



Afton Freeman Al

February 17, 1945 - October 2, 2016

Afton Al Freeman was born February 17, 1945, in Gloster, Mississippi, to Smiley Isaiah and Lottie (Melton) Freeman. He died Sunday, October, 2, 2016, in Owasso, Oklahoma, at the age of 71 years. Al completed his secondary education in Memphis, Tennessee, and graduated with the Memphis Technical High School Class of 1963. He was a veteran of the armed forces having served his country honorably with the United States Army serving in Germany, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and St. Louis, Missouri, from 1965-1968. He was a decorated sharpshooter and expert with the pistol. Al was married September 16, 1965, in Memphis, Tennessee, to Rebecca "Becky" Jones. They moved to Owasso, Oklahoma, in 1980. She preceded him in death on May 13, 2004. He later married Louise Davis on June 5, 2010, in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Al was a faithful member of Tulsa Family Church, where he served as a Sunday School teacher and a Deacon for many years. He enjoyed a variety of pastimes including fishing, hunting, bowling, and traveling. He especially enjoyed spending time with his family. Loving family members include; His wife; Lou, of the home Two daughters; Sheila Shipman, of Collinsville, OK Michelle Schaffner and husband Bryan, of Owasso, OK Four grandchildren: Bethany Shipman Jeremy Shipman Whitney Gilley and husband Tyler Nathan Schaffner Two brothers; Daniel "Dan" Freeman and wife Sandra, of Spring Hill, Mississippi William "Will" Freeman and wife Marie, of Enid, Mississippi Three sisters; Reta Dawson, of Cleveland, Tennessee Mattie Parker and husband James, of

Holcomb, Mississippi Frances"Fran" Osborné, of Roanoke, VirginiaHe was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Smiley Lee Freeman and Davis Freeman, two sisters, Brenda Faye Freeman and Velma Carlene Freeman, and his first wife Becky. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 5, 2016, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Thursday, October 6, 2016, at First Assembly of God in Owasso with Pastor Jerry Eperson officiating. Serving as casket bearers will be Bryan Schaffner, Nathan Schaffner, Jeremy Shipman, Andy Shipman, Jimmy Davis and Gene Roper. Honorary casket bearers will be Dan Freeman, Wallace Adams, Bill Adams, Will Freeman, and Jerry Davis. Committal service and interment will follow at Graceland Memorial Park Cemetery in Owasso. The family requests memorial contributions be made to The Gideons International, P.O. Box 1022, Owasso, Oklahoma, 74055. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.www.moweryfs.com

Tribute Wall

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“ We lived next door to each other and afton was my first playmate at 6 or 7 years of age while living at 1488 a Boxwood, afton had an angel for a mother who taught me so many wonderful things. And I always admired Frances, she was so beautiful and my mother Judy Mixon loved Frances Lottie and afton. Lottie freeman sewed for mother and I always took inspiration from mrs freeman as I saw her as the most angelic person. Well afton you look out for us and keep an eye open for me and find me when I come up to than wonderful place God has prepared for us- miss you my little buddy from way back. Carolyn mixon cacrom@att.net

carolyn mixon - May 09, 2018 at 09:25 PM

MJ

“ I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. May GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.\r\n'

M Jones - October 06, 2016 at 02:43 PM

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“ 'Michelle and family,\r\nMy heart is sad for you. I pray for you peace and comfort.\r\nLove,\r\nKaren and Gary Clendenning'

Karen Clendenning - October 05, 2016 at 04:00 PM

PH

“ ‘Uncle Al, we will miss you, but we celebrate your complete healing and eternal reward that you are now enjoying.’

Perry and Kay Horner - October 04, 2016 at 11:38 PM

GB

“ ‘Uncle Al, You will be so deeply missed by so many people. We are so glad we got to spend some time with you & Aunt Louise. Love you ’

Gary & Maggie Barrowclough - October 04, 2016 at 09:34 PM