



Richard Leon Tilley

July 30, 1932 - August 7, 2017

Richard Leon Tilley, 85, passed away on Monday, August 7th, 2017 in Chickasha, Oklahoma. He was born on July 30, 1932 in Apache, Oklahoma to Maudie (Aldridge) and Neal Tilley. Richard graduated from Broxton High School in 1950. He served in the U.S. Army from March 12, 1953 to March 4, 1955. He married Neaomi Shuffield on February 2, 1961 in Wellington, Texas. After 36 years of service, he retired from Fort Sill Army Base as the Scheduling Maintenance Engineer for Facilities. Richard was a member of the First Baptist Church and taught Training Union at the First Baptist Church in Fort Cobb for eleven years after retirement. He also found great joy in caring for his cattle. He was an avid OU fan as well as OKC Thunder fan. He coached and umpired little league baseball and softball for several years. He also loved to read and talk about his days in the army and his time at Fort Sill. He is survived by: His wife, Neaomi Tilley, of the home in Fort Cobb, OK His children: Rick Tilley and his wife, Sallie, of Fort Cobb, OK Perry Tilley, Fort Cobb, OK Tony Tilley and his wife, Kathy, of Nashville, Tennessee Kimberly Tilley, Fort Cobb, OK His sister: Sue Mitchell, Tuttle, OK His sister-in-law: Polly Hill Tilley, Moore, OK 9 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren Numerous nieces and nephews He was preceded in death by his parents, Neal and Maudie Tilley, his brother Robert Tilley and his son Ricky Dutton. Funeral Services: 10:30 A.M., Friday, August 11, 2017 First Baptist Church, Fort Cobb, OK Officiating: Rev. Steve Goodson Burial: Oak Grove Cemetery, Fort Cobb, OK Military Rites by U.S. Army, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Services under the

direction of Fort Cobb Funeral Home, Fort Cobb, Oklahoma. Messages of
condolences may be sent to: www.smithfuneralservices.com