



Frederick Marsh

December 30, 1940 - March 9, 2025

Frederick Raymond Marsh was born on December 30, 1940 in El Reno, Oklahoma, the son of George Edwin Marsh and Isabelle Catherine Yohe Marsh. He passed from this life on March 9, 2025 in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma at the age of 84.

Fred grew up in Oklahoma City, he was an Eagle Scout and a highly decorated athlete, he graduated high school from Bishop McGuiness High school in 1959, where he was inducted into the Bishop McGuiness Sports Hall of Fame for football, baseball and track in 2003. He attended the University of Oklahoma where he played college football for the Sooners.

Fred worked for the United States Postal Service and worked his way up to Postmaster and Postal Inspector. He also volunteered as a police officer in Del City. He attended police academy in 1970 and worked his way up the ranks to be a detective and was for many years. After Retiring from the postal service and the police department in the 1990s, he opened a private investigation company.

He loved guns, camping, boats, fishing, hunting, scuba diving, dancing, football, and watching John Wayne & James Bond & other action movies. Above all, he loved his family; he required his family to eat dinner every night at the dining room table, where everyone was together and talked about their day.

He told many stories at the dinner table, where his children's friends would come over and eat and describe him as the most interesting man they ever

met.

During the holidays Fred's home would be full of kids, grandchildren and chaos. Grand kids and in-laws would be playing sports in the front yard and shooting bows and arrows in the backyard. And in every room of the house there were groups of family members deep in conversations & laughter. His legacy will live on; after 7 children and 41 grandchildren & great grandchildren.

He will be greatly missed by all who know him.

Fred is survived by:

Children:

Dina Aitken

Kirstin Tracy

James Marsh

Karen Marsh-Kelleher

Kimberly Farquhar

Kendra Folks

Jonathan Marsh

Grandchildren: 22 grandchildren and 1 on the way

Great-Grandchildren: 17 Great grandchildren and 1 on the way

Dina & Jim Aitken- Katy & James- Liam

Zelda

Laia

Casey & Sasha- Wayde

Elli

Kristin Tracy- Joshua & Jennifer- Evelyn

Mia

Matthew & Micah

Kayla & Derrick- Falyn

Sloan

Elizabeth & Bryce- Colt

Brock

James Marsh- Mikel & Michelle- Aubree

Brody

Amelia

Ariel

Emily

Karen Kelleher- Brittany- Shyla

Gabriel

SK

Joseph

Isabella Rose

Kim Farquhar-

Kendra Folks-

Jonathan Marsh-

Mason

Spencer & Maria-

Cade & Kate

Kylie

Cannon

Skylar

Savannah

Sawyer

Montana

Maverick

Tribute Wall

CH

“ *why wouldn't any of his family respectfully put his belongings to rest instead of leaving the big mess in his home that you all enjoyed I might add....why would no one take his personal items and treat them with more respect then leaving them the way you did....very upsetting.*

Chrisv - January 06 at 12:05 PM

GM

“ *I enjoyed working many years with Fred and also involvement with the JayCees. He was a good friend.*

George Manning - November 17, 2025 at 04:12 PM

DM

“ Dear bereaved family and dear relatives of Mr. Frederick Marsh. I am deeply saddened and would like to express my heartfelt condolences. May the many fond memories of Frederick Marsh give you comfort and strength during this difficult time. The only important things in life are the traces of love that we leave behind when we go. It doesn't matter when you lose someone. It is always too soon and it always hurts. When the sun of life sets, the stars of memory shine. Everything has its time, there is a time of joy, a time of silence, a time of pain, a time of mourning and a time of grateful remembrance. Death can separate us from the person who belonged to us, but it cannot take away what connects us to him. I had the honor to communicate with Mr. Marsh and was able to experience twice what a kind-hearted, dear, friendly, wonderful and wise person he was. I am very grateful for that. He received me with great kindness. Unfortunately, I did not have the opportunity to send him a gift of thanks. I will always keep Mr. Marsh in my memory. From the bottom of my heart, I wish you enough strength and the necessary confidence for the difficult time of mourning. With kind regards and deepest sympathy Diana Maier



Diana Maier - March 17, 2025 at 05:49 PM

DM

“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Frederick Marsh. From Diana Maier

Diana Maier - March 17, 2025 at 04:54 PM

DM

“ Diana Maier purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of Frederick Marsh.



Diana Maier - March 17, 2025 at 04:54 PM

AT

“ Allison (Pipkin) Thompson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frederick Marsh.

Allison (Pipkin) Thompson - March 17, 2025 at 12:33 PM

AT

“ Allison (Pipkin) Thompson purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of Frederick Marsh.



Allison (Pipkin) Thompson - March 17, 2025 at 12:33 PM

TT

“ Tom and Jodi Tracy purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Frederick Marsh.



Tom and Jodi Tracy - March 13, 2025 at 08:34 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Frederick Marsh.*



March 12, 2025 at 07:44 PM



“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Marsh family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Frederick.*



Hayhurst Funeral Home Hayhurst - March 10, 2025 at 10:50 AM



I didn't know Frederick marsh personally, but I have the honors of knowing Jonathan Marsh so sorry for your loss Jonathan Jane

jane gibson - March 13, 2025 at 05:59 PM



Fred Marsh was a wonderful person, athlete, and friend...I'll miss you buddy!

joseph Jarvis - March 14, 2025 at 09:33 PM

WP

The first time I became aware of Fred was in grade school. He was pitching for Corpus Christi and Brian Dell was catching. I was playing for John Carrol. I didn't get a hit. We became friends in high school. He was differently the star of the team. I was more of a blocking dummy. I was in the defensive line. Fred ran by me so fast I didn't see him until he was in the secondary. We spent many weekends at his cousins ranch west of Okarche terrorizing the poor jackrabbits or scuba driving at Tenkiller. When I returned to OU, we rented a small apartment just off campus until he got married. When I returned from the Navy, he already had a house full of kids. I always considered Fred one of my best friends. I will miss him. I'm not to far behind him.

Walter L Pipkin - March 15, 2025 at 10:03 AM

KA

My deepest condolences to the Marsh family. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time 🙏

Kathy - March 23, 2025 at 07:38 AM