me. I will see you again when God takes my hand the way he did yours💖



Rhonda Carter - April 29, 2025 at 10:12 PM



Rhonda Carter - May 01, 2025 at 06:30 AM

MC

“ Matthew Carter lit a candle in memory of Rev. Billy L Hickman



Matthew carter - April 29, 2025 at 09:05 PM

KC

“ Karen crane purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Rev. Billy L Hickman.



Karen crane - April 29, 2025 at 07:25 PM

KC

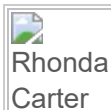
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Karen crane - April 29, 2025 at 07:25 PM

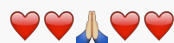
TG

“ Bro. Billy and Sherry were very special to us. I even had the privilege of being his secretary for a short time. Know he is in his fathers arms.

Tom & Janice Goins - April 29, 2025 at 04:40 PM



Rhonda Carter



Rhonda Carter - May 14, 2025 at 12:11 PM



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