



Marvin Turner

April 9, 1931 - September 2, 2008

Funeral services for Marvin Leroy Turner will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, September 5, 2008 at the Alva Municipal Cemetery with Brenda Johnson officiating. Interment will be in the Alva Municipal Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

Marvin Leroy Turner, son of the late Glen Kenneth and Jewel Suphronia (Lucas) Turner, was born April 9, 1931, at Bentonville, Arkansas, and passed away September 2, 2008, at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, at the age of 77 years, 4 months, and 23 days.

Marvin attended Miller Rural School near Bentonville, Arkansas. He served in the United States Army and served in Korea during the Korean Conflict. After his discharge from the service, he worked as a long haul trucker, traveling from coast to coast and into Canada.

On May 19, 1962, he was united in marriage to Beverly Joyce Smith in Cimarron, Kansas. They made their home in Lyons, Kansas, where he worked as a carpenter until his retirement. In 1998, they moved to their present home in Alva, Oklahoma. It was there where Marvin became a grandfather of three beautiful girls who called him "Papa." They were the greatest joy in his life.

Marvin was baptized into the Baptist Church. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was an avid fisherman and also enjoyed hunting.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Don Turner and Billy Turner; and two sisters, Glenda Faye Duntz and Ruby Parrish.

Marvin is survived by his wife, Beverly, of Alva; one daughter, Marlene Joyce Swenn and husband, Terry, of Alva; one sister, Barbara Simpson of Pea Ridge, Arkansas; three grandchildren, Emily Rose Swenn, Lacie Lyn Swenn, and Julie Ann Swenn, all of Alva; other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation for kidney disease research.

Tribute Wall



“ *Marvin Turner*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *Marlene & Terry, So sorry to hear about the loss of your father. I (Julie) didn't know him but I have waited on Bev at the cable office many times. May God heal your broken hearts.*

Trooper Jimmy & Julie (Davison) Helm - September 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Marlene, Terry, Emily, Lacie and Julie, We are very sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers.*

Vaughn and Kim Rader - September 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Beverly, Marlene, Terry, Emily, Lacie and Julie--Our sympathy and prayers are with all of you in your family's loss. It must be a comfort that your wonderful family and precious daughters, Terry and Marlene, brought their Papa many happy times during his life at Alva. God bless all of you, Dick and Sharon Andrews and Mrs. Lancaster*

Dick and Sharon Andrews - September 04, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Beverly, Marlene, Emily, Laci, and Julie, I&m sorry for your loss and hope all is well. If you need anything please let me know. I love all of you very much and Marvin was very blessed to have each and everyone of you in his life. Love You Lots....Vincent, Darwin and Tiffany

Tiffany Murillo - September 04, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Dear Bev, Marlene, Terry, Emmy, Lacy, and Julie Ann we are sorry for your loss, but Papa feels no pain now and he is well. Know that he loved you and you have the memories to last you a lifetime. May you know we will remember you.

Bill and Linda Beeler - September 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bev & Family,
It was a pleasure to be a friend,and caregiver to marvin.He was always a very friendly,and nice person.
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PEEWEE SMITH - September 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM