



Olen Calvin Coker,

November 25, 1919 - April 15, 2010

Olen Calvin "Junior" Coker, Jr., 90, went home to be with our Lord on April 15, 2010 in Wauchula due to heart failure. Born in Ona on Nov. 25, 1919, he was a farmer, rancher, deputy sheriff and rodeo cowboy. Later in life he enjoyed reading, Westerns, telling tales and visiting with family and friends. He was the last living all around Florida State Pioneer Champion Rodeoer. He was preceded in death by his parents, Olen Sr. and Ethel Coker, brother, Russell Coker, and sisters, Doris Cross and Mary Prine. With sorrow in their hearts, he leaves behind one son, O.C. Coker III and wife Angee, one daughter Areca Cotton and husband Wendell, 3 grandchildren, Christopher Cotton, Lauren Fussell and husband Tom, and Kendell Coker; one great-granddaughter, Macy Lynn Fussell; two sisters, Martha Ann Van Meter and Irene Rogers; one brother, James Henry Coker and wife Nancy Ruth, as well as many other family members and friends. Visitation will be on Sunday, April 18th from 4-6 p.m. at Robarts Family Funeral Home. Following the visitation, the family will receive friends at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Robby and Gail Burnett, 3122 SR 64 E., Zolfo Springs. Burial will be at Lily Cemetery with Mike Roberts officiating on Monday, April 26th at 6:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, a memorial donation may be made to Limestone Baptist Church c/o Pam Bishop, 5008 Prescott Ave., Ona, FL 33865.

Tribute Wall

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“ *May God bless and keep you in His perfect peace. Jr. was a wonderful man and an even better neighbor. Lots of good memories of his dog Major, his peacocks, and his giving nature. We will miss him.*

Gary, Marsha & Nina McMillan - April 26, 2010 at 02:38 PM

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“ *Your family is in our prayers. May God Bless You!*

Kimberly Wederbrand - April 18, 2010 at 10:39 PM