



Duane Thomas Nelson

February 14, 1937 - November 30, 2018

Funeral services for Duane Thomas Nelson will be 11:00 a.m. Monday, December 3, 2018, at the Alva First United Methodist Church with Rev. Wade Burlison and Pastor Carol Cook Moore officiating. Interment will be in the Alva Municipal Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

Duane Thomas Nelson, son of the late Thomas and Bessie Iva (Hart) Nelson, was born February 14, 1937, in Woods County, Oklahoma, and passed away November 30, 2018, at Enid, Oklahoma, at the age of 81 years, 9 months, and 17 days.

Duane attended Alva Schools. On October 9, 1965, he was united in marriage to Jeanette Brown in Scranton, North Dakota. They lived in the Alva area where he engaged in farming and ranching. He also sold trailers over a wide area.

He was a member of the Alva First United Methodist Church. Two of Duane's favorite hobbies were auctioneering and flying one of his airplanes.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by one sister, Winona Puffinbarger.

Duane is survived by his wife, Jeanette, of Enid; three children, Douglas Duane Nelson and wife, Sheri, of Enid, Tamra Kay Martin and husband, Terry, of Enid, and JaWayne Hayes and husband, Joe, of Pond Creek; one brother, Forrest Nelson of Alva; 6 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; other relatives and many friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to the Alva United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Alva Municipal Cemetery

Flynn Street
Alva, OK 73717

Previous Events

Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
626 College Avenue
Alva, OK 73717

Tribute Wall



“ *Duane Thomas Nelson*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *Missing you so much dad, Love Tamra*



Tamra Martin - March 14, 2019 at 03:46 PM



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We will miss you Uncle Duane.

Jeanette and family, God's blessing to all of you. You are in our prayers. The Kildahls

Paula Kildahl - December 05, 2018 at 09:54 AM

PK

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Paula Kildahl - December 05, 2018 at 08:55 AM

JN

“ Wow another good one gone. who"s going to feel those shoes? When I bought his house I said Nelson I have to have your table.Because that table has had so many good conversations at it and now it means a lot.Janette im sending you my strength to get you through these tough days. what a wounderful couple to watch the strength of love you two shared,It was nice to watch. ol' windy will be missed lol he was so funny and had such a good heart.Ross has his desk and ill remind ross again lots of cattle and trailer deals were made at it. prayers to the Nelson family.

Jennifer Nixon - December 01, 2018 at 06:29 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Duane Thomas Nelson.



December 01, 2018 at 06:07 PM

RJ

“ When I was in high school in Scranton and staying with Silver and Carol, part of Thanksgiving weekend was to meet at Grandpa and Grandma Browns to watch the Oklahoma-Nebraska football game. Duane and Jeannette were there to cheer on the Sooners and banter back and forth with the rest of the family. Sue and I send our condolences. Roger and Sue Jagim.

Roger Jagim - December 01, 2018 at 05:00 PM

SC

“ Thoughts and prayers to my dear sister and family at this difficult and sad time. Love you all. Shirley and Terry

Shirley Clemmons - December 01, 2018 at 01:00 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Duane Thomas Nelson.



December 01, 2018 at 11:05 AM



“ DT was an awesome man... a true friend.
He will be missed by all who knew him.
My prayers for each one of you.

Raymond Knabe - November 30, 2018 at 08:51 PM