



## Richard J. Owens Jr.

September 16, 1962 - January 2, 2020

Richard James Owens, Jr., 57 of Porum, entered Heaven's gates on Thursday, January 2, 2020. He was born on September 16, 1962, in Louisiana, Missouri to Richard J. and Lee E. (Chandler) Owens. He grew up and attended schools in Missouri before moving to Marianna, Arkansas when he was in the 5th grade.

After high school, he enlisted with the United States Army and served his country proudly. After his Honorable Discharge, he served in the Army National Guard, also receiving an Honorable Discharge. He then furthered his education and attended Indian Capital Technology Center in Muskogee and studied welding and diesel mechanics. Richard's professional career was with American Foundry in Muskogee. He worked there over 25 years.

On his birthday, September 16, 1989, he and Angela Lynn "Angel" Martin, were married in Porum, Oklahoma. Together they have shared over 30 years of life and marriage. His hobbies included hunting and fishing. Richard made it a priority to take care and provide for his family; his biggest joy in life was his family and spending time with them outdoors. His family remembers him being very patriotic and always remembering what the American Flag represented.

He is preceded in death by his father, Richard Owens Sr; his daughter, Michelle Owens; brother-in-law, Steve Burke and grandson, Braxton Martin.

Richard is survived by his wife, Angel of the home; his sons, Matthew Martin and wife Crystal and Richard Owens III and wife Brionne; his daughter, Hannah; his mother, Lee Owens; his sister, Sherry Owens Burke; his grandchildren, Kaylee, Mercedes, Abbi, Mattie, Kellyn, Addison, McKenzie, Rafe, Maze and Henry; his niece and nephew, Rocky Ledbetter (Rachel) and Brittany Burke; numerous great nieces, nephews and other family members and friends.

Richard's family will receive friends on Monday, January 6, 2020 from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel.

A celebration of life will be 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 7, 2020 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Wayne Lindsey officiating. Interment will be at Fields Cemetery in Porum, Oklahoma with Military Honors. Serving as pallbearers will be Rocky Ledbetter, Matthew Martin Owens, Richard Owens III, Ronald Ledbetter, Dennis McDaniel, Jose Meza and Dalton Williams. Honorary pallbearers will be Hannah Owens, Brittany Burke, Austin and Ava Ledbetter, and his grandchildren.

# Cemetery Details

## Fields Cemetery

Porum, OK

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 6. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Family to greet friends

JAN 6. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

JAN 7. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

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JAN 7. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard J. Owens Jr.*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard J. Owens Jr..*



January 07, 2020 at 09:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard J. Owens Jr..*



January 06, 2020 at 04:26 PM



“ *Angel I'm so sorry to hear about your husband. My thoughts & prayers are with you and your family.*

**Kim Kiser-Robertson** - January 06, 2020 at 12:05 PM

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“ Tony and Brenda Owens and Family. purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Richard J. Owens Jr..



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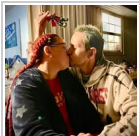
**Tony and Brenda Owens and Family.** - January 06, 2020 at 10:05 AM

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“ Richard and I met in 5th grade and was best of friends for many years. As we became adults and had families we stayed in touch for years until the last ten years. My fondest memories are when we would ride motorcycles together as kids. My thoughts and prayers for the family and his wife and children during this difficult time. Please keep the faith! Dan Johnson aka Bubba to Richard.

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**Dan Johnson** - January 04, 2020 at 07:12 PM



“ He was a man with a big heart and love for his family that he showed in his works and words. The time I spent with him, I saw first hand what a father and husband should be.

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**Jerrad Dry** - January 04, 2020 at 12:40 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss!! This family has always been good to me and my heart goes out to you! I haven't seen any of you in a long time but I have fond memories of you all! May God be with you all in the coming days.



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**lettie ford** - January 04, 2020 at 10:37 AM