



Don Foster

December 21, 1947 - March 30, 2026

Donald “Don” Ray Foster was born on Sunday, December 21, 1947 to parents, Earl Denzil Foster and Clara Belle (Blankenship) Foster in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. He left our world from Tulsa, Oklahoma on Monday, March 30, 2026 at the age of 78.

Don was a 1967 graduate of Broken Arrow High School. In those younger years, he was around horses and loved riding them. After graduation he joined the United States Army. Once back in the United States, he returned to Broken Arrow and built a steadfast career at American Airlines as a machinist and then really enjoyed his retirement.

Don had three sons. When they were young, he was very active in their participation with the Boy Scout Troops.

Always on the go, Don liked to stay busy. He was very talented at furniture restoration, something he thoroughly enjoyed. He was interested in farm equipment and had a unique collection. He was involved in the Late Great and Yester Years Car Club. Don was a member of the BA Senior Citizen Center and loved to gather and interact with his friends. Playing cards was one thing he had a good time participating in. He appreciated humor and had such a great ‘sense of humor’ all throughout his life. Don was constantly cracking jokes. Just a fun guy to be around. Another thing he was fond of was traveling with Frances and listening to music. Don will be greatly missed by family and friends!

Family to remember him,

Sons, Brady Foster of Haskell, Oklahoma

Michael Foster of Tulsa, Oklahoma

Earl Foster of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

Grandchildren, Hannah Foster, Emma Foster, Josiah Standiford, Dylan Foster,
Shyann Grafton and Sean, Atlas Tayne, Liam James, Shelby foster

Sibling, Earlene (Foster) and James "Pete" E. Hash

Don was preceded in death by parents, Earl and Clara Foster and sibling,
Lloyd Foster.

Previous Events

Viewing

APR **13**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
1660 South Elm Place
Broken Arrow, OK 74012
(918) 258-9623
hayhurstfuneralhome@gmail.com

Visitation

APR **13**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

APR **14**. 2:30 PM (CT)

Fort Gibson National Cemetery
1423 Cemetery Rd.
Fort Gibson, OK 74434
(918) 478-2334

Tribute Wall



“ A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Don Foster.

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“ Grandpa Foster was a good man! He had such a big heart and was always there for anyone and everyone anytime they needed him. He would always go above and beyond for everyone. He was such a goofy guy. He was honorable! I couldn't imagine a better Grandpa than him. He was a go getter! There was never a day wasted! He lived everyday to the fullest and I pray I still have that motivation like he did. He will forever be loved and missed, but never forgotten!!!



Shyann Grafton - March 31 at 06:52 PM