



## Dale H. Garrigues Jr.

March 29, 1946 - January 10, 2021

Dale Holcomb Garrigues, Jr., 74 of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away on January 10, 2021 with his family by his side. Dale was born on March 29, 1946 in Baltimore, Maryland and lived in Long Beach, California where he met his wife Sherry. In 1977 Dale and his family moved to Oklahoma. He was a barber for 52 years, 42 of those years in Muskogee, Oklahoma where he met and befriended the citizens of Muskogee. Dale loved fishing, and fished all over the country, but loved bass fishing in Oklahoma the most. He volunteered at the Muskogee Community Foodbank and found great joy in helping others. He attended church at the First Community Church of Oktaha where he loved helping the fall carnival with candy.

Dale was preceded in death by his parents, Dale and Elizabeth Garrigues; wife, Sherry Garrigues; sister Carol Craddock; Uncle Fred Blockston; and Aunt Virginia Albrent

He is survived by brother, Kent Garrigues and wife Patricia; sister, Nancy Miller and husband Tom; daughter, Tina Coleman and husband Rodney; son, Dale "Tony" Garrigues; and daughter, Tara Lindsey and husband Greg; grandchildren, Chris Coleman and wife Kaycee, Beth Reese and husband Chris, Sarah Stewart and husband Blake, Nathan Coleman and wife Gabrielea, Ian Lindsey, and Nora Lindsey; great-grandchildren, Logan Coleman, Benjamin Reese, Sophia Coleman, Noelle Coleman, Evelyn Reese and Preston Reese.

Dale's family have suggested that in lieu of flowers, a donation be made to the

Muskogee Community Foodbank, 601 E Broadway St, Muskogee, Oklahoma.  
A family conducted memorial service will be held at First Community Church  
of Oktaha on Saturday, January 16, 2021 at 2pm with Ron Lindsey officiating.  
Seating is limited and masks are encouraged.

# Previous Events

## Family conducted memorial service

JAN 16. 2:00 PM (CT)

Oktaha First Community Church  
Oktaha, OK 74450

# Tribute Wall



“ Dale H. Garrigues Jr.

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ Don And Thomas Lewis lit a candle in memory of Dale H. Garrigues Jr.



Don and Thomas Lewis - April 01, 2021 at 04:57 PM



“ I'm writing this for my dad Sammy Henry.... Dale was one of my best friends. He and Larry's business was close to mine for over 30 years. We enjoyed seeing Dale at the Rougher football games. Dale was one of a kind. He made you laugh, cry and be anything that he wanted you to be. He cut my hair for over 40 years. I loved him to pieces and will miss him dearly. Our relationship was like we were brothers.

God bless you my friend,  
Sammy Henry

Brandy Henry Howard - January 15, 2021 at 04:26 PM



“ I will miss talking fishing with my friend. Dale was such a great guy and I will cherish the time we had together.

Zach Albritton - January 15, 2021 at 11:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dale H. Garrigues Jr..*



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January 15, 2021 at 11:42 AM



“ *Dale was. Great guy I'm in shock he was my barber for 45 years He came to all the Hilldale games and was one of my greatest supporters when I coached. I will miss his smile and his conversation. RIP.*

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**Mike Daniels** - January 14, 2021 at 08:21 PM



“ *He will be missed by many, Dale was my barber about 40 years. We shared a lot of stories some serious some not so much. Dale had a lot of surgeries over our friendship. He seemed to sail right through. I know that wasn't so easy. I found a friend in Dale and will, as many, miss him. Bless his family at this time  
Jerry Oman*

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**Jerry Oman** - January 14, 2021 at 11:42 AM



“ *Loved this man he cut my hair for 40years we would take trips together he was a very nice person and a little onery he fit with me just right and will truly be missed*

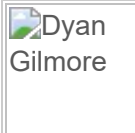
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**Mike lee** - January 14, 2021 at 10:51 AM



“ Dale cut my grandfather's and my father's hair and he was my first barber as a boy. Four years ago when my son turned two we were so proud to have Dale be the first to cut his hair. He will be missed by four generations in our family.

William Elder - January 14, 2021 at 08:43 AM



“ I use to get my hair cut when Larry & dale was over in Curtis mall. Than when they moved into A-1 my dad and bother and nephews got there cut from him. Than years later my hubby went to him many times. Dale was always nice and loved to talk. He often talked About His vacation and fishing and family. You sir will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family !!! It's just so sad

Dyan Gilmore - January 14, 2021 at 01:48 AM



“ Stacy Dunn lit a candle in memory of Dale H. Garrigues Jr.



Stacy Dunn - January 13, 2021 at 10:26 PM



“ Pennie S Green lit a candle in memory of Dale H. Garrigues Jr.



Pennie S Green - January 13, 2021 at 03:24 PM

PG

“ I'm in shock !!!! Dale was the best and funny as can be, he will be missed for sure.....

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**Pennie Green** - January 13, 2021 at 03:22 PM

SB

“ Dale cut my hair so many times I can not count. Started with him when he came to Muskogee. As time went by we had a good friendship and alot of laughs. Words will not tell how much I will miss him. Rest in peace old friend. We will see you on the other side and laugh.

SA BRADLEY

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**SAM BRADLEY** - January 13, 2021 at 11:30 AM

KB

“ Dale has been my friend as well as my barber for well over 40 years starting at Curt's Mall and ending at A-1 Family Haircutters. One could not meet a more kind and compassionate individual. Sue Ann and I have shared many haircuts, evening dinners and memories with this kind man and soul. Our last outing to dinner in December took us on a detour to see the Christmas lights in Broken Arrow and by one of Dale's long time customers in Coweta. He was so happy and truly enjoyed this last holiday season with us! I am going to miss my friend but rejoice in knowing he will be waiting for us when our time comes at Heavens Gates to show us around and see the wonderful sites that Jesus has prepared for us! Much love my friend!

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**Keith and Sue Ann Bishop** - January 12, 2021 at 11:36 PM

SA

“ Sam lit a candle in memory of Dale H. Garrigues Jr.



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**Sam** - January 12, 2021 at 07:07 PM

BL

“ What a great man the lord has called home. Dale gave me my 1st flattop in December 1990 right before leaving for Desert Storm and has cut my hair every since giving me my last haircut on December 24th 2021. I will always remember and cherish our fishing trips together as well as what a great listener you were my friend. You will be greatly missed until we see you again.



*Bobby*

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**Bobby Lee** - January 12, 2021 at 07:00 PM

JR

“ Dale was my barber for the last 32 years. I looked forward to my appointments. He had a great personality and always had a joke. We told a lot of stories and laughed a lot though the years in that barber shop. I'll miss my good friend...Jack.

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**Jack Reeder** - January 12, 2021 at 05:40 PM

BW

“ My cousin Dale was a great family man who had friends all over. I always loved his dry sense of humor and kindness. He has left us much too soon and I will miss him.....Rest in peace, Sweetheart.

*Beverly Wilcoxon and Johnnye Guerra*

**Beverly Wilcoxon** - January 12, 2021 at 05:19 PM

AM

*Awe I was his wife's cousin but I grew up spending many nights and summers with him and his family. Dale always took us to movies and ball games and water skiing. I have lots of great memories growing with . Thank you Dale very much.Rest in peace.*

**Amy Guerr Metz** - May 21, 2021 at 10:36 AM

LC

“ Dale & I first started working together in 1965 in long Beach California. Seems like where ever one us worked the other would follow. We we're both like bad pennies, just kept turning up. We we're life long friends & business partners. I'm sure gonna miss my little buddy as I know most of his friends will. Fair winds my friend and I'll see you on the other side but for now, my heart is so broken. ... Larry.

**Larry Chapman** - January 12, 2021 at 01:35 PM

DR

“ I first met Dale at the shop in Curt's mall when I married into the Robinson family. He cut our whole family's hair for many years. In fact I think he gave Joey and Brett their first haircuts❤️ Such a nice guy, never saw him in a bad mood!! Dale will be greatly missed.

**Diane Robinson** - January 12, 2021 at 12:17 PM

KD

“ I've known Dale since he and Larry opened up the hair salon in the old curt's mall. I have fished with Dale a few times having a lot of fun. He was certainly dedicated to his fishing back then. My dad and Dale teamed up with a group called fishing pals where they would take the grandkids fishing. We went to several of the weigh ins and shared a lot of fellow ship. Sure have a lot of great memories of those times.

*Sure going to miss Dale, He was a good man*

*RIP my Friend  
Keith*

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**Keith and Lori Dillard** - January 12, 2021 at 10:50 AM