



Eric Edmund Tidwell

August 4, 1964 - January 26, 2023

Eric Edmund Tidwell, age 58 of Talihina, Oklahoma passed away from this life on January 26th, 2023 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Eric was born on August 4th, 1964 to Patty (Guess) and Chester Tidwell in Poteau, Oklahoma. Eric loved his family. He and Paula were high school sweethearts, they married in February of 1981. His daughters and grandchildren were his pride and joy. Eric enjoyed family gatherings, fishing, and spending time visiting with family and friends. Eric also enjoyed working in the oil and gas industry. He made an impact on many of his coworkers. He loved to tell stories and make people laugh. Eric will be greatly missed by many.

Eric is survived by his wife of 42 years, Paula; daughters, LaShae Gregson and husband Josh, and Amber Stepp and husband Jonathon; grandchildren, Harley Standridge and husband Jered, Malia Gregson, Rainy McKosky, Liam McKosky, Jonathon Stepp Jr., Nathan Stepp, Abel Stepp; siblings, Scott Tidwell, Beckie Gomer, and Roger Tidwell; best friend, his dog Dolly, as well as numerous extended family and friends.

Eric is preceded in passing by his grandparents, Henry and Louise Tidwell; father, Chester Tidwell; step-mother, Mary Ellen Tidwell; father in law, David Pugh; mother in law, Vera Holcomb; uncle, Wayne Tidwell; nephews, Brent Pugh and Jonathan Pugh.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Cremation Services are provided by McCarn Funeral Service of Talihina, Oklahoma.

Tribute Wall



“ *Gayle Bryant Piester lit a candle in memory of Eric Edmund Tidwell* ”



Gayle Bryant Piester - January 31, 2023 at 11:04 AM