



Uless Archer

December 22, 1934 - June 24, 2018

Uless Archer, 83, of Broken Arrow, passed away Sunday, June 24, 2018. A funeral service honoring his life will be held Friday, June 29th in the Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel with burial following at Fort Gibson National Cemetery. Friends may visit Uless at the funeral home Thursday, June 28th from 11:00 am till 8:00 pm.

Uless was born Saturday, December 22, 1934 in Webber Falls, OK to Silvester and Nola (Bennett) Archer. He married the love of his life, Joy Buck and their union was blessed with two sons, Roger and Steve.

Uless was a longtime fan of Dodgers baseball going back to their time in Brooklyn. He retired as a Postman in Broken Arrow after 30 years. After retirement he stayed busy by driving a school bus for special needs students in Broken Arrow. He was a volunteer at the Oklahoma Aquarium in Jenks from the day it opened its doors. In his time off he enjoyed traveling to Canada to fish for small mouth bass.

Survivors include:

Sons Roger and Kathy Archer of Tulsa

Steve and Dana Archer of Jenks

Uless is predeceased by:

Wife Joy Archer

Parents Silvester and Nola Archer

Memorials may be made in lieu of flowers to The Oklahoma Aquarium in Jenks at www.okaquarium.org/donate/

Cemetery Details

Fort Gibson National Cemetery

1423 Cemetery Rd.
Fort Gibson, OK 74434
(918) 478-2334

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 28. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

JUN 29. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LJ

“ Im really sad to see this. Joy and Uless were so good to me when I was little. They took me on my first Zingo ride. Took me bowling my first time. I still have the score sheet and im 61. Unless was such a wonderful man. I spent a lot of time at their house. Remember nothing but love and kindness. In fact when I was little I looked up to them and their marriage and how much they cared for each other and hoped and prayed that I would grow up and find a relationship like theirs. I did. Married 36yrs. I remember one year Uless planted a huge strawberry garden. At least to a 6 year old it was huge and full of all the strawberries I could pick and eat. I was taught to do ceramics by them. I can't say enough of how good I felt around Uless and Joy. Fun fact: My first son was named Buck after Joy and he was born on her birthday. Incredible people.

LeAnn Fulps Jones - March 24 at 11:15 PM



“ Uless Archer

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM

TA

“ here i am 2 years after his death, my favorite person in this world. the best person i've ever met, the best papa anyone could ask for. he meant so much to me, he meant so much to all of us. oh god i miss him so much, until i see you again papa💔



Tanner Archer - November 14, 2020 at 02:15 AM

TA

“ All I wanted to say, is that I miss you Papa so very much and everything you did for me, I think about you everyday and how desperately I wanna see you again. I love you

Tanner Archer - September 09, 2019 at 10:26 PM

LM

“ Happy Birthday, Pop! You are so loved and missed so much

Lexie McKnight - December 22, 2018 at 07:54 PM

HA

“ Hunter Archer lit a candle in memory of Uless Archer



Hunter Archer - December 12, 2018 at 06:52 PM

HA

“ I will never forget everything that my great grandpa has done for me. He was the best and purest person I've ever known. Thanks to everyone who showed up to the funeral and the ones who couldn't bring themselves to go. Thank you all for remembering this amazing person.

Hunter Archer - December 12, 2018 at 06:50 PM

LM

Thinking of you all always hunter! Today my family and I took donuts to the aquarium for the volunteers in honor of Pops birthday. We miss him so much.

Lexie McKnight - December 22, 2018 at 07:50 PM

RF

“ I really enjoyed shooting on the National Guard pistol team with Uless. He was the leader of the team. He will be missed. Ron Fox

Ron Fox - June 28, 2018 at 07:43 PM

JH

“ Thoughts and prayers in your time of sorrow
Will miss all the good stories about hunting & fishing

Jeff Harger

Jeff Harger - June 28, 2018 at 06:34 PM



“ Uless has been a dear friend for many, many years. He was an amazing volunteer, but my love for him extends so far beyond his volunteer service. Uless was one of the kindest most warm hearted people I have ever been lucky enough to know. We talked many times over the years how he was the first non blood family member to hold our son Eli. He came out every year and helped work the ODWC Wildlife Expo. It was there that Uless saw my girls asking me to go kayak with them, but I had a tiny baby. Uless comforted me and held Eli so that I could go play with our twins. That was the day I fell in love with Uless and it only continued to grow over the next 12 years. He will be so missed by not only me, but everyone here at the Aquarium whose lives he touched and impacted. My sincere condolences to his family and especially to sweet Hunter who has also become family.



Ann Money - June 28, 2018 at 01:46 PM

TA

“ I worked with Uless a few Saturdays a month when he volunteered at the Oklahoma Aquarium. When I would walk by to check on him, he would say "sit down here for a minute" and he would tell me stories about fishing, and how things were when the Aquarium first opened. He was always so happy and proud to be here, no matter how he felt. I will truly miss his stories, and our talks, and that friendly face. Prayers to his family and friends during this hard time.

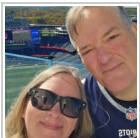
Tara - June 28, 2018 at 11:32 AM

RW

“ Uless was one of my employees when I supervised the Special Needs Drivers and Aides at Broken Arrow Public Schools. He was very kind to the students he transported and every year those student's parents would call and ask if Uless was going to be their bus driver for the next school year. Uless was organized and was loyal to the school district and the staff at Transportation. Uless took every student to be his responsibility to nurture and care for each school year. There were many people who rode with Uless on his school bus and each one of them considered him to be a friend who loved and cared about their lives on a daily basis. Uless may you rest in peace knowing you had a great impact on many during your short time here on earth.

Robin D. Weaver

Robin D. Weaver - June 28, 2018 at 08:21 AM



“ Prayers for the family. My dad (Bobby Samuel) and Uless were fishing buddies. Absolutely have wonderful memories of Uless and Joy. Praying for you all!

Diana Milton - June 26, 2018 at 02:58 PM

RO

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Ron organ - June 25, 2018 at 09:12 PM

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Ron organ - June 25, 2018 at 09:04 PM

HH

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



Hayhurst Funeral Home - June 24, 2018 at 09:40 AM