



Cletus Murl Sandlin

December 13, 1936 - January 20, 2021

Cletus Murl Sandlin was born December 13, 1936, in Keota, Oklahoma, to Jesse Milner and Buna Marie Forrester Sandlin. He died Wednesday, January 20, 2021, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the age of 84 years. Murl was reared and educated in Keota and graduated with the Keota High School Class of 1955. He was married October 23, 1959, to Margaret Burnes. Murl spent over 40 years as a sheet metal worker with Ventaire, Corp, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He then worked seven years with Harris Printing as a parttime delivery driver before his final retirement to care for Margaret in 2010. He enjoyed a variety of pastimes, especially going to the Casino. Those he leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

Children; Rhonda Garoutte and husband Brad

Michelle Johnson and husband David

Son In Law; Mike Davidson

Grandchildren; Heather Henry and husband Eric, of Keota

Lindsay Williamson and husband Clint, of Owasso

Brant Sinyard and fiancé Kayce Curren, of Sapulpa, Oklahoma

Cole Garoutte and fiancé Brittany Layne, of Owasso

Brittney Johnson, of Tulsa

Drake Johnson, Norman

Dreamy Davidson, of Keota

Great grandchildren; Jace Welch, Jadi McKibben and husband Owen, Jance Welch,

Leighton Williamson, Baker Williamson, Jeter Henry
Great great granddaughter; Indie Jane Welch
Sister; Kathleen McClary, of Keota
Brother; Howard Sandlin and wife Wilma, of Norman
Nieces and nephews, Steve Sandlin, Sheila Maxwell, Kathy Davis, Tammy
Drummonds, Clark McClary, Doug Sandlin, Larry Sandlin, and Brian Sandlin.
He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Margaret, daughter, Kim,
brother Bill Sandlin, sister Eunice Harris, son-in-law Russell Sinyard, niece
Kristi Fitzgerald, and nephews, Gary, Terry, and Alan Harris.
Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday, January 24, 2021,
at the Mallory Funeral Home in Keota. Funeral service will be held 1:00 p.m.
Monday, January 25, 2021, at Unity Baptist Church in Keota with Pastor Scott
Welch officiating. Serving as casket bearers will be Brad Garoutte, David
Johnson, Mike Davidson, Brant Sinyard, Cole Garoutte, and Drake Johnson.
Honorary casket bearer will be Howard Sandlin. Committal service and
interment will follow at Keota Cemetery in Keota, Oklahoma. The family
requests memorial contributions be made to Porta Caeli House, [www.portaca
eli.org](http://www.portacaeli.org) , or Unity Baptist Church, P.O. Box 472, Keota, Oklahoma, 74941.
Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of
Owasso.
www.moweryfs.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 24. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Mallory Funeral Home
800 North Main Street
Keota, OK 74941

Memorial Fund

JAN 25 (CT)

Porta Caeli House
2440 North Harvard Ave
Tulsa, OK 74115

Memorial Fund

JAN 25 (CT)

Unity Baptist Church
P.O. Box 472
Keota, OK 74941

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Cletus Murl Sandlin.



January 24, 2021 at 11:46 AM