

*In Loving Memory
of
God
and our Beloved
Roy Levias*

Sunrise: February 19, 1951

Sunset: June 27, 1995



Funeral Services

Saturday, July 1, 1995
11:00 a.m.

ST. THOMAS CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
ROBERT NASH AND LYNN STREET
DIBOLL, TEXAS

OFFICIANT
Superintendent S. T. Thomas

*"I am the resurrection and the life: he who believes in me will live even when he dies."
John 11:25-26*

Gen 6

Obituary

The Life of Roy Levias

Mr. Roy Levias was born to W. G. and the late Charlene Levias February 19, 1951 in Diboll, Texas. He grew up and attended Diboll Public Schools. Roy was a devoted brother and father to his family.

He was preceded in death by his mother, a brother, and a sister.

On June 27, 1995, he departed this life in Lufkin, Texas.

He is survived by his father and first stepmother W. G. Levias, Sr., and Ressie Levias of Diboll, Texas; his daughters, Stacie Traylor and Sheba Gordon; a son, Ricky Covington; sisters and brothers-in-law, Georgetta Turner of Richmond, California, Prinzola and Glenn Ward of Groveton, Texas; Vanessa Loyd and Joseph and Shirley Levias of Diboll, Texas; brothers and sisters-in-law, W. G. Levias, Jr., and Ruth, Clifford, and Janice Levias, Ernest Levias, Archie and Peggy Levias; grandmother Amanda Brown of Bonweir, Texas; special aunts, Ella Gates, Odyessa Jones, Victoria, Pearlle Smith; half brothers, Jerome Rogers of Hawaii and Connell Rogers of Diboll, Texas; stepbrothers, Johnny Mitchell of Diboll, Texas, and B. J. Mitchell of Waco, Texas; step-sisters, Yvette Taylor of Oceanside, California, Eula Bryant and Sandra Mitchell of Diboll, Texas, and a wealth of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives and friends.

Very special friend, Barbara Joe Burton.

Special friends, Kathy West, Deloris Grant, and Pam Rhodes.

Acknowledgement

The Family wishes to express sincere thanks for all cards, flowers, telephone calls or any other act of sympathy shown them during their hour of sorrow.

The Family

Services Entrusted to Colonial Mortuary

"The People Who Care"

1311 Keltys Street, Lufkin, Texas 75901

(409) 634-2261, 634-2262

Funeral Directors: Ozell Davis & Ronald Davis
Staff Advisors: Lillie B. Davis and Don Boyd

Secretary-Treasurer: Willie Davis
Attendant: Thomas G. Davis

Jesus Build a Fence Around me

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional.....Family, Clergy, Funeral Directors, and Friends

Selection

Scripture Readings.....

Old Testament.....Appointee

New Testament.....Appointee

Prayer.....Appointee

Selection.....Ms. Shelia Randall

Resolutions

Solo.....Wilda Levias

Acknowledgements.....Programmed

Obituary.....read silently, soft music

Eulogy.....*Mark 13: 33* *2-14-1910*
preparing for death.....Supt. Stinson Thomas

Parting View.....Funeral Directors in Charge

Recessional

Chief - Brauer

I left the rest.
pray = make ready
2 things 2 prep
1 Salvation
Insurance needed



Interment
necessary
Biloxi Cemetery
Bonweir, Texas

Active Pallbearers

Ronnie Johnson

Maurice Jones

Lonnell Young

Oatha Spencer

Wayne Gordon

Robert Williams Jr.

Charles Levias

Honorary Pallbearers

Friends of the Family

Flower Bearers

Friends of the Family

Footprints

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand: one belonging to him, and the other to the LORD.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest time of his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why, when I needed you most, you would leave me."

The LORD replied, "My son, My precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

— Author unknown