



George Edward Brister

March 2, 1938 - February 9, 2024

George Brister beloved husband, father, grandfather, and friend passed away peacefully on Friday, February 9, 2024, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma surrounded by his family. He was 85 years old.

Born on March 2nd, 1938, George lived a life filled with passion, adventure, and dedication to serving others. His love for the outdoors was evident in his fondness for camping, hunting, and fishing, which brought him endless joy throughout his life.

George was an avid gun collector and cherished spending time with friends at Gas N Go, where he shared stories and laughter with those he held dear. He also enjoyed Sunday mornings at the dog trade in Sulphur as well as attending yearly gun shows in Tulsa with his buddies.

Professionally, George was a skilled welder who worked for Kerr McGee before retiring. He also had a successful career as a telephone contractor, primarily in Mobile, Alabama. His versatility and willingness to tackle any task earned him the reputation of being a "jack of all trades," and he was always the first to lend a helping hand to those in need.

George's commitment to public service was unwavering. He dedicated 20 years of his life as a firefighter for Elmore City, bravely serving his community and protecting others from harm. Additionally, he worked with the ambulance service in Elmore City during the 1990s.

George will be remembered for his kind heart, generous spirit, and zest for life.

He leaves behind a legacy of love and service that will be cherished by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

George was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and sister, one grandson, wife, Mary, and daughter, Carolyn Pettit.

George is survived by his loving family; Son Tony Brister and wife Vickie of Elmore City, Jennifer Caldwell and Josh of Noble, grandkids, David, Danny, Kaitlyn, Jessica, Austin, Sarah, Gavin, Nash and Aiden and 12 great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends who will miss him

Previous Events

Public Visitation

FEB 14. 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Elmore City)
105 S. Main
Elmore City, OK

Public Visitation

FEB 15. 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM (CT)

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Family Visitation with Friends

FEB 15. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

FEB 16. 2:00 PM (CT)

Elmore City First Baptist Church
107 S. Texas
Elmore City, OK

Tribute Wall

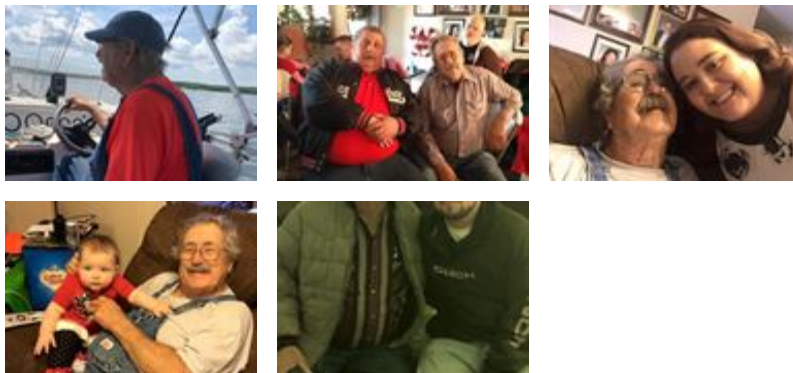
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“ I remember george's obscure scent of fish, a kind of musky smell. it would fumigate my store every time he would come in to buy his bait. i remember he always used to say this little joke, it would crack me up, still does: 'what did the pirate say when he turned 80? Aye matey' so fun! He used to say it in a little jamaican accent it was so sweet. will miss you lots george, my number one customer. p.s. sharon, please call me back.

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“ Mr Brister was one of a kind. He always had a smile. He would come by the pharmacy and say hi every time he came to Walmart. May God grantvthe family peace through this time.

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