



Marvin Lee Russell

September 6, 1931 - June 16, 2023

Marvin Lee Russell passed away June 16, 2023. He was born September 6, 1931 to Mary Mabel Foster and Millard Lee Russell in Stratford, Oklahoma. Marvin grew up in Stratford helping his parents on the farm, working cattle, especially enjoying hunting and fishing. He married Velma Ruth Lowe also from Stratford. Their wedding was in Stratford in 1953. They moved to Oklahoma City where he worked for the Oklahoma City Parks Department for over 20 years. Ruth and Marvin had a daughter and a son during this time. In 1977, they built a house on land they bought years before to raise cattle they already had. He could fix anything and built a barn, shed, and loading chutes, and installed fences while employed at Stratford Schools as Maintenance Man for around 20 years, until he retired. Ruth died September 23, 2000. Marvin continued going to Christian Life Church and often went to Byars for lunch at the Senior Citizen Center. May of 2014 Marvin moved to Oklahoma City to be closer to his children.

Marvin was preceded in death by his parents, his wife and big brother, Calvin Ray Russell and nephews Ray and Brian Russell.

Marvin is survived by daughter Marvinna LaPointe and husband Marty from Oklahoma City; one son, Randy and wife Lana from Guthrie; grandchildren, Erin Ellis and husband Tony from Piedmont; Angela Calvert and husband Kevin from Stillwater; Heather Edwards and husband Brad from Edmond. He also leaves six great grandchildren; Shelby and Kennedy Ellis, Ella and Madelyn Calvert and Isaac and Natalie Edwards.

Loved by many, Marvin will always be remembered for his kindness and sweet smile.

Services; 10:00 AM Thursday June 22, 2023 Graveside at McGee cemetery Stratford, Oklahoma.

Visitation; Wednesday 4-7:00 P.M.

Cemetery Details

McGee Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Marvin Lee Russell*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *Juanita Matthews lit a candle in memory of Marvin Lee Russell*



Juanita Matthews - June 28, 2023 at 08:53 PM



“ *I worked at the Stratford HS 1981-87 and I have good memories of Marvin. He was a very quiet man and seemed very nice.*

Connie Atzbach - June 23, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *So sorry y0ur loss I am Mary Rogers from Byars senior citizens I have good memories of your dad we really have great memories.*

Mary Rogers - June 21, 2023 at 12:12 PM