



Ira G. "Dan" Wilton

January 16, 1947 - April 17, 2016

A funeral service honoring the life of Ira "Dan" Wilton will be 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 20, 2016 at Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Viewing will be at the funeral home on Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. with family receiving visitors from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Dan passed away in Tulsa, Oklahoma on Sunday, April 17, 2016. He was 69 years of age.

Dan was born in Levelland, Texas on January 16, 1947 to Alvin Henry and Mary Lucille (Hoffman) Wilton. Growing up in Texas and Oklahoma, Dan was tough and had what it took to be a good cowboy. He graduated from Union High School in 1965 and continued his education and training at Tulsa Vo-tech. Dan worked as a machinist for McKissick Group for over 40 years until his retirement in 2011. He was a dedicated and hard worker.

On May 2, 1998 Dan married Janice Gates Shell in a Eureka Springs, Arkansas wedding ceremony. Dan was a wonderful husband and father. He loved his family and was a great provider for them. He was the proud grandfather of 18 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

Dan was a member of the Masonic Lodge and was an avid gun enthusiast. He also loved to read historical fiction books. Dan was able to travel the world during his work with AAMCO and visited a great many destinations.

Dan is survived by,

Wife, Janice Wilton, Broken Arrow, OK

Children, Bryan Wilton and wife Stephanie Martin-Wilton, Broken Arrow, OK

Brenda Miller and husband John, Broken Arrow, OK

Benjamin Shell, Florida

Michiele Vargas and husband Ky, Broken Arrow, OK

Matthew Shell and wife Brandi, Coweta, OK

Chris Shell and wife Michele, Broken Arrow, OK

18 Grandchildren

4 Great Grandchildren

Numerous Nieces, Nephews, Other Loving Family and Friends

Dan was preceded in death by his parents, brother Jimmy Wilton and sister Alva Pinson.

Previous Events

Viewing

APR **19**. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
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Visitation

APR **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

APR **20**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ira G. "Dan" Wilton*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.*



April 20, 2016 at 11:42 AM



“ *Dan and I grew up together and were good friends. I am very sorry for your loss. I'm not able to get off work, but my thoughts and prayers and there with you. Kyle Kennon*

Kyle Kennon - April 20, 2016 at 05:50 AM



“ *Although I didn't know Dan Wilton personally, I ran into him a few times being neighbors of his son Bryan and daughter-in-law Stephanie, Scarlett and Jeffrey. It warms my heart the love this family shows during the good and the bad times. As an observer, I have noticed family comes first and that's so important and such a beautiful thing. God bless you and keep you through this tough time. My heart weeps for you.
Your neighbor
Monica*



Monica Crow - April 19, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *My Fair Lady was purchased for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.*



April 19, 2016 at 03:36 PM



“ *DAN.....My fondness memories of you date back to the summer of 1961 and those weeks you, Ronnie Coker and I spent camping out on Sugar Loaf Hill overlooking the Union School community. That's the summer we first discussed the possibilities of dating a classmate by the name of Patty (who would have ever guessed she would become you future wife). I remember our raiding Jimmy and Kennie's camp site of their food stories so that we could extend our stay a little longer (shame on us). That was also the summer you officially changed you name and requested that in the future we all referred to you as UNCLE DAN or just plan DAN (I guess it stuck). It saddens me that all four of you guys are gone now but I'm sure you guys are happy being reunited.
My condolences to your all family, Lanny Brown.*

Lanny Brown - April 19, 2016 at 02:06 PM



“ *Shelbe, Jeffrey, Errin and Josh purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.*



Shelbe, Jeffrey, Errin and Josh - April 19, 2016 at 12:38 PM



“ Russ and Stephanie Greene purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.



Russ and Stephanie Greene - April 19, 2016 at 12:07 PM



“ Janice, Bryan, Brenda and family, sending each of you our deepest condolences and love. RIP Dan. You leave your family with lots of wonderful memories and your love. You will be missed by many.

Grant & Pat Harris

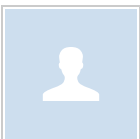
Pat Harris - April 19, 2016 at 10:54 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.



April 19, 2016 at 10:07 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.



April 19, 2016 at 10:01 AM

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Crystal Shell - April 19, 2016 at 08:28 AM

GH

“ Gary and Amber Harris purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.



Gary and Amber Harris - April 18, 2016 at 08:34 PM

EP

“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Errin Perez - April 18, 2016 at 08:25 PM

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“ Charlie and Diane Hillegass purchased the *Florist Choice Bouquet* for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.



Charlie and Diane Hillegass - April 18, 2016 at 06:14 PM



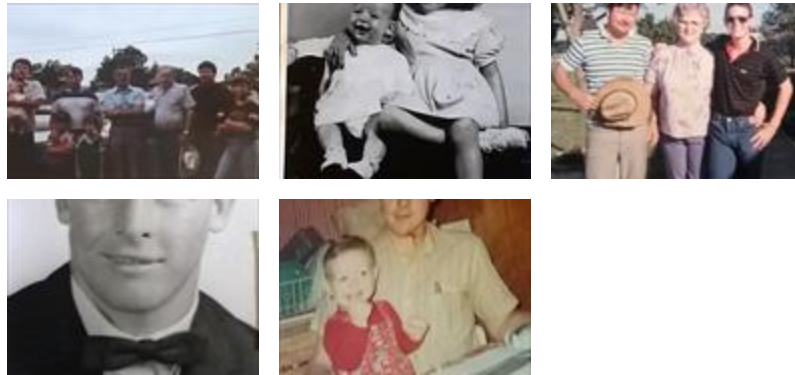
“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ira G. "Dan" Wilton.*



April 18, 2016 at 04:01 PM



“ *14 files added to the album Memories Album*



Errin Pere - April 18, 2016 at 03:47 PM



“ *Praying for the Lord to give you a peace and comfort at this very difficult time.
With my deepest sympathy.
Kathi Webb*

KATHI WEBB - April 18, 2016 at 03:18 PM



“ 16 files added to the album Memories Album



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 18, 2016 at 02:18 PM



“ It is our honor and privilege to serve the Wilton family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Ira "Dan" Wilton.



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 18, 2016 at 10:32 AM