



Grant James Bell

March 3, 1930 - August 13, 2017

Grant James Bell, 87, passed away on Sunday, August 13th, 2017 at the Veterans Center in Lawton, OK. He was born on March 3rd, 1930 near Anadarko, OK to Herbert James and Sarah Elizabeth (Brewer) Bell. Grant was a life long resident of Fort Cobb, OK. As a child he was baptized in the Washita River and was a member of the Red Stone Indian Mission. He served his county in the U.S., Army from December 1, 1952 thru September 23, 1954. He married Mary Louise Carpenter on October 6, 1956. Grant worked many years helping Milton Smith on the farm and operated his bulldozer. He was also know as a handy-man and a fix all, and he was always willing to help anyone in need. He was very good at repairing anything with a motor, from lawn mowers to cars. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and a true family man. He is survived by: His daughter and son-in-law: Beckey and Jeff Hodges, Elgin, OK His grandchildren: Malina Bentley, Sarah Hodges, Ashley Hodges Waltrip, Melissa Bell Abbott, Jamie Bell Boelen, Jason Bell, Leonard Bell Eleven great-grandchildren His sister: Faye Dyer, Tulsa, OK He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Mary Louise, his son James Ray Bell, two grandsons: Terrance Bell and Tristan Bentley, three sisters and two brothers. Memorial Services: 10:30 A.M., Friday, August 18, 2017 First Baptist Church, Fort Cobb, OK Officiating: Rev. Steve Goodson Private family inurnment at a later date. Services under the direction of Fort Cobb Funeral Home, Fort Cobb, Oklahoma. Messages of condolences may be sent to the family at: www.smithfuneralservices.com