



Clarence Chalepah Jr

November 28, 1951 - August 14, 2010

Obituary for Clarence " R.D."Chalepah Jr. Anadarko - Funeral service for Clarence "R.D" Chalepah Jr., 58 of Anadarko, will be at 11:00 A. M. on Thursday August 19th, at Bethel Baptist Church in Anadarko with the Rev. Andrew "Sonny" Ware and Bro. Hicks Boyiddle Officiating. Prayer service will be Wednesday August 18, 2010, from 7:00 pm til 9:00 pm at Smith Chapel Anadarko, Oklahoma . "R.D" was born to Clarence "Blackie" Chalepah Sr. and Sally Annabelle Autaubo Chalepah on November 28, 1951 in Lawton, Oklahoma, He went to be with the Lord on August 14, 2010 at Comanche County Memorial Hospital with his family by his side. "R.D." graduated from Ft. Sill Indian School in May of 1970. He was a member of the Apache Tribe of Oklahoma, the Apache Native American Church and the Chalepah Blackfeet Society. He enjoyed going to the casinos and visiting with his special friends "Shine & Punkie". He was well known for his beautiful bead work and was an avid OU fan. He will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. He is survived by two daughters Sonovia Mae Chalepah of Wapato, Washington Martha Betty Thomas of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. four grandchildren: Adrian, Kiana, James and Nathaniel all of Wapato, Washington one great grandson: Ivan Quirins Jr. of Tacoma, WA seven sisters: Clarene Robison, Carolyn Chalepah & Kathleen Chalepah all of Anadarko; Jodene Nish of Carnegie, OK Ladonna Cunningham of Lawton,OK Janelle Simmons of Norman, OK Millie Bearbow of Elgin, OK six brothers: Earl Chalepah of Norman, OK Thomas Chalepah of Oklahoma City, OK Edmund Chalepah of

Mescalero, New Mexico Steven Chalepah of Chickasha, OK Theodore "Ted" Chalepah of Anadarko, OK Hugh "Sam" Redbone of Apache, OK one uncle: Adam Autaubo of OK City, OK special friends: Howard "Shine" Roulain, Ruben "Punkie" Ahhaitty, Leroy "Winter Hawk" Winn and Vickie McKee. special Cousin: Paul Kadayso, He was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, brother David and two infant brothers. Pallbearers: Thomas Chalepah, Edmund Chalepah, Steven Chalepah, Theodore Chalepah, Winfer Nish and Devere Simmons. Honorary Pallbearers: Earl Chalepah, Paul Kadayso, Howard "Shine" Roulain, Ruben "Punkie Ahhaitty and Leroy "Winter Hawk" Winn, Burial will follow at the Cache Creek Cemetery in Apache under the direction of Smith Funeral Home .