



## Truman Olin Criss Jr.

September 20, 1937 - April 9, 2023

Truman Olin Criss Jr. was born on Monday, September 20, 1937, in Omaha, Nebraska, the son of Truman Olin, Sr. and Esther Claussen Criss. He passed this life on Sunday, April 9, 2023, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was 85 years of age.

Truman was a 1955 graduate of Benson High School in Omaha, Nebraska. He attended the University of Colorado and Denver University. He was married to the former Miss Linda Casey on November 26, 1960, in Morris, Oklahoma. Truman was employed 47 years in Radio and Television Advertising, most current as Co-Founder & President of ROI Media. Truman enjoyed golf and fast cars. He was a people person who enjoyed working. His greatest joy came from spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. Truman was a veteran of the United States Army, past member of the Sertoma Club, the Rotary Club of Broken Arrow, and the Tulsa Executives Association for 22 years. A member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Sunday school teacher and church Elder for over 40 years.

He is survived by.

His wife, Linda Lu Criss, of the home

Daughter, Sabra Dawn Criss, Broken Arrow, OK

Sons, Kevin Olin & wife Shea Lynn Criss, Bixby, OK  
Derek Sean Criss & fiancé Kerrie Jennifer Weilert, Tulsa, OK  
Brett Adam & wife Kristine Dawn Criss, Owasso, OK  
Casey Wade & wife Kristi Dawn Criss, Jenks, OK

Twelve Grandchildren

Elizabeth Ann  
Amy Elizabeth  
Hannah Kate  
Jake Olin  
Sam Olin  
Zachary Sean  
Finn Jae  
Reagan Danielle & husband Kenneth Allen Dowden  
Kaitlyn Dawn  
Chance William  
Kylie Dawn  
Karsyn Danielle

Six Great Grandchildren

Julian Michael  
River Lee  
Jonah Stone  
Kennedy Dawn  
Braelyn Rae  
Tucker Daniel

Sister, Deb and husband, Daniel Fosburgh, Denver, CO

Truman was preceded in death by his parents, Truman and Esther, sister,

Phyllis.

# Previous Events

## Service

APR **19**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
5750 S Elm Pl.  
Broken Arrow, OK 74011  
(918) 455-5750

# Tribute Wall



“ *Truman Olin Criss Jr.*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Pictorial Video Tribute*



**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - April 19, 2023 at 11:04 AM

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“ *Matt & Dee Robinson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



**Matt & Dee Robinson** - April 18, 2023 at 04:39 PM

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“ *The Staff of New Beginnings ELC purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



**The Staff of New Beginnings ELC** - April 18, 2023 at 01:53 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 18, 2023 at 12:57 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 18, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Amy & Joe Banfield purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



**Amy & Joe Banfield** - April 18, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 17, 2023 at 11:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 17, 2023 at 01:35 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 17, 2023 at 08:12 AM



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**Kevin Criss** - April 15, 2023 at 03:17 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 15, 2023 at 01:20 PM



“ *Precision Equity purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



**Precision Equity** - April 14, 2023 at 03:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..*



April 13, 2023 at 01:20 PM

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“ Linda, the best memories I have of Truman are when he would visit the office and we would talk about the trips his company took you on. I used to try to get him to adopt me. We shared a lot of laughs about that. He was always so nice and kind to me and always asked about Rob and the kids every time he came in.  
Love to you, the kids, grandkids, great-grandkids, and all of your family,

*Cathy and Rob Brown*

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**Cathy Brown** - April 12, 2023 at 09:37 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..



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April 12, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..



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April 12, 2023 at 10:56 AM



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Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 11, 2023 at 01:58 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Truman Olin Criss Jr..



April 11, 2023 at 09:37 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 10, 2023 at 11:02 AM



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



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 10, 2023 at 12:06 AM