



Jimmy Alvin Cottrell

May 8, 1930 - January 13, 2018

JIMMY ALVIN COTTRELL

Jimmy Alvin Cottrell of Yukon, Oklahoma passed away January 13, 2018 peacefully in his home at the age of 87 years. Jimmy was born May 8, 1930 in Elmore City, Oklahoma to Johnnie and Dixie Cottrell. Jimmy and Mattie Cottrell had 2 children, daughter Debbie English and son, David Cottrell. Four grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Jimmy moved to Yukon in 1993 and married Anna Raymond and had two stepchildren: Sharla Thurman and Joshua Raymond and four grandchildren. Jimmy served in the United States Army from 1948 to 1951 where he served in Germany and was a postal clerk in Europe. Jimmy was a retired teamster driving for Transcon and Yellow freight covering 3 million miles accident free before retiring in 1995.

Jimmy was also recognized in 1972 by the Governor of the State of Arizona for attempting to save a child from a burning car. His favorite hobbies were collecting rocks and scavenging garage sales. He collected rocks from every state he traveled through. Jimmy was a jack of all trades and could literally fix anything.

He is preceded in death by his parents: Johnnie and Dixie Cottrell

Mother of his children: Mattie Cottrell

Brother: J. D. Cottrell

Sister: Corrine Grimes

He is survived by:

Wife: Anna Cottrell of the home

Daughter: Debbie and husband Steve English of Paoli, Oklahoma

Son: David and wife Anita Cottrell of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma

Step-daughter: Sharla and husband Josh of Amarillo, Texas

Step-son: Joshua and wife Tonya Raymond of Canyon, Texas

sisters:Carolynn and husband Bobby Bonner of Missouri

Linda Hunter of Norman, Oklahoma

grandchildren: Jeremy and wife Kimberly Cottrell of Nashville, Tennessee

April and husband Jered Cartwright of Ada, Oklahoma

Brandon and wife Amy English of Paoli, Oklahoma

Chad English of Paoli, Oklahoma

Gracie and Christian Raymond of Canyon, Texas

Brooklyn and Ashley Thurman of Amarillo, Texas

Great-grandchildren: Kailee and Laney English of Paoli, Oklahoma

Ethan and Loren Cartwright of Ada, Oklahoma

Joshua Cottrell of Nashville, Tennessee

Funeral services are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 17, 2018 at the Wooster Funeral Home Chapel with John Stevenson officiating. Interment will be in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home. You may send a condolence to the family at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

Hwy 77
Pauls Valley, Ok

Previous Events

Service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Pauls Valley)
1601 South Chickasaw
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Tribute Wall



“ *Jimmy Alvin Cottrell*

November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM



“ *So sorry Debbie and David about Uncle Jimmy, and family, had I known rather than read in Paul's Valley Daily Democrat that he had passed away I would have been there at the funeral, just bought a paper Thursday at 1:00 and hurried home and changed clothes and Danny said it was yesterday babe, I just cried because I did love him, sorry, Danny and Dixie Williams*

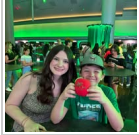
Dixie Williams - January 18, 2018 at 10:30 PM



“ *Gary Bishop lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Alvin Cottrell*



Gary Bishop - January 17, 2018 at 09:10 AM



“ *Uncle Jim was a great man that will truly be missed. Jim always made you feel welcome. I can remember the first time he met my husband Chet. I remember Jim welcoming Chet with open arms and Chet saying that how he felt he knew Jim forever even though they just met. Uncle Jim always put a smile on my face and will forever have a special place in our hearts.*



Aunt Anna, We are so sorry about your loss. You have been Jim's angel taking care of him for so long and every step of the way you have shown your endless love. May God hold you in his arms as you walk through the pain and may you be comforted knowing Jim is finally home in heaven.

*Today we light a candle the endless love we carry with us for Jim.
Love- Tiffany, Chet, Gage, and Addi*

Tiffany Graves - January 17, 2018 at 12:27 AM

JC

“ *My condolences to the rest of the family. Rest In Peace Papa.*

Jeremy Cottrell - January 16, 2018 at 11:44 PM

DA

“ *Worked with Jim at Yellow Freight and lived in the same neighborhood with Jim and Anna. Anna you are a saint for all you have done for Jim! Our thoughts are with you and your family. We have good memories of our grandkids and oh the stories we could tell. Love you,
Dennis and Laverne Ashlock*

Dennis Ashlock - January 16, 2018 at 03:35 PM

BS

“ Betty Surowiec lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Alvin Cottrell



Betty Surowiec - January 16, 2018 at 01:45 PM

SG

“ So sorry for your loss of your Dad, Grandpa, Husband. Sending prayers to your family. Love J.D., Maxine Jones Mike, Sherri Goeke, Marty, Ginger Considine

Sherri Goeke - January 16, 2018 at 11:48 AM

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“ Jimmy, was our oldest brother I remember him when we were younger he love to play jokes on us if we were drinking tea he would put hot sauce in it couldn't wait for you to set back down and take a big drank.He joined The Army very young they drove him to Ardmore to ride the train we were all there watching for him .He couldn't get off a the Valley he looked so sad when they pulled out we all waved our good bye and cried I remember our Mother praying all the time for his safe return. Our God answered her prayers . I tried to get her to send him some grave couldn't understand way Well Ed you them and always will love him .Thank you Anna for the love you had for him God Bless he is at rest now.



linda hunter (sister - January 15, 2018 at 03:35 PM