



**DRINKING FROM MY SAUCER**

I've never made a fortune and it's probably too late now.  
But I don't worry about that much, I'm happy anyhow.

And as I go along life's way, I'm reaping better than I sowed.  
I'm drinking from my saucer, 'cause my cup has overflowed.

Haven't got a lot of riches, and sometimes the going's tough.  
But I've got loving ones around me, and that makes me rich enough.

I thank God for his blessings, and the mercies He's bestowed.  
I'm drinking from my saucer, 'cause my cup has overflowed.

O, Remember times when things went wrong, my faith wore somewhat thin.  
But all at once the dark clouds broke, and sun peeped through again.

So Lord, help me not to gripe about the tough rows that I've hoed.  
I'm drinking from my saucer, 'cause my cup has overflowed.

If God gives me strength and courage, when the way grows steep and rough.  
I'll not ask for other blessings, I'm already blessed enough.

And may I never be too busy, to help others bear their loads.  
Then I'll keep drinking from my saucer, "Cause my cup has overflowed.

**CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF**

Ernest "Buddy" Carrington

**DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH**

May 23, 1910 - Lincoln, AR

**DATE & PLACE OF DEATH**

September 18, 2002 - Westville, OK

**DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE**

Friday, September 20, 2002 - 10:30 A.M.

Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, AR

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**ORDER OF SERVICE**

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**Prelude Music** ..... **Chapel Selections**

**Obituary** ..... **Bob Larson**

**Scripture** ..... **Bob Larson**

**Prayer** ..... **Bob Larson**

**"I'll Fly Away"** ..... **Bob Larson**

**Words of Comfort & Victory** ..... **Bob Larson**

**Closing Prayer** ..... **Bob Larson**

**"Amazing Grace"** ..... **Anne Murray**

**Postlude Music** ..... **Chapel Selections**

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**GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY. THE FAMILY WILL  
REMAIN AT THE CHAPEL TO VISIT WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS.**

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**FINAL RESTING PLACE**

Beaty Cemetery - Lincoln, AR

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Ernest Buddy Carrington, 92, a resident of Lincoln, Arkansas, passed from this life Wednesday, September 18, 2002 at the Westville Nursing Home in Westville, Oklahoma. He was born May 23, 1910 near Lincoln, Arkansas the son of Thadeus and Bertha Green Carrington.

He served in the United States Army in the South Pacific during World War II. He married Iva Dykes in 1948 and lived in Harlingen, Texas until about six years ago when his wife passed away. He returned to Lincoln, Arkansas and lived with his sisters the remainder of his life. He was a lifetime member of the V.F.W..

He was preceded in death by his wife, Iva Dykes Carrington, his parents, two brothers, Earl and Lester Carrington.

Survivors include two sisters, Jessie Watson and Mabel Pearson both of Lincoln, Arkansas, four nieces, Kay Ashworth, Carole Avis, Lynn Carrington and Earlene Copeland. A host of friends will mourn his loss. He was a pleasant person and loved by all.