



Raymond V. 'Ray' Rowe

March 18, 1930 - July 2, 2018

Funeral Services for Mr. Raymond V. "Ray" Rowe, 88, of Tishomingo, Oklahoma will be held on Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at 1:00 p. m. at the First Assembly of God Church with Mr. Dustin Rowe officiating, assisted by Pastor Cordell Hines. Interment will follow in the Tishomingo Cemetery. Mr. Rowe passed away on July 1, 2018 at the Mercy Hospital in Tishomingo. Ray was born on March 18, 1930 in Mill Creek, Oklahoma to Leslie Floyd Rowe and Jewel (Jarman) Rowe. After his schooling, he moved to Washington State where he worked as a purchasing agent for Jones Construction Company, in the business of building dams. He later owned and operated a Mining Supply Company in Vancouver, British Columbia. Ray met and married Frances L. "Pinky" Hughes on November 22, 1947 in Prosser, Washington. They moved to Tishomingo in 1969 and purchased the Dairy Queen which they operated for 42 years. He was also a member of The First Assembly of God Church. Ray was preceded in death by his parents; his wife on January 13, 2017; and three brothers, Oman, Lee and Leslie. He is survived by his son, Ray Rowe and wife Brenda and his daughter, Cindy McIver and husband Mike all of Tishomingo; four grandchildren, Christopher Rowe of Huntsville, Texas, Carrie McCormick and husband Jeff of Everett, Washington, Dustin Rowe and wife Nicole and Natasha Gray and husband Jason all of Tishomingo; three sisters, Theda Lenn of Fountain, Colorado, Shirley Menard of Yakima, Washington and Christine Hall of Amarillo, Texas; other relatives and many, many, young people who are now adults that worked for him at the Dairy Queen over the

years.

Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond V. 'Ray' Rowe*

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“ *Ray was and always will be one of the greatest men I have ever know. There was so many people that he help and the kids that he gave jobs to is way to many to list, You will always have a place in my heart Ray.*

BRENDA BLUE - July 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your family's loss. Ray was such a great man & I am so honored to have gotten to meet him. He was a great boss, not to mention, dad & papa too! I know he is now rejoicing in heaven & reunited with the love of his life...Mrs. Pinky. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Stacy Linder - July 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM