



## Benjamin Harrison Melton, Jr.

August 18, 1953 - August 9, 2024

Benjamin Harrison Melton Jr. age 70 of Talihina, Oklahoma passed away from this life on August 9th, 2024 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Benjamin was born on August 18, 1953 in Talihina, Oklahoma to Dorothy Mae (Johnico) and Benjamin Melton Sr. He graduated from Whitesboro High School and went to work as a dietary aide. Benjamin loved the OU Sooners and Dallas Cowboys and spent every Sunday cheering on his favorite teams. He also enjoyed being outdoors, fishing and spending time with his family and friends. Benjamin was a proud member of the Choctaw Nation tribe and the Good Springs Methodist Church. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Benjamin is survived by his spouse of 30 years, Brenda Hickman of the home; three sons, Benjamin Harrison Melton III, David Melton, and Justin Melton; brothers, Michael Melton and wife Lisa, Roy Melton, Melvin Melton, and Jason Melton and wife Nelda; sisters, Louise Vanriette and husband Robert, Lynn King and Anthony, and Annete Smith and husband Eddie; two grandchildren, Miko Roy Harley, and Amaya Rayne Melton; as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and many friends.

Benjamin is preceded in passing by his parents, Benjamin and Dorothy Melton; sister, Brenda Kay Melton; brother Gerald Melton.

Pallbearers will be Michael Ludlow, Aideen Ludlow, Joshee Godsby, Melvin Melton, Raben King, and Lakota Vanriette.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Donald Mings, Larry Baxter, Kenneth Anderson, Tomi King, Jaylen Melton, Dillon Meashintubby, and Trey Ashley.

Visitation will be on Wednesday, August 14th, 2024 from 4:00PM to 6:00PM at McCarn Funeral Service in Talihina, Oklahoma.

Graveside services will be on Thursday, August 15th, 2024 at 2:00PM at Good Springs Cemetery in Muse, Oklahoma with Bro. Kenny Bryant officiating. Services have been entrusted to McCarn Funeral Service.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **14.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McCarn Funeral Service

500 Dallas Street

Talihina, OK 74571

(918) 942-5004

<https://www.mccarnfuneralservice.com>

## Graveside Service

AUG **15.** 2:00 PM.

Good Springs Cemetery

# Tribute Wall

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“ Shirley Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Benjamin Harrison Melton, Jr.



Shirley Hamilton - August 15, 2024 at 11:59 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Benjamin Harrison Melton, Jr..



August 14, 2024 at 06:00 AM

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“ Gina Moon lit a candle in memory of Benjamin Harrison Melton, Jr.



Gina moon - August 13, 2024 at 07:37 PM