



Dennis R. Mays

June 21, 1944 - May 29, 2017

Funeral services for Dennis R. Mays will be 1:00 p.m., Friday, June 2, 2017 at Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be later at Park Grove Cemetery.

Dennis was born in Tulsa, Oklahoma on June 21, 1944 to Royce William "RW" and Leona (Whitehead) Mays. He passed away on Monday, May 29, 2017 at the age of 72.

Dennis graduated from Bixby High School with the class of 1962 before continuing his education at Oklahoma State University. Dennis worked for McDonnell Douglas as a Supervisor for Production Control.

On June 17, 1966 Dennis married the love of his life, Linda (Susie) Jones, in a Broken Arrow wedding ceremony. Their union was blessed with two sons, Branden and Andy. Dennis was a wonderful husband, father and grandfather. He loved his family and enjoyed spending time with them.

In his free time Dennis enjoyed camping and spending the winters in South Texas. He was a member of the McDonalds Coffee Club, the Tulsa Early V-8 Car Club as an owner of a 1949 Ford Tudor V-8 & Oklahoma Travelers Camping Club. Dennis was also a little league baseball coach and always was playing baseball with his boys by the time they were 2 years old. He had dreams of teaching his grandkids. He loved dogs and adored his faithful

companion, Fritz.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society – Tulsa, 4110 S. 100th E. Ave., Grant Building, Ste. 101, Tulsa, OK 74146 or to the Oklahoma Alliance for Animals, 5321 S. Sheridan Rd., Ste. 30, Tulsa, OK 74145.

Dennis is survived by,

Wife, Susie Mays, Broken Arrow, OK

Children, Branden Mays and wife Emily, Omaha, NE

Andy Mays, Broken Arrow, OK

Grandchildren, Elise 7 and Charlie 5

Sister, Chere Czaia, Bristow, OK

Brother, Gary Mays and wife Susan, Bartlesville, OK

Dennis was preceded in death by his parents and brother Larry.

Cemetery Details

Park Grove Cemetery

1000 W. Houston St.
Broken Arrow, OK 74012
(918) 259-8691

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 2. 1:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
1660 South Elm Place
Broken Arrow, OK 74012
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Tribute Wall



“ *Dennis R. Mays*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about Dennis's passing away. He was my boss for a number of years at McDonnell Douglas.*

Fred Goughler - June 01, 2017 at 05:51 PM



“ *My name is Ed (Eddie) Perry, I now live in southern Arizona. I am so sorry for your loss. Dennis and I were friends from childhood thru high school and after. He was also a Groomsman at our wedding. Many fond memories from years gone bye. God Bless, your absence in this world will be felt.*

Roy (Eddie) Perry - June 01, 2017 at 05:08 PM



I remember from many years ago. Thank you so much for your comment.

susie mays - June 02, 2017 at 08:49 PM



“ *Susie and family, this is just a note to let you know you are in our thoughts and prayers. We share great memories during our time at First Christian Church. Our kids enjoyed youth group together and always know you and Dennis touched each one with your dedication as youth leaders. May sweet memories be yours always. Kandie and family*

Kandie Fairchild - May 31, 2017 at 12:31 PM

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“ I am Chere, Dennis was my brother, he was a older brother that always looked out for me, he taught me how to play football,baseball, how to swim, how to play 52 card pick.up. He always watched over me as a younger sister. He used to take me for rides on his cushman scooter. We both loved dogs, and any animals. Dennis was a great brother, that I looked up to always. I will miss him very much. May he rest in peace.

Chere Czaia - May 31, 2017 at 10:52 AM

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Thank you, Chere. Of course we was often "closed-off Dad", but he'd slip up commonly enough and let share the pride that he felt as the oldest remaining brother of a large family all managed to go their own ways and yet find success;

Andy Mays - June 03, 2017 at 03:08 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dennis R. Mays.



May 30, 2017 at 10:02 PM

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“ It is our honor and privilege to serve the Mays family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Dennis R. Mays.



Hayhurst Funeral Home - May 30, 2017 at 09:56 PM