



Donald R Burris

January 10, 1938 - June 22, 2015

Donald Ray Burris, 77, of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away Monday, June 22, 2015. He was born January 10, 1938 to John and Bernice Burris in Claremore, Oklahoma. He attended Jones Academy in Hartshorne, Oklahoma. Joe as he was known to everyone that knew him, served in the National Guard for about five years.

He was a roofer (also known as a 'rainwater control technician') for Ed Marshall Roofing Co. of Leonard, Oklahoma for several years and then Brown Root Construction Co. in Houston, Texas for 6-8 years. He then worked with his brother Charles until his retirement in 2003.

Joe loved riding horses, fishing and moonshine. One of his most favorite things to do was sitting under a shade tree talking to his family and his friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Bernice (Carney) Burris; 3 brothers, Huck, Kirk, and Forbus; 2 sisters, Christine Boone and Shirley Holt. Joe is survived by his daughter, Deana Stovall and husband Bill of Hartshorne, OK; brothers, T.J. "Jack" Burris of Grants Pass, OR, "Blue" James Burris and wife Jeannie of Grants Pass, OR, and Charles "Bob" Burris of Haskell, OK; sisters, Melba Vaughan of Searcy, AR, and Helen Willis of Temple, TX, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other family members and friends.

A celebration of Joe's life will be by 11:00 A.M., Saturday, June 27, 2015 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Tom Shelton officiating. Honorary pallbearers will be David Umstead, Speedy McCullough, Edward

Burris, Charlie Brown Burris, Melba Vaughan and Helen Willis.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



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