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Bob R. 'Slug' Williams died April 19, 2011 at home surrounded by his family and friends. Memorial services will be at 2:00pm, Saturday April 23rd at Christ The Redeemer Lutheran Church in Tulsa with the Rev. Eric Van Scharrel officiating. Private burial will be at Holdenville Cemetery. Bob was born at Holdenville, OK on August 21, 1928 to Luke and Zora Belle Williams. Bob met and married the love of his life Betty B. Gipson also of Holdenville in October, 1948. 'Slug' attended Holdenville public schools and graduated from high school there in 1946. Slug was an excellent athlete and excelled in football, baseball and track. He is remembered in the Holdenville High School's athletic 'Hall of Fame'. 'Slug' continued to excel in all 3 sports at East Central University and was also inducted into their athletic Hall of Fame. Bob was employed by Oklahoma Farm Bureau Insurance Company for over 40 years and retired as claims manager. He related many interesting stories he experienced as an insurance adjustor over the years. He was a very trustworthy and loyal employee and always held OK Farm Bureau in high regard. Bob was predeceased by his Father, Mother and his Beautiful wife and best friend, Betty. Also, two brothers and 2 sisters. He is survived by his Son, Mark W. Williams and his two grandsons', Beau F. and Luke G. Williams along with many longtime friends and associates.



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Jim Holder posted:

I am saddened by hearing of Mr. Williams passing. He was Coach Williams to me, having devoted hundreds and hundreds of hours of his life to coaching baseball and football. He impacted lots of boys through the time he spent instructing us how to properly throw and hit a baseball, and then later, how to properly block and tackle when we started playing tackle football in 7th grade. Along the way Coach Williams taught a lot about life, when to toughen up and push hard, and when it was OK to take a break. He was a big man and when Coach gave you an instruction you knew he meant what he said. But, he was also a very caring man and you always knew he cared about you as an individual. He had a lasting impact in my life. Mark, I know you will miss your Dad very much. I pray for your comfort and peace in days to come. With love and respect. Jim Holder

April 22 at 7:20 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Bob by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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