



## William Alex Boklach

July 11, 1938 - January 9, 2025

William Alex (Bill) Boklach was born July 11, 1938, in Scranton, Pennsylvania. He passed into eternity on Thursday, January 9, 2025, in Owasso, Oklahoma, at the age of 86 years. Bill joined the United States Air Force in 1956 and was honorably discharged as a Korean War veteran in 1962. While serving in the Air Force, Bill was awarded the Good Conduct Medal along with a longevity award. While stationed at Vance Air Force Base in Enid, Oklahoma, Bill met and married the love of his life, DeAnna Vogt. Together they built a beautiful family. During his years of employment as a commercial bus driver, Bill logged more than a million miles without an accident behind the wheel. After retiring from the bus company, he went on to retire from two other careers, demonstrating his strong work ethic. After Bill's third retirement at age 85, he became a loving caregiver to his wife. Our hearts were full watching him care for her with love and compassion. Those he leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include;

His loving wife of over 66 years; DeAnna

Three daughters; Denise Beihoffer and husband Tom

Rhonda Robbins

Deidra Payne

Seven grandchildren

Four great grandchildren, with another on the way

Sister; Carol

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Bobby, and son-in-law, Wes

Robbins.

Visitation will be held from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday, January 19, 2025, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. A Celebration of Life will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, January 20, 2025, at Mowery Funeral Service Chapel in Owasso. Serving as casket bearers will be Kyle Robbins, Kendall Robbins, Alex Payne, Sean Beihoffer, Alex Beihoffer, and Nick Robbins. Honorary casket bearers will be Wyatt Robbins, and Huk Robbins. Committal service in and interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery in Owasso. The family requests memorial contributions be made in Bill's memory to the American Legion Post #308, 11328 East Admiral Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74116, or the American Heart Association, 2431 East 61st Street, Suite #420, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74136, [www.heart.org](http://www.heart.org). Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

11811 E. 76th St. N.  
Owasso, OK 74055

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 19. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service  
9110 N. Garnett Rd.  
Owasso, OK 74055  
(918) 272-6244  
<https://www.moweryfs.com/>

## Celebration of Life

JAN 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service Chapel  
9110 North Garnett Road  
Owasso, OK 74055

## Memorial Fund

JAN 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

American Legion Post #308  
11328 East Admiral Place  
Tulsa, OK 74116

## Memorial Fund

JAN **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

American Heart Association  
2431 East 61st Street  
Suite #420  
Tulsa, OK 74136

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William Alex Boklach.

January 18, 2025 at 01:45 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Alex Boklach.



January 18, 2025 at 01:45 AM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of William Alex Boklach.



January 17, 2025 at 12:36 PM



“ Love: Annie, Hue, Tammy and Bobby II purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of William Alex Boklach.



Love: Annie, Hue, Tammy and Bobby II - January 16, 2025 at 02:27 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *William Alex Boklach*.



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January 15, 2025 at 10:14 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of *William Alex Boklach*.

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January 15, 2025 at 10:14 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of *William Alex Boklach*.



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January 15, 2025 at 11:18 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of *William Alex Boklach*.



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January 15, 2025 at 10:13 AM

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“ *My love goes out to Deanna, Denise, Dreidra, Rhonda and all the family. I took am broken-hearted to loose the most loving, kind, amazing brother I ever had. Our lives found each other, but he left too soon. We talked almost daily. I miss him so much. I love u Bro!*  
*Your Sis*

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**Carol Ann Burgess** - January 15, 2025 at 08:13 AM