



Michael Denney

July 30, 1956 - November 8, 2023

Michael J. Denney, age 67, passed away at his home in Grove, Oklahoma on November 8, 2023 after a lengthy battle with cancer.

Michael was born in Frankfurt, Germany on July 30, 1956 to Henry and Marjorie (Allen) Denney. His family returned to Oklahoma, and Michael graduated from Eisenhower High School and attended Cameron University and the University of Oklahoma studying engineering.

Michael moved to the Grand Lake area from Lawton, Oklahoma over 30 years ago. He married Edna Jean Pittman in 2001. She sadly passed away in 2021. Woodworking was his passion and his life's work. He was a master woodworker and crafted beautiful furniture of all types. Carpentry was another skill he excelled at, building his own shop and addition to his home, as well as many other projects. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, and outdoor activities. He was loving, kind and patient, as well as an independent and private man. An intelligent individual, he enjoyed reading westerns, and was a self-professed news addict.

Michael was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, and sisters Katherine and Cheryl, and step sisters, Lora and Janice.

Left to cherish his memory, his stepson Rodney (Sarah) Mayden of Grove; brother Richard (Lydia) Denney of Norman, Oklahoma; 2 grandchildren, Matthew and Nathan Mayden; one great grand daughter Jocelynn Mayden, and 7 nephews and nieces, as well as many friends and extended family.

Graveside services will be held at 2pm on Friday, December 1, 2023 at Old

Olympus Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Olympus Cemterey

Grove, OK

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

Olympus Cemterey
Grove, OK

Tribute Wall

DA

“ I’m just finding out that Mike passed away..I live in Virginia and kept in touch with Mike and Edna by cellphone..This explains why he didn’t answer my text I sent him on Feb. 14 ☐..I met him and Edna at CTCA in Zion, Illinois where he and my husband both were being treated for cancer. I became very close friends to them both and their dog “Buddy” and we stayed in contact since 2017 ...My heart broke when Edna passed and I’m just as heart broken to hear about Mike..He certainly was a very kind person and wasn’t worried about himself..He worried about Edna and sure did love her and she worried about him and loved him dearly...They are together again in Paradise for all eternity. I will cherish the pics of us all together in Zion, Illinois and all the talks,lunches, jigsaw puzzle fun and laughs we all shared..I know my sweet husband is with you two in Paradise..Give him a hug from me...I love you both and it was an honor to know y’all...Good Bye my Friends for now...Love, Dale ❤️



Dale Alter - February 22, 2024 at 04:13 PM

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“ Uncle Mike was always so kind and welcoming. I remember several years ago, he and Edna brought some meat to mom and dad, think it was a turkey on Thanksgiving. We were all eating and kept biting buckshot. It was so funny, but the meat tasted amazing. He seemed to always have a smile on his face, even when you knew he was hurting. He didn’t seem to meet a stranger. He’ll be greatly missed!!
Love,
Kamita

Kamita Estrada - November 16, 2023 at 07:08 PM