



Obituary

Hickman, Leo G., Texas Ranger

1928 - 2014



Leo G. Hickman, age 85, died Sunday, February 9, 2014 in Childress.

Leo was born Thursday, April 05, 1928 in Rockdale, TX to Matthew and Mary Ellen (Kyle) Hickman. He and Billye married on September 2, 1949 in Beaumont, Texas.

Leo joined the Texas Department of Public Safety in 1956. Leo was a 4th generation law enforcement officer and had always aspired to be a Texas Ranger. He fulfilled that dream in 1971, and upon his retirement was the oldest active Texas Ranger at age 72. He loved his job, and was an expert marksman. Leo was a great husband and father who raised four children.

Leo was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Lee Hickman; and one sister, Mary Ellen Hickman.

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