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## Tommy Cardwell Obituary

Tommy Douglas Cardwell was born December 8, 1948 in Clinton, Oklahoma to Clyde Cardwell and Ruby (Burkhart) Cardwell. As a child, Tommy's family moved to Medford where he and his eleven siblings were raised. Upon high school graduation, Tom moved to Alva where he attended college at North Western Oklahoma State University. He joined the Army National Guard and relocated to Tulsa to be near family. He sought employment working for his brother, L.D. at Allied Fence before working at Ace Fence where he retired in 2010. Tom developed a great love for the outdoors at a young age. There was no place he would rather be than fishing or hunting. He spent many weekends fishing in bass tournaments all over Northeast Oklahoma and was named the Oklahoma Angler of the year three different times. When he wasn't busy fishing, he could likely be found in Medford hunting and spending time with family. Tom passed away December 31, 2020 in Tulsa. He was 72. A service to honor his life will be held at a later date. Those he leaves to cherish his memory are sons, Tony Cardwell and Jason Cardwell; loving ex-wife, Nola Cardwell; brothers, Rick Cardwell and Danny Cardwell; sisters, Reba Scates, Vickey Wirtz and Janie Loman; along with 26 nieces and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. Tom was preceded in death by his parents; siblings, Clydean Dark, L.D. Cardwell, Joy Shaw, Archie Cardwell, Carol Kennedy and Royce Cardwell; and nephews, Scott Dark and Michael Scates.

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DC

**David Cable** posted:

Tom was my boss at Allied Fence when I was in high school. I was a yard hand in the summertime and learned a lot from Tom. He was a great teacher and showed slot of patience with my inexperience. My condolences to the family. David Cable

June 29 at 4:08 PM

MD

**Martha Draper** posted:

Prayers for all oh the family.

January 12 at 5:56 PM

WB

**Wendy Lacy Bell** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the Cardwell family. Rest in peace Tommy.

January 10 at 3:57 AM

AA

**Ak, Shirley Armstrong** posted:

Our Thoughts and prayers to your families at the loss of Tommy. Many fond memories of our former Medford neighbors.

January 9 at 1:12 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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