



Gilbert Wright

Forney, TX

Owner Operator with
Oakley since August 2006

HOPPER
BOTTOM

Gilbert was born and raised in west Texas. He started his trucking career in his mid-20s after another driver got him involved in it. He pulled various trailers including vans, flatbeds, and tanks before eventually finding his home at Oakley Trucking pulling a hopper bottom. Gilbert bought his first truck to lease on here at Oakley, a 2001 Freightliner Century. Gilbert enjoys driving a truck and couldn't see himself doing anything else. When he isn't driving a truck, he enjoys spending time with his family. He also enjoys shooting guns at the range. Gilbert has been happily married for 29 years and has 3 grown children; 2 daughters and a son. He enjoys the relationship that he has with his dispatcher and the people at Oakley. He appreciates the professionalism and likes that he can get home when he wants. When asked about something interesting that he wanted to share about himself, Gilbert was proud to say that he had a good relationship with God. "As a truck driver, it is sometimes hard to have a perfect attendance at church, but church is always within you." We know that there are many choices when it comes to work as an owner operator and we are honored to have Gilbert as part of our Oakley family.

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