



Don McMahan

September 24, 1940 - August 17, 2015

Donald Lee McMahan, 74, of Fort Gibson, Oklahoma passed away peacefully on Monday, August 17, 2015 in Muskogee, Oklahoma with his family by his side. He was born September 24, 1940 in Tecumseh, Oklahoma to Ben H McMahan and Clemmie Elrod McMahan. Don graduated from Fort Gibson High School with the class of 1958.

He married the love of his life and best friend, Patricia L Ridenour, on May 22, 1964 in Muskogee, Oklahoma. They shared more than 51 years of life and marriage together.

Don worked for Coburn Optical Manufacturing as an Assembly Supervisor and retired after many years of service.

He enjoyed going to flea markets and collecting tools but he loved nothing more than spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. It was music to his ears when he heard the word, "Pops".

Don attended Eastside Church of Christ and later attended Chandler Road Church of Christ until his health would not allow.

Don was loved by many and will be truly missed.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ben and Clemmie McMahan; sisters, Virginia Hyden and Bettie Chitwood; and brother, Hubert McMahan.

Don is survived by his wife, Patricia, of the home; son, Charlie McMahan and wife Jamie of Okay, OK; daughter, Cindy McMahan of Muskogee; grandchildren, Karleigh and Kaden McMahan; brothers, Ben McMahan and wife Mary, Larry McMahan and wife Elizabeth, all of Wagoner; many nieces,

nephews, other family members and friends.

The family requests donations be made to the The Gospel of Christ, PO Box 788, McMinnville, TN, 37111.

Funeral services honoring Don's life will be 10:00 a.m., Friday, August 21, 2015 at Chandler Road Church of Christ with Minister Donnie Branscum officiating. Interment will follow at Citizens Cemetery in Fort Gibson with Rick Chitwood, Zane Box, Dwayne Venable, Neal Hill, James McMahan, and Mike Daniels serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be Jim Hancock, Bob Goodpasture, Tony Nichols, Allen Hutchins, and Eddie Jones.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **20.** 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home & Crematory
1830 North York Street
Muskogee, OK 74403
(918) 682-1500

Service

AUG **21.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Chandler Road Church Of Christ
3507 Chandler Rd.
Muskogee, OK 74403

Tribute Wall



“ *Don McMahan*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Pat,*
We are so sorry to hear about your loss of Don, our prayers and thoughts are with you for your comfort in this loss. Don was a wonderful Christian man and he is now in a better place and in no pain.
Carolyn and Ed Scott

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“ *Dear Pat and family of Don McMahan,*
You may have received an unfinished note of sympathy from me through this tribute site, because I was writing one and then it disappeared.
Whether or not you did, I will once again offer my heartfelt sympathy, and may God bless you with all the endearing memories that your hearts will always treasure.
Psalm 18:2
Dolores and children of Bill McMahan - Sharilyn, Audri and Walter

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