



Richard Dobbins

January 21, 1945 - October 25, 2025

Richard Virgil Dobbins of Mesa, Arizona passed away Saturday evening at the age of 80. He was born in Coweta, Oklahoma on Sunday, January 21, 1945, to Raymond and Lola (Brown) Dobbins. Richard was preceded in death by both of his parents as well as two sisters, Ramona Rhodes and Joyce Thompson.

Richard spent his childhood in the Broken Arrow and Coweta areas and enjoyed helping around his family's farm. He was a Broken Arrow High School Graduate of 1963. Right out of high school, Richard worked at Broken Wheel Auto Parts for several years. On August 29, 1974, he married the love of his life, Kris Caldwell, in Englewood, Colorado and they spent 51 wonderful years together as husband and wife.

Richard was what some would consider to be a renaissance man and was always good with his hands. He first showed his love for all things automotive and mechanical by building his first motorcycle. Richard was always building things, working on cars, and even converted an old Dodge van into a vehicle the family used to go camping in complete with a bed, small kitchen, and even a water source. He retired after 40 plus years as a regional manager in the building materials industry. His love for his work brought him back from time to time as a consultant. Above all these things, he drew the greatest joy in life from spending time with his family and made them a priority above all else. He

will be truly missed by all who knew him.

A graveside service honoring his life will be held at 1pm, Wednesday, November 12, 2025, at Vernon Cemetery.

Those left to cherish his memories are:

Wife Kris Dobbins of the home

Children Janice Ruiz and husband Jake of Chandler, Arizona

Danny Dobbins and wife Raven of Claremore, Oklahoma

Cindy Dobbins Kirk of Claremore, Oklahoma

Grandchildren Konner and Chloe, Kailee and Josh, Madalin, Marydith, Jude, Tyler, Mariah

Great-Grandchildren Ethan, Lilly and Layla

Siblings Nancy Brooks, Mike Dobbins, Linda Dobbins

Previous Events

Graveside Service

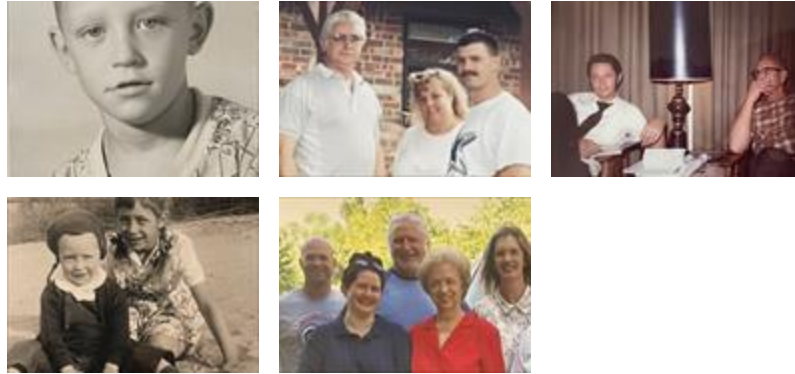
NOV 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

Vernon Cemetery
14827 South 305th East Avenue
Coweta, OK 74429

Tribute Wall

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“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Linda Dobbins - November 11, 2025 at 08:43 PM

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Linda Dobbins - November 11, 2025 at 08:42 PM

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C Kirk - November 10, 2025 at 10:26 PM

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“ *A much younger version of Dad! Just as handsome!*



C Kirk - November 10, 2025 at 09:47 PM

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Dad is in the background, his son, Danny is the bullet and kid gun cowboy.

C Kirk - November 11, 2025 at 10:53 AM

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“ *Dad, Sis and one of the grands. Visiting in Oklahoma.*



C Kirk - November 10, 2025 at 09:44 PM

AN

“ *1 file added to the album Family*



Anonymous - November 10, 2025 at 04:06 PM

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Dad, Aunt Nancy and Aunt Joyce celebrating life at the Apple Cafe.

C Kirk - November 10, 2025 at 09:37 PM

SS

“ Shannon Sarty purchased the *Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum* for the family of Richard Dobbins.



Shannon Sarty - November 10, 2025 at 02:23 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the
family of Richard Dobbins.



November 09, 2025 at 12:35 PM

MS

“ Mike & Jo Stearns planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Dobbins.

Mike & Jo Stearns - November 09, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of
Richard Dobbins.



November 06, 2025 at 01:31 PM



“ Oasis Animal Hospital planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Dobbins.

Oasis Animal Hospital - November 06, 2025 at 01:31 PM