



Gerorge Malven Kuykendall

January 1, 1918 - October 3, 2012

Join us as we celebrate the life of Uncle George Malven Kuykendall. He was born on March 13, 1918 near Lawton, OK, after 94 years of long life, he got his final wish and the Lord reunited him with his family on October 3, 2012. Malven graduated from Carnegie High School in 1935 and Cameron College in Lawton, OK in 1937. When WW II broke out he joined the Army Air Force on Feb. 11, 1943 and served out of Gliation Air Force Base in England as a Radio Operator and alternate gunner on a b-17 named "the Living Fortriss". He was in the 8th Air Force, 457th Bomber Group and the 648the Bomb Squadron. His rank was Technical Sargent and was decorated with the Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Metal. Malven came back to the US and was honorably discharged on Oct. 4, 1945. he returned to work the family farm and retired in 1980. His hobbies were hunting, gardening and domino tournaments in town. He had buddies who shared the hobby of hunting Native American artifact. Melven built display cases and documented all in his collection. He will be buried with Military Honors on Friday, October 12, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. in the Fort Sill National Cemetery in Elgin, OK. Pastor Bill Schnider, who visited Malven several times over the last 2 years, will officiate. The Smith Funeral Home in Anadarko is providing the services. Preceding him in death are his parents, Andrew Hunter and Emma Adela (Doye)n Kuykendall. Also his brothers, Wallace and William and sisters, Lois, Delma and Ruby. Malven is survived by six nieces and nephews and their families,(Who all loved and considered him a part of their family). Earlene and husband, Tom Morgan of

Moore, OK ;and husband, Jim Holland of Springdale, AR; Dale Mitchell and wife, Phyllis of Flower Mound, TX; Lynda and husband Dean Willyerd of OK City, OK; Carol Swan of Midwest City, OK; and Wallace Mitchell and wife, Karen of Edmond, OK. We all have our own memories of Malven, yet all memories are full of loving experiences we had on the farm. Adventures on the creek or at the garden. He always made time for us. Malven taught us each many of life's lessons and always without a cross word. He is missed already.