



## Ronald Eck

July 30, 1938 - January 4, 2014

Ron (Slim) Eck, 75, a long time resident of Muskogee County, passed away Saturday morning, January 4, 2014, after a lengthy illness. He was born in Govnick, Minnesota to Walter and Evangeline (Klema) Eck on July 30, 1938. Ron grew up in Govnick, Minnesota, and he came to learn that he loved the farm and ranching life style. Later on in life, he started his ranching career. He finally found the one that gave him the most joy, Synar Ranch and Cattle Company in Muskogee, where he worked until his retirement in 2003.

On August 13, 1973, Ron married the love of his life, Montie Bryant in Fargo, ND. They celebrated over 40 years of marriage together.

Ron was preceded in death by his parents; grandparents; and several other family members.

He is survived by his wife, Montie, of the home; his daughter, Susan Stewart and husband, John of Muskogee, his daughter, Peggy Lamb and husband, Dale of Stilwell; his son, Mitch Sovia and wife, Michelle of Cushing, his son, David Sovia of Muskogee; 8 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and other family members.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 1:30 p.m., at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Preacher Tom Gragg officiating. Interment will follow at Memorial Park Cemetery with Josh Stewart, John Stewart, Josh Sovia, David Sovia, Dale Lamb Jr., Jay Littlejohn, and Justin Nelson serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be Mitch Sovia, Dale Lamb Sr., and Ray Stewart.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 7. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

JAN 8. 1:30 PM (CT)

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## Visitation

JAN 8. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



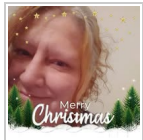
“ *Ronald Eck*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Our prayers and sympathy go out to all of you! Wish we could have been there at this very difficult time. I will always remember Ronnie's great laugh and his heart of gold, he would do anything for a person! I remember him wearing the snapped denim shirts and wrangler jeans and cowboy hat, always looked nice! We will miss him very much and we wish we could have seen more of Ronnie and all of you in the past years! With deepest Sympathy, Love, Kathy, Glen and Family*

**Kathy Bergman** - January 11, 2014 at 05:57 PM



“ *Mr. Eck was a very special guy I have very much enjoyed caring for him these last few years. I loved his funny stories he always made us laugh. He spoke very highly of all his family quite often. May you Rest in Peace PAPA*



**Christy Morgan** - January 10, 2014 at 04:11 PM



“ *Monte and families- May god bless each and everyone of you..may he wrap his arms around you and guide you through this difficult time..we wish we could be with you all but please know we will be with you in our hearts. We love you all.. with our deepest sympathy, Darlene Eck , Sandy Eck Stebe, Kathy Eck Bergman..*

**Sandy Eck Stebe** - January 06, 2014 at 07:20 PM

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“*Monte and Family. Our family is saddened by the news of Ronnie and we know he is in a better place now. We will not forget being his Minnesota neighbors and We could always share a good laugh with him. Thank you for being a loving family to him. Aunt Adabelle, Bev, Shirley, Chuck, Sue, Karen, Betty and Tom. Written by Betty Sather Johnson*



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**Betty Sather Johnson** - January 06, 2014 at 06:37 PM