



Harvel D. "Wayne" Howe

February 11, 1931 - March 11, 2014

Harvel Dewain "Wayne" Howe, 83, of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away Tuesday, March 11, 2014 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Wayne was born on February 11, 1931 in Tahlequah, Oklahoma to Elza Howe and Eunice Martin Howe. His younger years were spent in Tahlequah and later moved with his family to Arizona. Wayne was very proud to serve his country joining the United State Air Force. He would later receive an Honorable discharge.

He met and later married his best friend, Elizabeth Kay Stevens on June 25, 1977 in Muskogee, Oklahoma. They celebrated over 36 years of marriage. Wayne worked for Acme Engineering from which he retired in 1993 after 20 years of service. He enjoyed going to the lake and being a table caller for the Creek Nation Senior Citizens Center. He was quite the chef, "The Bomb", as he was known, as his specialty was making deer chili and deer jerky. Wayne was also known as "Copperhead" as his CB handle. Wayne's greatest joy came from being husband, father, and grandfather and spending time with everyone at big family gatherings.

He will be truly missed by all who knew him.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his son, Patrick Howe; his brothers, Roy and Calvin; his sister, Betty Howe; and his in-laws, John and Goldie Stevens.

Wayne is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Kay, of the home; his daughter, Marqueta "Patches" Goad; his sons, Tommy W Howe, John C Howe and wife Andrea, all of Muskogee, J Michael Howe of Tucson, AZ, and L. Dewaine

Howe of Tucson, AZ; his grandchildren, Jason Goad, Stephanie Kemp, Colt Howe, Judy Howe, Kobe Howe, and Kayden Howe; his great grandchildren, Gunner Kemp, Jacee Goad, Boone Goad, Gabby Kemp, Colton Howe, Dewayne Howe, Derrick Howe, and Adrick Howe; his sisters, Patricia Axtell and husband, Robbie, Linda Courtney, all of Stillwater, Geneviene O'Brien of Buckeye, AZ, and Pauline Hubb of Mitchell, NE; his brothers, Joe Howe of Buckeye, AZ and Johnnie Howe and wife Donna of Wister, OK; many other family members and friends.

Funeral services celebrating Wayne's life will be 10:30 am, Monday, March 17, 2014 at Christian Chapel with Rev. Conrad Barrett officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhill Cemetery with Jason Goad, Bobby Kemp, Layne Polzin, Scotty Goodman, Jay Goodman, and Harold Goodman serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be his grandsons, Kobe Howe, Kayden Howe, Gunner Kemp, Colt Howe, Boone Goad; his son-in-law, Gerald "Bub" Goad; and his brother-in-law, Robbie Axtell.

Cemetery Details

Greenhill Cemetery

1500 N. York Street
Muskogee, OK 74403

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

MAR 14. 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM (CT)

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Visitation

MAR 15. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

MAR 16. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Service

MAR 17. 10:30 AM (CT)

Christian Chapel Church
4043 Chandler Rd.
Muskogee, OK 74403

Tribute Wall



“ *Harvel D. "Wayne" Howe*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Thoughts, condolences and many prayers to all the family. Heaven inherited a wonderful angel. J Young*

J young - March 17, 2014 at 10:07 PM



“ *A man of true grit and few words. Loved by all who knew him. You will be greatly missed daddy. I will see you again on day.....*

Patches - March 16, 2014 at 10:37 AM



Wayne Howe Family
Wayne was a good friend, co worker, boss, all around good person. He will be missed by all who knew him. My God bless your family in this time of sorrow.
Bob Brossett & Family

Bob brossett - March 16, 2014 at 05:33 PM