



## Dennis Joe Vestle

February 12, 1957 - June 28, 2023

Dennis Joe Vestle of Elmore City, Oklahoma was born to Joseph and Pauline Vestle on February 12, 1957 in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma and passed from this life on June 28, 2023 at the age of 66 years.

Dennis spent his childhood days farming, welding, and hauling hay. He made a life-long career out of farming and driving commercial semi-trucks. On May 31, 1999, Dennis married Kimbra Campbell in Sulphur, Oklahoma (and he wished he would have married her a lot sooner). Together they enjoyed many years together. In his spare time, Dennis enjoyed, gardening, and spending time with the grandkids and great-grandkids. The highlights of his life were meeting his future wife, the births of his kids, and marrying his wife. Dennis lived by example on how to be a good person and how to take care of yourself. He instructed others on welding, driving semi-trucks, working on vehicles, gardening, and how to enjoy life.

Mr. Vestle is survived by:

Wife: Kimbra Vestle of the home

Sons: Shannon Vestle

Adam McMillen

Jason McMillen

Robert Spence

Daughters: DeAnn Vestle

Suzanne Stephens

Shana Richardson

Parents: Joseph and Pauline Vestle

Brothers: John Vestle and Boyd Vestle

Sisters: Donna Reeves and Nancy Vestle

23 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren

A host of family and friends.

Arrangements for cremation are under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home.

The family will hold memorial services at a later date. You may send a condolence to the family at [www.woosterfuneralhomes.com](http://www.woosterfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall

SC

“ I learnt how to drive standard vehicle thanks to him. He and three other of us( one being he's cousin Arllis McKee) were hauling hay one night and the driver quit so they told me to drive and I told them I don't know how to drive a standard but they said it was time I learnt. Lol I like to have thrown them off the truck I don't how many times but I learnt how to drive a standard. Thank you DJ I'll never forget you!

Sherry Charlson - June 29, 2023 at 09:19 PM

LB

I remember as we were kids my brother and Dennis kept daring me to roll down the steep hill. I took that there they stood there and laughed and laughed and laughed because it was full of poison ivy. That's the mean boys however, the joke was on them. I was allergic to poison ivy or poison oak I woke up the next morning just fine, but they were covered in it. Mama said she wouldn't even gonna give them a weapon because they got what they deserved. I also remember as a teenager Dennis I was going to try and teach me how to ride his motorcycle. That was a short trip when I almost went off in the creek. He said oh no, Cuz you just scared the shit out of me and we're going to the house. That was my last lesson from DJ..

Loetia Bone - July 20, 2023 at 10:05 AM

LB

Please excuse all the misspelled words. I was not allergic to poison ivy. I took their dare.Lol Love you, Dennis we had great memories together.

Loetia Bone - July 20, 2023 at 10:09 AM

SS

*My dad taught me a great deal of things . It's life it happens. Ik that . But it still hurts me today that your gone. I miss you so damn much.. I love you daddy.. you taught me to never give up that wasn't an option round here, you always found a way.. you taught me a lot of life lessons.. I'm gonna miss our talks in the garden,working on a car , but was mostly the dump truck, I had a few concision but got over it. Daddy do you remember me putting that new grease cert in and how it took me forever, you and Lynn you ain't got that on there yet . Lol .. I got mad started throwing things and cussing and finally I got it in.. which by the way was hard even with these small hands . I will never forget that day . So I guess my greatest memories of us would involve my whole life, I'm so glad that I was blessed with a father like you.. Thank you daddy!! Forever in my heart and never forgotten.. You can rest now daddy . Shine bright, don't fly to fast with your wings can't have you hurt up there . RIP !!!!! I love you Daddy*

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**Suzanne Stephens** - July 20, 2023 at 06:18 PM