

ROY RAKESTRAW

LAMAR - Roy Raymond Rakestraw, 79, Lamar, died at 12:15 a.m.

Wednesday at a local nursing home after a long illness.

Mr. Rakestraw was born April 21, 1908, in Winfield, Kan. to James Bud and Bell (Wilkerson) Rakestraw. He was a farmer and a member of Lamar Masonic Lodge No. 292.

He married Laura Lisher on June 5, 1935. She survives.

Also surviving are two brothers, Olen Rakestraw, Aurora, Colo., and James Rakestraw, Carthage.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Daniel Funeral Home. Doug Oakes, minister, and the Rev. Lee Edwards officiated.

Burial was in Oakton Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Barton County Health Dept. in lieu of flowers.

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A duet of J.D. and Joy Rakestraw, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. Rakestraw, sang "How Great Thou Art" and "Mansion Over the

Honorary pallbearers were Don Frank, Jim Lisher, Bob Woody, Hilltop". Harold Eshom, Dennis Gardner, Dustin Gardner, Glen Duncan, Jack

Weinstein, and Howard Clawson. Active pallbearers were Fred Rakestraw, Jack Rakestraw, J.D. Rakestraw, Howard Rakestraw, Charles Rakestraw, and David Gardner.

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