

Jackie L. Blevins
February 5, 1939 - January 24, 2016

Jackie Leo Blevins was born February 5, 1939 in Fame, Oklahoma. He grew up in Fame where he met his wife Edith. Jack was saved and baptized at the Fame Baptist church as a youth. Jack and Edith graduated from Stidham High School, after graduation Jack joined the United States Air Force. He and Edith were married in September 1957. Jack served his country from 1957 to 1962. After his service years, Jack moved his family to Oklahoma City where he was employed by Cummins Sales and Service from 1963-1995. He then was employed in Muskogee at Trucks-for-U until his retirement, when Jack and Edith returned to their current home in Tulsa. They had been married 58 years at the time of Jack's passing. He was preceded in death by his parents Floyd (Famous) Blevins and Arveta Mae Blevins. He is survived by his wife Edith, sister Nelda Jean, daughter Gale and his son Duane and Daughter-in-law Mary. Other family includes, Fred and Sandy Bedford, Ray and Pauline Bedford, Billie Brannan, Ramona Bedford, Jeff Guthery, Sean Guthery and Jason Guthery. Jack's greatest joys were his grandchildren Bella rose Marie Blevins and Famous Jack David Blevins. Jackie Leo Blevins lived a full blessed life and went to be with our Lord on January 24, 2016. Services to be held at Floral Haven in Tulsa on Thursday, January 28, 2016 at 2:00 p.m., at the Rose Chapel of Floral Haven. Interment will be at Floral Haven Memorial Gardens.

Comments



66 Sent a gift in memory of Jackie L. Blevins

Dorothy White Thornton - March 06, 2016 at 02:13 PM



A few years ago I saw Jackie for the first time in many years. We were cousins. However, though it had been many, many years since I had seen him, the years melted away once we began to speak. We talked and talked and could have talked all night. We laughted as we spoke of the family times and caught up on how the families were doing now. Oh, he was so proud of the new baby in the family; grandpa was a role he embrased proudly. And that day we laughed and laughed and laughed, with gusto. We spoke of a visit with him and Edith in the 1960s as if it were yesterday. Jackie had a way of reminding us of who we were and who we are. He made us feel happy about ourselves. For family members, he left us feeling proud to be a member of the family HE was a member of; after all if we were kin to such a great man, we had to be from good "stock." I am proud to be his cousin and have him lift me up without even knowing it. To be trite: To know him is to love him. Jackie, you will be missed, admired and best of all emulated. Paulette Gage Jackie if you are looking down on us know we thank you and will miss you!

Paulette Gage - January 29, 2016 at 07:04 PM



I cut Jack's hair for 20 years and will miss seeing him every month. I told him once that he reminded me of my Uncle Ralph and that's how I always remembered what side he parted his hair. Ralph and right started with an R. He always laughed about that. My deepest sympathy to Edith and family.

Joni Pinkley - January 29, 2016 at 12:31 PM



I worked with Jack at Trucks for You – he always had a smile and a great story. Prayers to his family.Carla Holland

Carla Holland - January 28, 2016 at 08:28 AM



Thanks old buddy you'll really be missed God bless your family. They will be in our prayers. Herb and Terry Branum

Herb Branum - January 27, 2016 at 08:56 PM



Joe and I send our condolences to Edith and family. May God be with you through this difficult time. Ola DeCamp

Ola Faye DeCamp - January 27, 2016 at 02:20 PM



The last time I saw Jackie was at Dad's funeral, I really enjoyed that visit.. In my teens I looked after Jackie and Nelda Jean a lot when Arvita had her restaurant in Eufaula. They were both good kids. He never lost that Jackie smile!

Ola Faye DeCamp - January 27, 2016 at 01:52 PM



Edith and family. Danny and I send our condolences. Jackie was a "one of a kind "very special person! He is surely going to be missed! We love you and will be praying for the family. Love Danny and Carrie Williams

Carrie Williams - January 26, 2016 at 07:43 PM



So long to a dear cousin who will be sorely missed by all who knew and loved him. Our hearts go out to his beloved wife Edith and family at this time of deep sorrow. We hope they can rest a bit easier knowing Jack is in a better place where he knows no pain and suffering. He is joining other loved ones who preceded him and he knows each of his loved ones will join him at a later time. Our love and deepest sympathy, Leeman & Emmi Pierce

Leeman Pierce - January 26, 2016 at 06:12 PM



66 Lit a candle in memory of Jackie L. Blevins

Jean Guthery - January 26, 2016 at 04:30 PM



I greatly enjoyed working with Jack at Cummins Sales & Service, cherished his friendship, and consider myself blessed to have known him. May the LORD's comfort be with the family. Tom Griffin

Tom Griffin - January 26, 2016 at 02:18 PM



Of all the folks that I have worked with in my entire career, Jack was in the top five of people who were a pleasure to work with both professionally and personally. You left this world a better place Jack.—Denzil Wootton

Denzil Wootton - January 26, 2016 at 11:12 AM