



Ray L Johnson

July 14, 1925 - August 2, 2015

Ray L Johnson was born July 14, 1925, in Stella, Missouri, to Dean B. and Mary Elizabeth (Tanner) Johnson. He died Sunday, August 2, 2015, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the age of 90 years. Ray completed his high school education in Neosho, Missouri, and graduated with the Neosho High School Class of 1944. He continued his education attending Joplin Business College where he earned his Associates Degree in 1948. Ray was a veteran of the armed forces having served his country honorably with the United States Army in the infantry during World War II. Ray was captured in France and was a Prisoner of War for nearly 10 months and was awarded a Bronze Star. After his return stateside, he was married May 2, 1948, in Jasper County, Missouri, to Rosa Mae Williams. They had made their home in Owasso, Oklahoma, since 1963. Ray spent most of his working life as a quality control inspector with McDonnell-Douglas in Tulsa. He and Rosa were Charter Members of Friendship Baptist Church in Owasso. Loving family members include: His son and daughter-in-law; Gary and Beverly Johnson, of Owasso Two daughters and sons-in-law; Rosetta and Randy Akers, of Republic, Missouri Mary and Rick Thomas, of Owasso Eight grandchildren; Isaac Johnson and his wife Kristen, of Collinsville, OK Daniel Johnson and his wife Maegan, of Owasso Cheryl Nold and her husband Justin, of Republic, Missouri Denise Wingo and her husband Scott, of Republic, Missouri Miranda Smith and her husband Mike, of Owasso Cody Thomas, of Dallas, Texas Trenton Thomas and his wife Samantha, of Owasso Tori Schuessler and her husband Derek, of Louisville,

KentuckyFive great grandchildrenBrother; Earl Johnson, of TulsaHe was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Rosa, one brother, Fred Johnson, and one sister, Bettie Arnold. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday, August 10, 2015, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, August 11, 2015, at Friendship Baptist Church in Owasso with Pastor Linzy Slayden and Seniors Minister, Loren McAlister officiating. Serving as casket bearers will be Isaac Johnson, Daniel Johnson, Cody Thomas, Trenton Thomas, Derek Schuessler, Mike Smith, Scott Wingo, and Justin Nold. Committal service and interment with full military honors and gun salute will be held 2:00 p.m. that afternoon at Fort Gibson National Cemetery in Fort Gibson, Oklahoma. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.www.moweryfunerals.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *'Ray was a wonderful man He followed the will of God ,was friendly and a caring , loving man to all that knew him.He was a man of character, loyalty.it was a privilege to have known him and his wife Rosa. Prayers and hugs to the family'*

Debbie Wyatt - August 11, 2015 at 05:12 AM

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“ *'Our hearts are heavy for you and your family during this time. Praying for Christ love and comfort for you all.'*

Bruce and Lori McPherson - August 11, 2015 at 02:13 AM

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“ *'It's been a privilege getting to know Ray and his wife Rosa. They were very special to me. I will greatly miss him,like many others Now he is walking in the beautiful garden in Heaven with his wife.'*

Debbie Wyatt - August 10, 2015 at 06:36 AM

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“ *'Ray was a great example to all of us in our Church Family. '*

Mike & Phyllis Flaugh - August 08, 2015 at 04:32 PM

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“ *'Seeing him representing POWs of WW2 at the God and Country services was a privilege and an honor. He will never be forgotten.'*

Janettia Alexander - August 06, 2015 at 11:57 PM



“ *'To Rays sweet family, may God hold you in his arms and comfort you at this time. Ray was such a sweet man and such a special man of God. He will be greatly missed but Heaven is so much sweeter now.'*

Linda Morris - August 05, 2015 at 02:41 PM



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