



# Lewis Davis Tyre

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**L**ewis Davis Tyre passed away on September 29. He was born to Alvin and Ethel Tyre February 7, 1928, in Madison County, Florida.

He was preceded in death by his four brothers, Artis, Bobby, Billy, Gene, and two sisters, Hazel and Vera.

After marriage, Lewis and Louise moved to Homestead, Florida, in 1949. They celebrated 75

years of marriage on June 12 this year.

Always a lover of horses, for many years, he was an active member of the Homestead Everglades Posse.

Lewis was a storyteller; At any time, he could accurately reminisce about his youth growing up

in north Florida. Names, people, places, and events came to life easily with vivid descriptions.

He worked in home remodeling and building, eventually having his own company with his son

Philip. Over forty years he and Phil owned an extensive farming operation in south Florida.

He is survived by his wife Louise, son Philip, and two daughters, Cookie (Donnie) and Pamela.

He enjoyed time with his five grandchildren: Melissa, Brett, Derek, Sam, and Matt, as well as

three great-grandchildren: Torin, Lou, and Tarik.

For Lewis there was nothing more important than his love for family. His departing represents a



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last-generation loss to that side of the Tyre Family Tree.

A memorial service is planned for Thursday, October 17, at 11:00 in New Hope Baptist Church,  
Jennings Florida.



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**Barbara Thomas** posted:

We were sorry to read about Mr Tyre passing...We meet him in Florida in 1985 ..He was farming in the same location as we were off Kendall Drive...In 1992 after Hurricane Andrew he bought my wife's John Deere tractor ...Sincerely, Terry and Barbara Thomas

October 8 at 9:46 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Lewis by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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