



Saddle up, Cowboy this was truly your life  
Loving the rodeo circuit and horses and always loving to ride.

You sat tall in that saddle and you rode so well  
You were one true Cowboy this anyone could tell.

Your Cowboy hat and buckle you wore it with pride  
Those Cowboy boots walked many a mile.

Now your life on earth is over God has plans for you  
So saddle up Cowboy this will be a journey for you.

God will lead you up to heaven and he will ride at your side  
So once again, saddle up Cowboy it's time for that final ride.



IN LOVING MEMORY

**EARNEST BERRY**

DECEMBER 21, 1939 - OCTOBER 21, 2025

*In Memory*  
*Of*  
**EARNEST EUGENE BERRY**

*Service*

*Tuesday, October 28, 2025*

*11:00 am*

*Beaty Funeral Home  
Winnsboro, Texas*

*Officiating*

*Bro. Jerry Radney*

*Musical Selections*

*"Go Rest High"*

*"When I Get Where I'm Going"*

*Pallbearers*

*Tim Keller, Logan Tice, David Matthews,  
Tim Joiner, Kevin Joiner, Avel Vine*

*Interment*

*Smyrna Cemetery  
Winnsboro, Texas*

*It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Earnest Eugene Berry, a beloved father, brother, and friend, who departed this life on October 21, 2025, at the age of eighty-five. Born on December 21, 1939, in Winnsboro, Texas, Earnest lived a life filled with dedication to his family, community, and the simple joys that life has to offer.*

*After high school, Earnest had several careers, retiring as a security guard in the grocery supply industry, where he made lasting connections and contributed to the safety and well-being of his colleagues and community. His steadfast presence and commitment to his work reflected his strong character and unwavering dedication.*

*Earnest was also a member of the Franklin County Sheriff's Posse, where his love for rodeo, horseback riding, and fishing shone brightly. He enjoyed sharing these passions with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, imparting to them his love for the outdoors and the values of camaraderie and community.*

*Earnest is preceded in death by parents, Earnest W. Berry and Ruby Cater Berry and by brother, Roger Berry.*

*He is survived by his devoted children: daughter, Carol Favors (Floyd) son, Larry Berry; daughter, Sharyl Matthews and daughter, Tammy Bailey. Additionally, he leaves behind a loving brother, Donny Berry and wife Faye of Sulphur Springs, Texas, and two cherished sisters, Sue Joiner and husband Joe of Sulphur Springs, Texas, and Barbara Pritchett and husband Bill of Sulphur Springs, Texas. Earnest is a proud grandfather to fifteen grandchildren and a great-grandfather to twenty-four great-grandchildren, each of whom he adored deeply and inspired with his gentle spirit and wisdom.*

*As we gather to celebrate the life of Earnest Eugene Berry, we reflect on a legacy filled with love, strength, and kindness. He will be deeply missed but forever cherished in the hearts of those who had the privilege of knowing him.*