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Arley Terry Obituary

Arley Lee Terry, 81, of Garland Texas, passed away peacefully at home on June 29, 2021.

He was born in Bixby, Oklahoma to parents Ira and Florence Terry on December 22, 1939. The second of four boys, Arley graduated from Bixby High School and worked in the local movie theater. He married Geneva Daniels, the love of his life, in 1961.

Arley served in the National Guard and among his employers were Texas Instruments and Raytheon.

While he was an avid fan of the Texas Rangers and Dallas Cowboys, nothing could take him away from the love and support he gave to his daughter Kimberly and Special Olympics.

Arley is survived by: his son, Randal Terry; daughter, Kimberly Terry; daughter, Michelle Beattie and husband, Stephen Beattie; grandchildren, Derek and Ashley Beattie; brother, Harley Terry and niece, Shannon Terry. Arley was loved by many friends and family.

Arley was preceded in death by: parents, Ira and Florence Terry; wife, Geneva Terry; brothers: Glen and James Terry.

The family will receive friends for visitation on Tuesday evening, July 6, 2021, from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Bixby-South Tulsa Funeral Service. A graveside service will be held 10:00 am Wednesday, July 7, 2021 at Morris Cemetery Chapel, Morris, Oklahoma.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in support of Special Olympics.



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LC

Linda Chapman posted:

I always loved going to visit Mr. and Mrs. Terry because they always made me laugh and smile. Mr. Terry was such a devoted husband and father, I will miss his smile and loving character. I had the pleasure of knowing him for over 35 years and get to share some amazing memories with him. I remember how happy he was when his grandchildren Derek and Ashley were born and how he always was so proud of his kids. I will miss him dearly. My prayers and thoughts go out to the entire family.

July 1 at 12:59 PM

RP

Randy Terry Proud Son posted:

he was dad and very supportive every activity we were involved in from Kim's special Olympics Shelly's gymnastics until she went boy crazy. Mine ended up being bowling and he was there for every session when I bowled in the us open when they came to little old Garland TX, Kim going to LA for the special Olympics World Games and representing Texas and the USA. I being the oldest got moms Daniels temper with dads steady calm before temper. Although Shelly got the cool from dad but like erupted like a volcano. That Growing fungus my Bother in Law Steve just kidding Steve and my witness .but that brought my Niece Ashly and Nephew Dereck. Kim I am still try to figure out where on the family spectrum she has fallen.. In this time Mom is finally with Dad unlike when they got married and Dad latched onto Mom and typical mom laughing and Loving Mom.

June 30 at 2:37 PM

SG

Sue Gulley posted:

So sweet of him and family to stop in Columbus to visit my mom Pauline...his aunt. When she was in the nursing home

June 30 at 11:41 AM

SS

Shari Smith posted:

Prayers of comfort and peace for Arley's family and friends.

June 29 at 2:57 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Arley by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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