

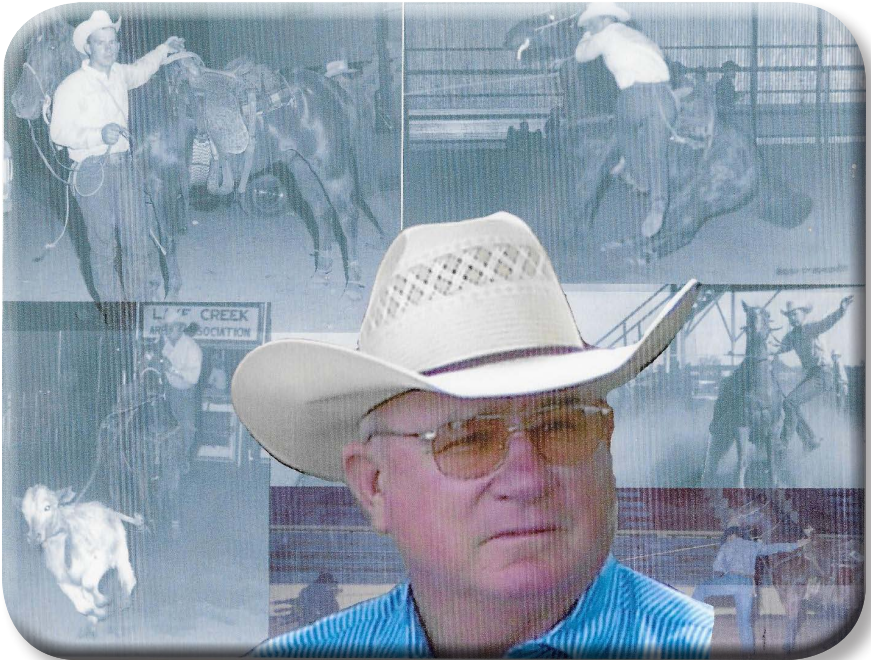


# ALL COWBOY & ARENA CHAMPIONS

## HALL OF FAME



## Larry Guy



My first junior rodeo was in Ft. Worth, Texas in 1958 at the Horseshoe club. I was 15 years old. 'Mike' was the name of the horse I was riding, owned by Judy Ford and he and I won the buckle ! That same year, 1958, I won the ribbon roping in Buffalo Gap, Texas. Judy's sister, Jane ran for me. This same year (1958) I joined the AJRA and won the tie-down roping. I went on to win the roping and all-around titles in 1961 at the AJRA finals held in Sweetwater, Texas.



I then began my amateur and professional rodeo career. In 1965-1969 I won both saddles in the tie-down calf roping and double mugging at the Texas Cowboy Reunion in Stamford, Texas.

I trained and sold numerous horses that went to the National Finals Rodeo under some great cowboys such as : Lee Cockrell, Dean Oliver, Linden Cowden, and Jimmy Light. Jimmy won 'Rookie of the Year' and rode a horse I trained called 'Major' that went on to be horse of the year.

My family started ranching in 1973 and established our home in Abilene, TX. In 1989 I won the Western Heritage Ranch Rodeo in Abilene, Texas.

Mary and I have two children, Tommy and Lari Dee who have won numerous championships. Tommy went to the NFR in 1993. Lari Dee is a nine-time WPRA World Champion and was recently inducted into the Texas Cowboy Hall of Fame. For us, rodeo and ranching has and always will be a way of life.