



## Harvey Gene Schuessler

May 1, 1937 - March 17, 2025

Memorial services for Harvey Schuessler will be 3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 22, 2024, at the Zion Lutheran Church with Pastor Timothy Roggow officiating. Burial will be at 2:00 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva. There will be a visitation with family present 5-7 p.m. Friday at Marshall Funeral Home.

Harvey Gene, son of the late Walter and Edna Anna Marie (Rauh) Schuessler, was born May 1, 1937, at Cherokee, Oklahoma, and passed away at his home, peacefully surrounded by his family, March 17, 2025, at the age of 87 years, 10 months, and 16 days.

Harvey was raised in Alva along with his sister and attended the Lutheran School, later graduating from Alva High School. He enlisted in the National Guard and was honorably discharge after serving. He met the love of his life, Shirley Kramer, through Lutheran Walther League and several years later married on December 30, 1960, at Oklahoma City. They soon made their home in Alva where they raised their family. He and Shirley worked at their business Schuessler Insurance and Real Estate which was purchased by his daughter and her husband.

He was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church and served on many boards and other capacities in the church. Harvey was also a member of the Kiwanis

and the Lions Club. He enjoyed skiing, being on the water or the snow, bowling, traveling with family, fishing, and his coffee group at Holders. Harvey also enjoyed farming and tinkering and restoring old machinery and cars. He loved spending time with his kids, grandkids, and great grandkids.

Besides his parents, Walter and Edna, he was preceded in death by his wife of 63 years, Shirley; and brothers-in-law, Don Hughes and Marvin Kramer.

He is survived by his children, Keith Schuessler and his wife, Shari, of Hutchinson, Kansas, Brenda Hood and her husband, Mike, of Alva, and Scott Schuessler and his wife, Christa, of Stillwater; his sister, Ruby Hughes of Aline; eight grandchildren, Brandon Schuessler and his wife, Lindsey, of Assaria, Kansas, Holly Coopriker and her husband, Brent, of Hutchinson, Kansas, Kevin Schuessler of Hutchinson, Kansas, Davis Hood and his wife, Hayley, of Frisco, Texas, Heather Jenkins and her husband, Matthew, of Tulsa, Karsten Schuessler of Oklahoma City, Eric Schuessler of Springfield, Missouri, and Tripp Schuessler of Stillwater.

Also surviving are seven great grandchildren, Kennedy, Lucas, and Savannah Schuessler, Amelia and Thomas Coopriker, and Ava and Hudson Jenkins; a sister-in-law, Dorothy Kramer of Dallas, Texas; other relatives and many friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to the Zion Lutheran Church/Murley Fund.

# Cemetery Details

## Zion Lutheran Cemetery

Alva, OK 73717

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 20.** 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Marshall Funeral Home of Alva  
230 Flynn Street. P.O. Box 804  
Alva, OK 73717  
(580) 327-2311  
<https://www.marshallfuneralhomes.com/>

## Viewing

**MAR 21.** 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Marshall Funeral Home of Alva  
230 Flynn Street. P.O. Box 804  
Alva, OK 73717  
(580) 327-2311  
<https://www.marshallfuneralhomes.com/>

*Family will be present from 5-7pm.*

## Visitation with Family

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MAR **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Marshall Funeral Home of Alva  
230 Flynn Street. P.O. Box 804  
Alva, OK 73717  
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## Burial

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MAR **22**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Cemetery  
Alva, OK 73717

## Memorial Service

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MAR **22**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Church  
218 Maple Street  
Alva, OK 73717

# Tribute Wall



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**Marshall Funeral Homes** - March 22, 2025 at 05:44 PM



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**Marshall Funeral Homes** - March 22, 2025 at 05:44 PM

JS

“ *I have a funny story with Harvey I'll share. I'm not sure where we were maybe the blvrd or Garnets but Harvey hit me in my Lincoln lol It wasn't major damage but can you believe this it wasn't but like the next day I had a check in my hand for damages lol. It was so fast I totally forgot till I was thinking of the family today. What a cool Dude and I'm glad I got to have some laughs with Harvey and Kevin. Heaven definitely is in good hands with Harvey walking in.*



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**Jennifer's Salon** - March 22, 2025 at 05:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.*



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March 21, 2025 at 03:44 PM



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March 21, 2025 at 09:05 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Harvey Gene Schuessler.*

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March 21, 2025 at 09:05 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.*



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March 21, 2025 at 08:34 AM

SR

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of Harvey's family. He will truly be missed. Lots of fond memories.

*Tom and Sherry Ramy*



**Sherry Ramy** - March 21, 2025 at 02:46 AM

AT

“ Audrey T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Harvey Gene Schuessler.

**Audrey T.** - March 20, 2025 at 05:09 PM

LK

“ Love Aunt Dorothy & all her kids purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.



**Love Aunt Dorothy & all her kids** - March 20, 2025 at 10:10 AM

LK

“ Love Aunt Dorothy & all her kids planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Harvey Gene Schuessler.

**Love Aunt Dorothy & all her kids** - March 20, 2025 at 10:10 AM

LA

“ Lee Ann and Ashley purchased the Serene Retre at for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.



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Lee Ann and Ashley - March 19, 2025 at 04:19 PM

LA

“ Lee Ann and Ashley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Harvey Gene Schuessler.

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Lee Ann and Ashley - March 19, 2025 at 04:19 PM

BB

“ Our prayers of comfort for the family



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Bill/Linda Beeler - March 19, 2025 at 10:48 AM

BF

“ BJ & Dina Fox purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.



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BJ & Dina Fox - March 19, 2025 at 10:47 AM

VS

“ *Heartfelt condolences in the passing of Harvey!! Lots of fond memories of his jokes or stories! Never a dull moment in the presence of Harvey! May each of your hearts be warmed by special memories of one so dear to you!!*

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**Vaughna Schmidt** - March 18, 2025 at 09:37 PM

SR

“ *Scott and Christie Riley purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Harvey Gene Schuessler.*



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**Scott and Christie Riley** - March 18, 2025 at 04:51 PM