



## Jeffery Arnold Weems

October 17, 1962 - November 15, 2023

Jeffery Arnold Weems, age 61 of Wilburton, Oklahoma passed from this life on November 15, 2023 in Tulsa, Oklahoma with his family by his side. Jeff was born on October 17, 1962 in Oakland California to Beatrice Fay (Howze) and Bobby Ray Weems. Jeff graduated high school at Clayton High School in Clayton, Oklahoma. He then went on to obtain his bachelor's degree at Cameron University in Computer Science. After college he started his career at Eastern Oklahoma State College as the CTO where he served for 34 years before retiring in December 2020. Jeff loved his time at Eastern and made many lifelong friendships. Jeff married the love of his life Patricia Ann (Baggs) on June 16, 1984 at Clayton Church of Christ. But their fates were destined long before that day. His mother Fay Howze and Patty's mother Betty Glenn were best friends growing up in Clayton. And it was written in the stars that both their youngest children would ultimately grow up and fall in love. They have journeyed through life together in laughter and love for 39(+) years. Jeff was a devoted and loving father to his two daughters Cassie and Rachael. But his greatest joy was being a PawPaw to his 3 grandchildren, who were the absolute light of his life. Jeff is survived by his wife, Patty, of the home; children Cassie Ann Weems and husband Ryan Sims of Edgewater, Florida, Rachael Weems of Wilburton Oklahoma; grandchildren Sidda Jolee Sims, Elizabeth Grace Johnson and Emily Victoria Johnson; brother Kenny Weems and wife Youlonda of Greeneville, Texas; sister Janice Webster and husband Bruce of Clayton, Oklahoma; sister-in-law Mona Dennis and husband Larry of

Clayton Oklahoma, sister-in-law Tammy Griffith and husband Roy of Talihina, Oklahoma and brother in law Johnny Baggs and wife Lara of Greenwood, Arkansas, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles, and a host of friends. Jeff loved all his nieces and nephews dearly. Jeff was passionate about music. He started playing the drums with the family band when he was 16 years old and continued to play music with his best friend and cousin Sonny Williams right up to the weekend before his passing. Music was always a big part of life growing up with his family. His current band, Whiskey River Road, comprised of Sonny Williams, Mickey Billy and Neil Billy tore up all the honkeytonks and casinos in SE Oklahoma. Jeff was also passionate about photography, which is why there are hardly any photos of him! He was the family photographer and took beautiful pictures that we will all cherish forever, even if the photos are of us and not of him. Jeff loved to camp and go 4-wheeling with his family and friends and spent countless weeks with them at the lake. These many trips were filled with laughter, music, food, storytelling and his beloved granddaughters. Family meant everything to Jeff. He was truly a great man. He always had a smile on his face, was quick to laugh and joke and LOVED to aggravate! He was greatly loved by so many and will be greatly missed. Jeff was received in heaven by his parents, Bob and Fay, niece Amanda Crippin, and grandson Matthew James and many other beloved family members. As well as his beloved dog Tootsie.

Pallbearers: Sonny Williams, Kenny Weems, Tracy Clark, Jimmy Fryman, Bruce Webster and Ryan Sims. Honorary Pallbearers: Larry Dennis, Roy Griffith, Johnny Baggs and a thousand others.

Visitation will be on Monday, November 20th, 2023 at 4:00PM to 6:00PM at McCarn Funeral Service in Talihina, Oklahoma.

A Luncheon will be held at the Church of Christ in Clayton, Oklahoma at 12:00PM on Tuesday, November 21st, 2023 before the graveside service. Graveside services will be on Tuesday, November 21st, 2023 at 2:00PM at Stanley Cemetery in Stanley, Oklahoma with Bro. Craig Clark, Bro. Lyndon Howze and Bro. Chris Dennis officiating. Services have been entrusted to

McCarn Funeral Service of Talihina, Oklahoma.

Special Thank You - Jeff and his family would like to extend their eternal gratitude to all the family members who dropped everything and ran to his and his girls side and supported and comforted him and his girls during the last few difficult days.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McCarn Funeral Service  
500 Dallas Street  
Talihina, OK 74571  
(918) 942-5004  
<https://www.mccarnfuneralservice.com>

## Luncheon

NOV **21**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Church Of Christ  
On 4th/8th St  
Clayton, OK 74536  
(918) 569-4327

## Graveside Service

NOV **21**. 2:00 PM.

Stanley Cemetery

# Tribute Wall

AF

“ Aunt Shirley & David & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffery Arnold Weems.

Aunt Shirley & David & Family - November 19, 2023 at 06:22 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.



November 19, 2023 at 06:22 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.



November 18, 2023 at 09:27 PM

JS

“ Jeremy and Johanna Sims purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.



Jeremy and Johanna Sims - November 18, 2023 at 02:41 PM

LB

“ *To the Weems family! May God comfort you all in the difficult days ahead. Our deepest sympathy for your loss. Sending our Love, Bob and Lee Blankenship*



Lee Blankenship - November 18, 2023 at 01:50 PM

LB

“ *Lee & Bob Blankenship purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*



Lee & Bob Blankenship - November 18, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*



November 18, 2023 at 10:11 AM

PM

“ I am so sorry about this heartbreak that comes with losing the love of your lives. I’m praying for the strength required to guide you through your next chapter in your lives. My memories are of a loving and kind couple, who welcomed me into your life when I married Carl. He loved Jeff as a brother. I wish you peaceful days and restful nights. I’m downloading these photos I took in Jan 2018 and clearly it shows the love and respect these guys had for each other, making it a real challenge to get a “real” photo. However, I love these “real” photos even more. With love, Paula



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**Paula McKinney** - November 18, 2023 at 09:55 AM

LB

*These are all great photos, thank you for sharing!*

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**Lee Blankenship** - November 19, 2023 at 06:39 PM

PR

“ Patricia Rector planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffery Arnold Weems.

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**Patricia Rector** - November 17, 2023 at 02:56 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*



November 17, 2023 at 02:56 PM



“ *Clayton High School class of 1980 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*

**Clayton High School class of 1980** - November 17, 2023 at 02:55 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*



November 17, 2023 at 02:55 PM



“ *Kathy N. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffery Arnold Weems.*

**Kathy N.** - November 17, 2023 at 01:40 PM