



## Delbert "Del" L. McHenry

March 27, 1933 - November 25, 2021

Delbert "Del" L. McHenry, age 88, of Afton, OK, passed away on Thursday, November 25, 2021, at his home.

Del was born on March 27, 1933, to Ivan and Pearlie (Wyles) McHenry in Hardy, AR. He attended school in several cities, graduating from Wyandotte High School in Kansas City, KS.

On May 18, 1955, Del joined the U.S. Army and proudly served his country for 5 years, 2 of those overseas.

After his time in the military, Del went to work for Cargill pumping asphalt and later at CSG Fiberglass plant and retired from there after 26 years. Not one to sit idle, after retiring, he went back to work as a truck driver hauling motor homes.

On May 5, 1986, Del married the love of his life, Shirley Shelton in Miami, OK and the couple made their home in Oskaloosa, KS where Del was also a farmer and enjoyed raising cattle, horses, sheep, pigs and goats.

Del and his wife moved to Grand Lake in July of 2021 where they enjoyed fishing and spending time together. He was Baptist and strong in his faith in the Lord and an avid KC Chiefs fan.

He is preceded in death by his parents, brother, Robert McHenry and son, James McHenry.

Left to cherish Del's memory, loving wife, Shirley McHenry; children: Donald McHenry (Barbara) of Tonganoxie, KS, Stephen McHenry (Linda) of Holt, MO, BethAnn McHenry and Cheri McHenry both of Kansas City, KS, Bobby

McHenry of Maine and Shirley Watkins (Roger Everitt); brother: Paul McHenry (Joni) of Washington, step-mother, Nora Lowe of Bonner Springs, KS, son, Derek McHenry (Katie Bastemeyer) and grandson, Joseph Kilpatrick (Brittney) and 17 other grandchildren and one great grandson, Jacob Kilpatrick. Memorial services will be at 1pm Thursday, December 2, 2021 at Nichols Stephens Funeral Chapel. Chaplain Mark Lavine to officiate. Military Rites by Grove Veterans Ritual Team.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

DEC 2. 1:00 PM (CT)

Nichols-Stephens Funeral and Cremation Service

10201 U.S. Highway 59

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Delbert "Del" L. McHenry*

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