



Tommy Dean Tisdell

June 16, 1951 - March 14, 2019

Funeral Services to honor and celebrate the life of Tommy Dean Tisdell will be held at 2:00 P.M. Monday, March 18th at DeArman-Clark Funeral Home Chapel. Interment to follow at Troy Cemetery.

Family and friends hour will be held Sunday from 2:00 - 5:00 P.M.

Tommy Dean Tisdell age, 67 passed away on March 14, 2019 in the comfort of his own home in Reagan, OK. Tommy was born on June 6, 1951 in Tishomingo, OK to the parents of Woodrow and Oweta (Miller) Tisdell. At birth Tommy's mother had passed on and he spent his years being raised by his aunt and uncle; Bunt & Myrtle Tisdell. Tommy married the love of his life, Patricia Ann McSwain on May 6, 1971 in Tishomingo, OK. The two lived in Harrah for 37 years of their married life until his retirement in 2013 where they came back to where he was born and raised. He worked for 22 years as a welder for Tinker Air Force Base. Tommy was the jack of all trades and he enjoyed working on his tractors and piddling around with anything he could get his hands into. Some of his favorite memories are those he shares with his grandchildren that he adored and also the jam sessions he would have with his good friends. Tommy loved good, strong coffee and wouldn't let anyone leave the house without a bottle of water; even if they didn't want one. He was a caring, kind and loving man who loved his family with all his heart and will be deeply missed.

Tommy is preceded in death by his parents, Woodrow and Oweta Tisdell; three sisters, June, Joan and Kay.

Those he leaves to cherish his memories are his wife, Patricia Ann Tisdell; two sons, Brian Tisdell and wife, Nicole, Kevin Tisdell; grandchildren, Cody, Joshua, Lindsey, Thomas; great-grandchild, Zaylee; two brothers, Clifford and James; sister, Ruth and a host of other family and friends.

Services are under the direction of DeArman-Clark Funeral Home Tishomingo. Please send online condolences to www.dearmanfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Troy Cemetery

Troy, OK

Previous Events

Family & Friends

MAR 17. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Tommy Dean Tisdell

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ Enjoyed getting to know this sweet man while he was attending Blue Baptist Church. He always had a smile and a kind hello. He will be missed.

Stacy Linder - March 21, 2019 at 09:02 AM



“ Tommy married my sister when I was just 7 years old. He was more of a brother than brother-in-law. That is basically a life time. A little piece of our hearts go to heaven with him.

Guyla Harr - March 17, 2019 at 03:14 PM

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“ Tommy and I spent many days fishing Pennington Creek and the hatchery raceway. We caught so many perch - Bunt would come pick us up and Mutt (Myrtle Hazel) would clean and fry them for us. We caught grasshoppers for bait and when we ran out we would cut one of the perch up and use the guts for bait. Whatever worked. On Saturday night Bunt would take us to the movies in Tish and patiently wait for us. Never once heard a grip or complaint. Nothing like sitting on the side of a road in Reagan, Ok, on a cement culvert with a little water running under it and some perch, to make the happiest memories of a lifetime. Can't forget our Pepsi and peanuts and hamburgers at Hazel's store. We use to sit up there and talk to Olen when we weren't fishing - or were hungry. Last time we were together we talked about this and fishing with Bobby Dean. You two were my best fishing buddies and I will always love you. Bobby Dean, Tommy Dean and Carlene - see you later

Carlene Miller Ainsworth - March 17, 2019 at 01:22 PM

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My grandmother Minnie Scott took care of Tommy the very first evening, and night he was born . Some of the neighbors took turns caring for him the first few days. I can still picture him in his little baby bassinet, and peeking in to look at him. I was disappointed when he left to go to the next neighbors home. I was 6. I walked down to see if June and Joan could play not long before Tommy was born. They wanted to play but their mom told me no, they need to help me with work. I think that's the last time I saw her. Joan and my brother Larry Cornelius were in the same grade. They were one year ahead of June and me in school. I was a year younger than all three of them. At the pie suppers, Pete and I would trade slices of pie every year. I wanted a piece of his bakery made Apricot pie, and he wanted a slice of my grandmother's homemade chocolate cream pie. LOL. My sincere and heartfelt condolences go out to all of Tommy's family, and friends. I know he will be missed so very much. 💔

Sandra Cornelius - March 18, 2019 at 08:59 PM



“ 22 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



DeArman Funeral Home - March 17, 2019 at 12:41 PM



“ *Thanks for tolerating the four Upton children when you were a teenager. I always got my way when you kept us. Life was a blast on the ranch!*

Donna Upton - March 16, 2019 at 07:29 PM