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“Jerry” Lamb, 83, went to join his beloved wife Kathy on Sunday, June 17, 2012 in Tulsa, OK. He was born on September 21, 1928, to Cly and Lelia lamb (Standridge) in Ellenwood, Kansas. Jerry married the love of his life, Kathy Ann Schwemin, on July 12th, 1950, in Tulsa, OK. After graduating high school he worked as a pipeline welder until joining the Tulsa Fire Department. He retired from the T.F.D. in 1984 with 30 years of service at the rank of District Chief. Jerry was a beloved husband, father, and friend. Although extremely talented at fixing or doing almost anything he was quiet accident prone, but a quick healer. He had a quick temper, but it was mixed with a heart of gold, and a good sense of humor. He would always be there to help his family and friends in whatever they needed. A harder worker there never was. He will be sorely missed, but he’s happier now. Jerry was preceded in death by his only brother, Lonnie, in WWII, his parents, and his adoring and devoted wife Kathy, in 2005, which he never got over. He is loved, adored, admired, and survived by his three children Karen Lamb, Lonnie Lamb, and Cindy Lock, along with 8 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Visitation will be at Floral Haven Thursday, June 21, 2012 at 10:00 am to 9:00 pm. Services will be at Floral Haven on Friday, June 22, 2012 at 10:00 am. In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to the Humane Society or Firefighters Burn Camp for Children. “Many have asked about how to donate to the two causes mentioned in Jerry’s obituary:Re: Donations to the Tulsa Human Society, those can be made online at <http://www.tulsapets.com/donations/> . Donations are 100% tax deductible. Grandpa loved his little dog Coby and lived his life with man’s best friend on his lap!Re: Donations to the Oklahoma Firefighter’s Burn Camp make check payable to “Oklahoma Firefighter’s Burn Camp” and mail it to: Oklahoma Firefighter’s Burn Camp, c/o Scotty Stokers, Burn Camp Director, 12177 N. 180th E. Ave., Collinsville, OK 74021. Indicate that it’s benefiting Jerry Lamb on the memo. For more info on



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what this organization does go to: <http://www.okffburncamp.org/>. Donations are 100% tax deductible. I know Papa will appreciate it and it supports his life work. Thank you for your donations!"



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MW

Marcia Becton Wright posted:

Lonnie—so sorry about the loss of your Dad. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.
Love, Marcia

June 25 at 12:29 PM

PR

Phil And Denise Rounds posted:

Dear Karen, We grieve with you upon the death of your beloved father. We love you and regret that we will be unable to attend the service on Friday. We will be in prayer for you and your family.

June 21 at 7:03 PM

SC

Shirley Cleveland posted:

Rest in peace Uncle Jerry. I know you are now much happier since you are with Aunt Kathy. Give everyone a big hug and kiss from me ok? Love you....Lurla

June 21 at 4:03 PM

BR

Bill Rinehart posted:

Jerry was a most unique individual who was a lot of fun to be around. His sense of humor was priceless, his Super Bowl parties unforgettable and his golf game, especially his putting, was at times superb. I'll never forget him and the smiles he put on so many faces, including my own.

June 21 at 1:17 PM

FS

Frank Simpson posted:

If you were looking for a next door neighbor you couldn't find a better one than Gerry. He loved golf...I mean really loved golf he would be out in the yard practicing all the time. He every so often would hit balls over the fence into our yard and come get the ones he could see. Which would leave one out in the grass to be found by the mower and do interesting things. I would find the chewed up golf ball and toss it over the fence for him to find. And I would wait until the next time we both saw each other and he would say you don't like golf...and I would say no the mower doesn't..it sort of became a running joke between us. I over the last few days have been thinking about him because Sunday morning as I was walking to church he asked that question for the last time. He is really going to be missed.

June 21 at 11:53 AM



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SS

Sadie Sicka posted:

All condolences to the loved ones of Jerry Lamb. Know that you are in many hearts and and prayers.All Love, Sadie

June 21 at 6:32 AM

LT

Linda Taylor posted:

My friend and great neighbor...received an email just minutes ago...Oh how I'm going to miss you...this neighborhood has lost a fine, knowledgeable person and friend that I will never forget. We had many wonderful talks, laughs and sadness too after Kathy passed away. You were so lost and never got over her passing. I felt very honored knowing both of you. Your kindness will always be remembered...your concern about Sailor and me....finding out who fixed my privacy fence after the ice storm...or talking about the grass in our yards...Jerry, your spirit will always be in this neighborhood...Rest in peace my friend...your work is finished here but your legacy lives on.

June 20 at 7:58 PM

CL

Caleb & Daemian Lamb posted:

Great grandpa Lamb we will miss you. We loved it when we got to see you for holidays. We were always shy. But came along. You will be missed bunches. And We love you so much. Love always Caleb, DAEMIAN & Amber.

June 20 at 2:45 PM

TT

Trena Tolliver posted:

Many have asked about how to donate to the two causes mentioned in Jerry's obituary. Both are tax deductible. Donations to the Tulsa Human Society, tulsapets.com/donations/. Donations to the Oklahoma Firefighter's Burn Camp make check payable to "Oklahoma Firefighter's Burn Camp" and mail it to: Oklahoma Firefighter's Burn Camp, c/o Scotty Stokes, Burn Camp Director, 12177 N. 180th E. Ave., Collinsville, OK 74021. Indicate that it's benefiting Jerry Lamb on the memo. Thank you!

June 20 at 12:25 PM



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TR

Trena posted:

I will miss you so much PaPa but I am so glad you are with Grandma now. Thank you for all your support over the years. I love you so much. Always, #1 Grandkid ??

June 20 at 11:55 AM

RT

Robbie Thompson posted:

Jerry What a great Life you had, and what a pleasure I had when ever I was around you, and Lonnie. Rest in the peace you have earned May all your golf be Down Wind & Down Hill Robbie

June 19 at 5:52 PM

ME

Margi Enright posted:

Dear Karen, Lonnie, and Cindy, If I can't make it to the services, know that I am thinking of you all. Your dad will be so missed. I know I'll never forget him. Love, Margi

June 19 at 3:24 PM

LD

Linda Durham posted:

A true "gentle man" if ever there was one. Jerry was a great neighbor and generous to a fault. He happily helped us paint an old Plymouth so that we wouldn't be ashamed to drive it. Things he loved most in life? Kathy and his kids. I will miss him terribly.

June 19 at 1:07 PM



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