



Bobby Joe Palmer

September 9, 1942 - February 3, 2025

Bobby Joe Palmer, 82, passed away on February 3, 2025, in Midwest City, Oklahoma. He was born on September 9, 1942, in Salinas, California, to Joe Palmer and Willie Mae (Newman) Palmer.

Bobby grew up in Salinas, California attending Salinas High School before eventually settling in Garvin County, Oklahoma, where he lived for the past 31 years. He was a devoted husband to his wife, Karen Sue (Sterling) Palmer who he married on January 30, 1962, and a proud member of a large and loving family.

A hardworking and skilled businessman, Bobby owned and operated Bob's Tree Service, serving as the trusted local tree service provider. His passion for the outdoors extended beyond his profession—he loved camping, traveling, and working with his hands. Whether he was building, fabricating, or lending a helping hand to others, Bobby took pride in his craftsmanship and generosity. His love for family was at the center of his life, and he cherished every moment spent with them. A true connoisseur of instant oatmeal and an enthusiast of Mexican cuisine, Bobby found joy in life's simple pleasures. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him. His legacy of hard work, kindness, and love for adventure will live on in the hearts of his family and friends.

Bobby was preceded in death by his parents; Joe and Willie (Newman) Palmer; Brother, Eugene Palmer; Sisters, Ethyl Barnes, Edna Estes, Ruby Staggs, Evelyn Ramsey, Elouise Haik, Betty Van Meter, Shirley Fuqua, and

Mary Lee Wilson.

Bobby is survived by his wife of the home, Karen Palmer; Son, Robert Palmer and wife Mary Angelina Palmer; Daughter, Teresa Schuller and husband Zane Schuller; Granddaughter, Brooke Schuller and fiancé David Schumaker; Brother, Kenneth Palmer; and a host of other friends and family.

There are no services pending for Bobby. If you would like to send your condolences to the family, you may do so at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com