



Jerry Lynn Showman

December 9, 1940 - December 2, 2017

Services honoring the life of Jerry Lynn Showman will be held 1:00 p.m., Friday, December 8, 2017, at Clearview Baptist Church, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Burial will follow at Park Grove Cemetery with military honors. Friends may view the funeral home on Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. His family will receive visitors from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Thursday.

Jerry was born in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma on December 9, 1940 to Loyd C. and Juanita Mae (Davis) Showman. Jerry passed away on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at the age of 76 years, 51 weeks.

Jerry graduated from Broken Arrow High School and went on to serve his country in the United States Navy. Jerry, a life time resident of Broken Arrow, owned and operated Universal Rental and Sales, Inc. Jerry was a pioneer in the rent-to-own business helping establish the bylaws and regulations for the state.

On November 20, 1964 Jerry married the love of his life, Shirley Ann Watts, at The Assembly. Their union was blessed with two wonderful daughters, Nikki Lyn and Stacy Ayn. His four grandchildren, Michelle, Jacob, Chloe, and Mikayla were his true delights. Jerry was a wonderful husband, dad, and papa and adored his family and loved spending time with them.

In his spare time, Jerry enjoyed collecting coins, guns and cars. He never liked sitting still but loved to work. Jerry was a very generous man and loved to help people. He enjoyed singing in the choir and loved his GloryLand Baptist Church family.

Memorials may be made to the Disabled American Veterans, 125 S. Main St., Room 1830, Muskogee, Oklahoma 74401.

Jerry is survived by,

Wife, Shirley Showman, Broken Arrow, OK

Daughters, Nikki Lyn Crook, Broken Arrow, OK

Stacy Ayn Showman, Coweta, OK

Grandchildren, Michelle, Jacob, Chloe, Mikayla

Sisters, Sonja and Frank Banfield, Broken Arrow, OK

Joni and Michael Addington, Lynchburg, VA

Brother, Tony and Kimberly Showman, Indianapolis, IN

Sister-in-law, Donna Jean Showman, Frisco, TX

Jerry is preceded in death by his father, mother, and brother, Loyd C.

Showman, Jr. and will be missed by nieces, nephews, cousins, classmates of BAHS Classes of 1959 and 1960, and many friends.

Cemetery Details

Park Grove Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Viewing

DEC 6. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

Viewing

DEC 7. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

DEC 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

DEC 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

Clearview Baptist Church
23003 E. Hwy 51
Broken Arrow, OK 74014

Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry Lynn Showman*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *We are so honored to have known Jerry. Our little group just got closer and closer with all our trips together. The fun times when you would come to San Francisco and you would show us around. We got a kick out of that. He had to have a stash of cookies and toothpicks and could not pass a hot dog stand without stopping. We truly enjoyed him. Bill thought of him as one of his brothers.*

Bill Schriver - January 02, 2018 at 12:59 PM



“ *What we knew of Jerry was that Shirley and their family loved him beyond measure, he was a good husband and Dad and Keith's sister, Ona Jean, thought of him as a brother. She laughed when she talked about him and shared memories of growing up with Jerry. They are both now in Heaven, I'm sure having a reunion with other Broken Arrow folks laughing and talking about the good 'ole days. Hold steadfast, as Jerry did, to Christ because He has promised that same reunion for His own! I know the angels rejoiced as Jerry entered the gates! With heartfelt sympathy and love! Keith & Darla Wilson*

Keith & Darla Wilson - December 08, 2017 at 07:05 AM

VF

“ Vivienne Ford lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lynn Showman



Vivienne Ford - December 07, 2017 at 10:47 PM

VF

“ Jerry was one of the sweetest fellows I ever met. I'm so sorry to hear of his passing but joyful knowing his is in his glory with our Savior! Much love to you, Shirley and your family!

Vivienne Ford - December 07, 2017 at 10:45 PM

CD

“ Bill and I were very sorry to learn that Jerry had passed. He really did win the race. He was a very good man. May his soul rest in piece. We are very sad for the whole family. Love to all of you Claudette and Bill Dragoun

claudette dragoun - December 07, 2017 at 10:24 PM

CW

“ So thankful for memories of fellowship and fun in Sunday School Couples' Classes and in churches together through many years of friendship with Jerry and Shirley. He was truly a Christian gentleman and friend. Clella Walker

Clella Walker - December 07, 2017 at 05:45 PM

JE

“ We will truly miss him. He was such a big part of our life and always had love in his heart. I hope they have Costco hot dogs in the heavens as he would love one now and then. The Navy reunions were the best and he was always the first one to say "We will be there" Even when they were cruises which he hated. Love and prayers to all the family. Mike and Joann Esser

Joann Esser - December 07, 2017 at 03:16 PM

KM

“ Shirley and family. Jerry and Shirley both mean so much to me. As a child yes a child working right out of school for them at Evelyn's Fine Jewelry they treated me like one of there own. Thought me so much. And have been in contact thru Facebook and a few visits..not enough..I will miss Jerry so much. Love you bunches Shirley and praying for the family. Love Kim Mccutcheon

Kim Mccuycheon - December 06, 2017 at 08:41 PM

BH

“ *Knowing Jerry for more than 25 years,
I am proud to say he was my friend.
We shared many common interest.
Our love of our Dogs, travel and family,
Always gave Jerry and I something to
Visit about.*

*If I had to describe Jerry showman in
A song... it would be My Way.... by
Frank Sinatra.....*

Because we all knew Jerry to be a leader amoug his family & peers.

*I will especially miss my fellowship
With Jerry.*

*Bennie
Herrell jr.*

Bennie Herrell - December 05, 2017 at 10:11 PM

SF

“ *Stant Finance Friends purchased the Fairest of A
ll for the family of Jerry Lynn Showman.*



Stant Finance Friends - December 05, 2017 at 10:30 AM

RJ

“ Shirley, I have experienced how friends " Divide our sorrows and multiply our Joys" I count myself a friend and am sharing in the joy of Jerry's escape from the pain of this life, into the joy of eternal peace with God. You were a very beautiful care giver to him I am certain. Ray Jackson

Ray Jackson - December 05, 2017 at 01:20 AM

CW

“ Dear Shirley and family, I pray for God's guidance in your lives as you deal with the loss of your loved one.



Carol Sue Willcutt - December 04, 2017 at 08:36 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jerry Lynn Showman.



December 04, 2017 at 02:12 PM

MP

“ Shirley, and all of the family,

Jerry was a true friend, always loving and kind to everyone. He fought a courageous fight. We will miss his smile, hugs and friendship.

Shirley you have been a mighty pillar, and an outstanding example of "til death do us part." God bless you with on-going strength, peace and comfort.

*Your friends,
Elmer & Marcella Pense*

Marcella Pense - December 03, 2017 at 11:16 PM

HH

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



Hayhurst Funeral Home - December 03, 2017 at 07:48 PM