



## Dorman C. Anderson

February 9, 1931 - January 1, 2023

Dorman C. "Andy" Anderson, Jr. was born February 9, 1931 in Chicago, Illinois to Dorman C. Anderson, Sr. and Natalie (Redfield) Anderson. He graduated from Ripon College, Ripon, WI. where he played on the golf team. Andy joined the U.S. Navy during the Korean Conflict and graduated from Oklahoma University with a degree in Geological Engineering. While at OU he met Janice Hudson of Broken Arrow and they married July 11, 1959.

Anderson worked for Tenneco Oil Co. and then spent 25 years with Transok Pipeline in Tulsa, OK. Upon retirement he and Janice enjoyed traveling and volunteering in the Broken Arrow community. As an active civic leader, Andy served various boards and committees. Two highlights were his involvement as a charter member of the Broken Arrow Community Foundation board and with a passion for education he served as a Broken Arrow School Board Member for 17 years. Andy loved working around his long-time farm and was pleased to have it become part of the Broken Arrow's Events Park near the NSU Campus.

He is survived by his wife Janice of 63 years, two daughters, Gerri Petty (Scott) and Holly Doyle (Joe) and six grandchildren, Catherine Petty, Will Petty, Brendan Doyle, Andrew Doyle, Luke Doyle and Emma Doyle. He is also survived by two brothers, M.R. Anderson and B.K. Anderson, both of Edmond, OK.

The family would like to extend a sincere thanks to the staff at Porta Caeli House in Tulsa, Oklahoma for their compassionate hospice care during his final days. Memorial gifts in Andy's honor may be directed to the Broken Arrow Community Foundation or the Broken Arrow Historical Society.

Private family services.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorman C. Anderson*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *I believe there has been no one who has served Broken Arrow with more love and devotion. Andy quietly and effectively supported many efforts to improve our hometown. He was a friend, a family man, husband, dad, grandpa, a man of God. He will be missed. Thank you for your service Friend. Rest in peace.*

**Lana Gourley** - January 05, 2023 at 09:14 PM



“ *Andy gave a lot of his time to better Broken Arrow, his willingness to serve his community cannot be overstated. Condolences to his family.*

**charlie Gann** - January 05, 2023 at 12:18 PM



“ *Andy Anderson was one of the finest men we ever knew. He was well thought of in Broken Arrow & also in the business world. He & Janice quietly & humbly supported BA for many years.*

**Bill & Frances Criner** - January 04, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *Andy was such an admirable gentleman. He served others generously during the years I knew him at First Presbyterian Church. My condolences to all the family.*

**Linn Ball** - January 04, 2023 at 08:51 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. I knew Andy back to childhood. Andy was one of the nicest persons I ever knew. His loss is heartfelt.*

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**Scott Kirk** - January 04, 2023 at 11:39 AM

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*Our sympathy to the family and know you are in our prayers. While our paths had not crossed in recent times the wonderful memories of earlier years when we lived in Broken Arrow remain very vivid in my mind. My memories of Andy were as an outstanding man, a loving family man, a genuine friend and Christian. The world could use more men like Andy. His loss will be felt by many.*

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**michael Clark** - January 08, 2023 at 03:52 PM

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“ *it is our honor and privilege to serve the Anderson family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Dorman.*



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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - January 02, 2023 at 11:03 AM