



Joey Parks

June 30, 1954 - November 2, 2025

Fred Joseph Parks, affectionately known as Joey, was born in Rock Hill, South Carolina, on Wednesday, June 3, 1954, to Fred William and Norma Beleebonteen (LeGere) Parks. He left his home in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, to meet Jesus on Sunday, November 2, 2025, at the age of 71.

Joey was one of two children raised in Rock Hill, South Carolina, where he graduated from Rock Hill High School and went on to further his education, earning an associate's degree from the Church on the Move School of Ministry.

Joey met the love of his life, Mary "Tammy" Massey, in his hometown of Rock Hill. He was instantly smitten, and after patiently waiting until her 18th birthday, he made her his wife on Saturday, March 22, 1975. This year, they joyfully celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary — a true testament to their love and devotion.

Together, they raised two daughters and poured their hearts into helping raise their three grandchildren, who were like second children to them. Joey treasured his wife, children, and grandchildren above all else. He was a devoted husband, a loving father, a proud "PawPaw," an incredible brother, a loyal friend, and a faithful minister and deacon.

Joey found great joy in creating a childhood full of adventure for his grandkids. He built them a two-story playhouse, a full playset, and even cleared and fenced in a two-acre property so they could ride their Little Tikes vehicles and golf cart around safely. He was happiest when surrounded by family laughter

in the backyard.

He appreciated a good cup of coffee, a slice of chocolate cake, and his favorite meals — pork chops and seafood. He loved barbecuing, smoking meats, and spending time outdoors. Whether traveling to the mountains or the coast, Joey was a man who savored the beauty of God's creation. Known for his tireless work ethic, he was always improving his home and land. When his grandchildren were born, he stepped away from his daytime job to be their full-time caretaker — a role he cherished above all others — before later taking on night shifts to continue providing for his family.

Joey built his life on the foundation and knowledge of Jesus Christ. He faithfully served in ministry and was honored to work alongside Richard Roberts Ministries. He shared his faith generously and lived a life marked by love, service, and grace. Joey was a proud member of Victory Church in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Family meant everything to him.

To cherish his memory, he leaves behind:

- Wife: Tammy Parks of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma
- Children: Candra Parks of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Jessica Cloud of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma
- Grandchildren: Zoey Cloud, Rylee Cloud, and Piper Cloud
- Siblings: Norma Jean Aubrey and Rick Aubrey
- Nieces: Jennifer Kimbrell and Michele Rockholt

Cemetery Details

Park Grove Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV 5. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
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Visitation

NOV 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

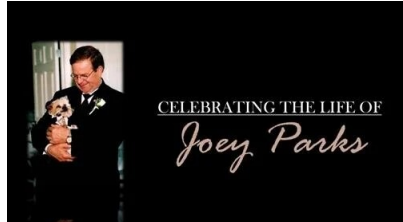
NOV 6. 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hayhurst Funeral Home created a Funeral Service in memory of Joey Parks



Hayhurst Funeral Home - November 03, 2025 at 03:45 PM



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“ We have been neighbors of Joey and Tammy for 40 years. Joey was always the kindest man that reflected Christ wherever he went. He and Tammy were always quick to help when needed and watched over things while we were gone. We will truly miss seeing and talking with him. Our heartfelt condolences to Tammy, Jessica, Candra and the granddaughters (who were his world) along with other family and friends.

“Even so, come, Lord Jesus” Rev 22:20

Mike and Angela Moon

Angela Moon - November 04, 2025 at 01:29 PM

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“ *Jill Elsberry purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of Joey Parks.*



Jill Elsberry - November 04, 2025 at 01:24 PM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Tammy and her family. Joey was an amazing man and did Gods work every day. He has touched many lives & prayed for so many people. He will truly be missed. We love you Joey!!!!*

Jennifer Walker - November 04, 2025 at 08:21 AM