



Kent Eugene Phillips

January 19, 1961 - March 5, 2020

Kent Eugene Phillips passed away on March 5, 2020 at his home in Buffalo Valley, OK. He spent his last day with his favorite people, his grandchildren, exactly as he would have chosen. Kent was born January 19, 1961 in Talihina, OK, to the late Tige and Alta Phillips.

Kent was loved by all of his patients and friends. He worked as a nurse for Choctaw Nation Indian Health Services for 35 years. Kent was an avid lover of horses and rodeos, having been a part of the Talihina Round Up Club for many years. He was 'Papa Cake' to his grandchildren that he adored. He was everyone's confidant and best friend, giving them a hug and a smile. He impacted a lot of lives in The Valley and will be truly missed.

Kent is survived by his son Ross Phillips and wife Savannah of Edmond, OK and their children, Callahan, Vivian, and Bowen; his siblings, sister Brownie Fairless and her husband Robert of Buffalo Valley, OK; sister Janice Hedrick and her husband Bobby of Corinne, OK; sister Terry Beck and her husband Rickey of Savannah, OK; and brother Quinton Phillips of Buffalo Valley, OK, and numerous nephews, nieces, and cousins; as well as his best friends Greta Linker, Lanell Warren, Pam Brown, Melody Maxey, and Leaann Henry. Friends may attend the Viewing Monday, March 9, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m., at McCarn Funeral Services, 500 Dallas St Talihina, OK 74571.

His Celebration of Life will be held Tuesday, March 10 at 10 a.m. at Buffalo

Valley Baptist Church 4152 OK-63, Talihina, OK 74571. The burial will follow soon after at Cupco Cemetery.

Services have been entrusted to McCarn Funeral Service of Talihina, Oklahoma.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR **9**. 5:00 PM.

McCarn Funeral Services

Celebration of Life

MAR **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Buffalo Valley Baptist Church

4152 OK-63

Talihina, OK 74571

(918) 522-4335

Tribute Wall

LP

“ Taking care of your Arabian mare here on earth. Thank you for taking such good care of her. She is wonderful. Hope to find out who she is soon.



Lisa Potter - June 19, 2023 at 07:51 PM

ST

“ Kent. My very dear friend... I'm very sad to hear this news.. So many great memories to reminisce with you being ,of course the main character.. I know you wouldn't have it any other way!! You are and will remain a huge part of my life as a nurse and lifetime friendship.. Love you and my heart and prayers go with all you loved ones and close friends... Till we meet again ,, 💔💔 Lord, take great care of this one as he did so many patients and friends on earth 😭



Stefanie Tidwell - March 12, 2020 at 07:53 AM

KB

“ Such sad news. I remember the first time we met Kent when he picked us up at the airport, we'd never met him before but he was so warm and welcoming. We stayed with him at his home and it was never dull, he was always doing something, I remember how me and Becky had just settled for the night, yes it was late, around midnight and we started hearing banging and bumping from the bathroom, we had no idea what it was or what to do. We didn't say anything in the morning and Kent was as bright as a button smiling and saying good morning as if nothing had happened, some time later he told us he'd been in the bathroom that night de-ticking the dog he'd just got 😊😊😊 . There will be so many others stories that you will all be relating.

RIP. Love and sympathies from Karl, Rebecca, Kyle and Troy

Karl Bradshaw - March 10, 2020 at 06:57 PM

CF

“ Kent will be missed by many. He was a good person that was liked by so many people. Lots of good memories of him. Crystal, Chelsi, and Lindsi



Crystal White Frizzell - March 10, 2020 at 08:32 AM

KB

“ Kristen Bruner-Kober lit a candle in memory of Kent Eugene Phillips



Kristen Bruner-Kober - March 09, 2020 at 09:55 PM

SL

“ *Worked and traveled with him for years. Loved every minute of it. He will be dearly missed by Kristen and Suzi. RIP my friend.....*

Suzi Langston - March 09, 2020 at 11:28 AM

KB

You will be missed Kent! That was the best ime I had when Suzi, Kent, Dr. Martin & I traveled to the other Clinics. Looking forward to seeing you again someday...

Kristen Bruner-Kober - March 09, 2020 at 10:08 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kent Eugene Phillips.*



March 09, 2020 at 10:48 AM

TR

“ *God I have know Kent so long, we laughed so hard every time I saw him. He was such a great guy! I loved his sense of humor! He will be dearly missed. My prayers are with his family and friends.*

Tammy Rangel - March 09, 2020 at 02:53 AM

DC

“ *Loved Kent, he was one heck of a good friend and excellent nurse, when I graduated nursing school in 92, he was already a nurse @ the old hospital, one of my mentors, ❤️ 100. Love you brother, rest easy now.*



Doreen Cotter - March 08, 2020 at 08:49 PM

TW

“ Tony Wilmoth and wife - Jackie Brock Wilmoth purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Kent Eugene Phillips.



Tony Wilmoth and wife - Jackie Brock Wilmoth - March 08, 2020 at 08:21 PM

HW

“ Heidi Woolverton lit a candle in memory of Kent Eugene Phillips



Heidi Woolverton - March 07, 2020 at 09:08 PM

LM

“ One of my friends and co- worker. One time we had a my little pony party for my granddaughter and he brought a pony out and let her ride it as long as she wanted. I will miss him

leann measles - March 07, 2020 at 09:30 AM



“ Mona Young lit a candle in memory of Kent Eugene Phillips



Mona Young - March 07, 2020 at 09:11 AM

GL

“ *My nurse for many years, I always enjoyed my appointments because he and I would talk about everything. He'll be missed greatly by the community.*

Gary Lee Langston - March 07, 2020 at 08:53 AM

JM

So sad to hear this. He was such a kind hearted friend that always spoke to u no matter where you were. So glad I got to visit with you earlier and bringing your sister for a visit. Prayers for all the family

Janet Massey - March 09, 2020 at 09:27 AM