



James. E. Tiny Day

August 17, 1929 - June 21, 2014

James E. "Tiny" Day, a resident of Sulphur was born August 17, 1929 in Elgin, Oklahoma t

to Leonard B. & Dulcie Z.(Autry) Day, one of eight children. Tiny went to be with the Lord, Saturday June 21, 2014, surrounded by loved ones, at the age of 84 years 10 months and 4 days. The Day family moved to the Nebo area when he was a young man. He served in the Korean War with the 45th Infantry. He married the love of his life, Mary Nell (Price) Day on June 15, 1952 at Sulphur, Oklahoma. They had four children: Jim Judy, Tony & Brian. Tiny worked at many occupations including owning a cafe in Sulphur Tiny retired from the

Sulphur Police Department after 22 years and from the Sulphur fire Department after 22 years. After retirement he worked for the Chickasaw National Recreation Service. Throughout his life,

he worked as a ranch hand and handy man when he had time. He was well known for his large vegetable garden which many benefited from each year. Tiny loved to spend time with family and friends especially hunting and fishing. He was an avid "Bulldog Fan" supporting all Bulldog teams for years. He was a member of the 1st Free Will Baptist Church and the American Legion Post. Tiny was a devoted husband, loving father, caring yet spoiling grandfather and great-grandfather and generous and loyal friend. He made a difference in the lived of many.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his siblings & their spouses: Troy &

Clara Day, Bill Day, Linnie Mae (Day) Sanders, Johnny & Ruby Day, Joe Day, Loraine (Day) & Garvin Sneed, granddaughter: Katy Elizabeth Day .

Survived by his wife: Mary Nell Day of Sulphur,OK

Son & daughter-in-law: Jim & Carleena Day of Sulphur,OK

Daughter & son-in-law: Judy & Bill Ayers of Sulphur,OK.

Son & daughter-in-law: Brian & JoAnn Day of Sulphur,OK.

Son & daughter-in-law: Tony & Donna Day of Plano, TX.

Grandchildren & spouses: Jamie Day Bouton & Lee of Sulphur,OK

Heather (Ayers) McMurrain & Wyatt of Davis, OK Mary Elaine Day of Plano,

TX. Brookelyn Day, Madiecyn Day and Correbin Day all of Sulphur,OK

Great grandchildren: Dayne & Laynie Bradley, Dayton Bouton all of

Sulphur,OK; and Jakob & Makenzie Steury &, another on the way of Davis, Ok;

Services will be held Wednesday June 25, 2014 at 10:00 am at First Free Will Baptist Church officiated by Rev. Dick Terry and Larry Hobbs. Burial will be at Oaklawn Cemetery under the direction of DeArman's Clagg Funeral Home Pallbearers will be Gary Laxton, Tracy Laxton, Gary Tingle, Joey Muck, Donnie Ramer,

David Shores, Jerry Payne, and Jim Nye

Honorary Bearers: Perry Allen, Ed Samples, Bob Seward, Toby Todd, Roy Rogers,

Dewayne Leming, Jerry Ramer, Larry Hobbs, Roy Provence, Allen McKay, Butch Hill,

Clyde Runyan, Ronnie Pierce, Tom Payne, Charlie Tingle, Jim Freeman, the remaining members of the 45th Infantry, the Sulphur Fire Department, the Sulphur Police Department.

Tribute Wall



“ *James. E. Tiny Day*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *Never forget the good things that my dad told me about you. Rest In Peace. Our prayers are with your family.*

Christy - July 01, 2014 at 11:28 PM



“ *When my husband was in the Air Force and stationed over by Ardmore he used to drive to Sulphur almost every night. In 1955 he drove way too fast and loved to peel out in his 1952 Ford. He got acquainted with Tiny and I believe even rode around with him a few times. One night Tiny pulled him over and said "Towers, I told you, and told you and I'm not going to tell you anymore. Next time it'll be a ticket!!!!" Myron thought highly of him. So sorry for your loss. Nina Towers*

Nina Towers - June 26, 2014 at 05:25 PM



“ *TAMMY OXLEY lit a candle in memory of James. E. Tiny Day*



TAMMY OXLEY - June 26, 2014 at 12:40 AM

DB

“ Tiny - you were a very important friend to the "O'Gwin" family and I thank you for that. You and my Dad had a lot of good times especially during your time on the police department. One of my favorite memories of Tiny is when my Mom called the dept. for Tiny to come to our house because I had my hand up in the recliner trying to get my Mom's crochet hook out and the hook became lodged in my thumb and the needle was stuck in the chair. Here comes Tiny with lights and sirens on!!! Thank goodness he was able to get it out. I'm sure he was teasing me quite mercifully about cutting my thumb off or something - lol. Tiny, thanks for all your support for my Dad when he was in the Veteran's Center and being his pallbearer....you were a special friend. I know you 2 are having an awesome reunion....



Dena Ball - June 24, 2014 at 08:22 PM

BH

“ Tiny was my mentor when I was a teenager and worked at Paul Reed Ford after school and summers during '54-'56. He taught me how to service cars, change tires, grease, wash, and drive/work the wrecker. I even went with him to repo a car or two. Later, when he was with the police dept., I think he looked the other way from some of my bad driving (speeding) habits.

Tiny was great guy, I owe him a lot.
Bill Halpain

Bill Halpain - June 24, 2014 at 04:43 PM

JM

“ Such a nice neighbor and family. Judy and I were friends and I loved visiting their home. Prayers to your family.
Julie (Householder) Morris

Julie Morris - June 24, 2014 at 12:15 PM

JM

“ *Julie Morris lit a candle in memory of James.
E. Tiny Day*



Julie Morris - June 24, 2014 at 12:13 PM



“ *To the Family of Tiny Day:*

I pray that god give you comfort and strength knowing that Tiny is with our lord. In the coming days I pray you find peace and understanding. Tiny worked with, and was friends with my father Doyle Eaves. I know they are up there together swapping stories.

Peace, love, and comfort from the Hernandez Family

Sara Hernandez - June 24, 2014 at 11:53 AM

CG

“ *Tiny was an important part of the city of Sulphur. He will be remembered for many years*

Charlene Howe Gilliam - June 24, 2014 at 08:46 AM