



## Delbert Cecil Kelsey

December 12, 1936 - May 17, 2022

Delbert Cecil Kelsey was born on December 12, 1936, in Erick, Oklahoma to Arthur Edward Kelsey and Mary Ann (O'Brien) Kelsey. He died on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, surrounded by his family, in Claremore, Oklahoma at the age of 85 years. Delbert was raised and educated in Owasso, Oklahoma and graduated with the Owasso High School Class of 1955. He was heavily involved in FFA and received the title of Junior Master Farmer. He was married on March 28, 1957, in Stigler, Oklahoma to Judy May (Spoonemore) Kelsey. He served in the United States Army from 1957-1962, being Honorably Discharged with the rank of SPC 4. Delbert spent most of his working life as an Asphalt Foreman with the Tulsa County Highway Districts 1, 2, and 3 for 20 years. He was a faithful member of Central Baptist Church in Owasso for over 20 years. In his spare time, Delbert enjoyed a variety of past times such as hunting and shooting guns, going to gun shows and auctions, and fishing and camping. Those he leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

5 Children;

Dennis Kelsey (Deceased) and Wife Robin

Danny Kelsey and wife Teresa

Karen Swenson and husband Gary

David Kelsey and wife Kira

Becky Schnepple and husband Jim

12 Grandchildren

20 Great Grandchildren

He was preceded in death by his parents, Art and Mary, three brothers, George, Edgar, and Glen, three sisters, Edith, Merle, and Betty, wife, Judy, and his son Dennis.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2022, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at Central Baptist Church in Owasso. Interment will be held at Fairview Cemetery in Owasso. The family requests memorial contributions be made in Delbert's memory to Central Baptist Church – Missions, 9001 N. 145th E. Ave, Owasso, OK 74055.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

822 North 2nd Street  
Vinita, OK 74301

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **23**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service  
9110 North Garnett Road  
Owasso, OK 74055

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Delbert Cecil Kelsey.*



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May 23, 2022 at 10:54 AM