



## Gary Stauffer

January 22, 1942 - July 25, 2024

Gary Allen Stauffer, 82, of Afton, Oklahoma, passed away on July 25, 2024. Born on January 22, 1942, in Wichita, Kansas, to Leonard and Evelyn Routh Stauffer.

Gary was a dedicated supervisor at Boeing, where he shaped his career for 38 years. His commitment to excellence was paralleled by his service in the Army National Guard, where he served for 6 years, demonstrating a steadfast dedication to his country.

He graduated from the first graduating class of South High School in Wichita, Kansas and pursued higher education. A devout Christian, Gary was actively involved in his church community, embodying the teachings of his faith in every aspect of his life.

Gary was a man of many interests; he was exceptionally active, relishing in watersports and the great outdoors. His hobbies included mowing, working with tools, and engaging in hunting and fishing, which reflected his profound connection with nature.

Survived by his loving wife, Shirley Stauffer, Gary was a proud father to Jeff Stauffer of Royce City, Texas; Julie Carver and husband Rick of Wichita, Kansas; Geri Byrum of Wichita, Kansas; Five grandchildren; Scott, Jack, Ben,

Allison and Zachary. One sister Cora Stauffer and brother Wayne Stauffer of Mulvane, Kansas. He was a beloved figure known for his sweetness, kindness, and the immense pride he had in his family.

A memorial service will be held at his home on Saturday, August 31. Arrangements entrusted to Nichols-Stephens Funeral Services of Grove, Oklahoma.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Rest Gary, until you hear at dawn, the low, clear reveille of God. Thank you for your service to this nation. U.S. Army National Guard, 6 years of service.*



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