



## Art Sanders

February 6, 1940 - December 30, 2022

Pearl Arthur “Art” Sanders, age 82, passed away at home surrounded by his loved ones on December 30, 2022.

Born in Muskogee County, OK, on Feb. 6, 1940, to Benny Richard Sanders and Lola Mae Travis-Sanders, Art was the oldest of seven children. He dedicated 40 proud years to Oklahoma Rig & Supply (“The Rig”), where he met and fell in love with his future wife, Vickie. However, Art didn't live to work; he worked to live. Art was an avid fisherman, a gardener, and he could build or fix anything. He enjoyed hunting, golfing, bowling, and rooting for the OU Sooners. Most of all, he loved his family.

Art was preceded in death by his parents; brothers Bill, John, and Mike Sanders; sisters Louise Willhite and Ramona Loud; son Jeffrey Ream; and former wife and mother of his children, Myrna Sanders Stretch.

He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Vickie (Dudley) Sanders; brother Patrick Sanders & wife Donna; sister-in-law Charlene Roland; children, Billy & Karen Sanders, Pearl Jr. & Lea Sanders, Cheryl & Rick Purdin, Diane & Kelly Beach, Willie & Julie Knox, and Tim Smith-Redding. He was a proud Pepa to 14 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren, “Uncle Pearl” to many nieces and nephews, and a beloved relative and friend to many.

A memorial service will be held on January 14, 2023, at 10 a.m. in the chapel at Cornerstone Funeral Home in Muskogee Oklahoma.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JAN 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel  
1830 N. York St.  
Muskogee, OK 74403

# Tribute Wall



“ *Art Sanders*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



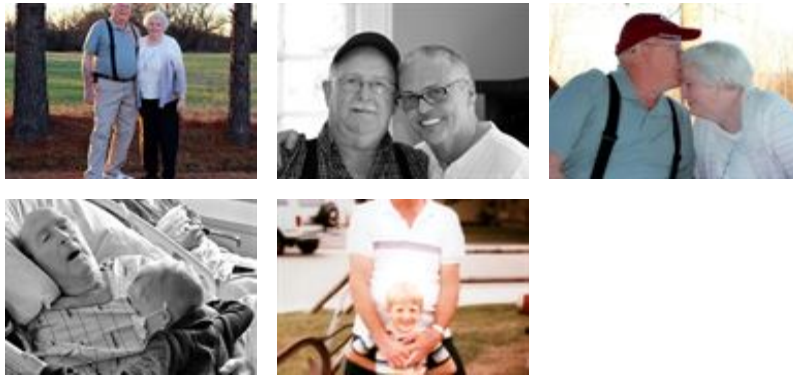
“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Art Sanders.*



January 13, 2023 at 03:11 PM



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Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - January 11, 2023 at 01:11 PM



“ *Thinking of your family during this difficult time.*

John and Gayla Lindsay - January 09, 2023 at 09:04 PM



*Thank you very much*

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**Billy Sanders** - January 10, 2023 at 10:32 AM

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“ *Billy and J.R.  
I'm so sorry for your loss. Your Dad was a good man and I have  
many great memories of him.  
Joe Owen*

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**Joe Owen** - January 04, 2023 at 05:29 PM



*Thank you Joe. Dad thought a lot of you as well!*

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**Billy Sanders** - January 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM