



Richard J. Burns

March 20, 1946 - July 8, 2016

Richard Burns, age 70, went to be with the Lord on Friday, July 8, 2016, surrounded by his family at Saint Francis Hospital in Tulsa, OK. Richard was born in Lincoln, England, on March 20, 1946. At age 16 he began his apprenticeship as a dental technician, a career that spanned more than 50 years. At age 23 he moved to Toronto, Canada, where he met his wife, Nita Gantt. After his father passed, Richard and Nita moved back to England to care for his mother until her death. In 1993 the family moved to Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, and began attending Grace Church. Richard is survived by his daughters Rachel Maciaszek (Brian) of Greenville, North Carolina, and Sarah Davis (Clayton), of Glenpool, Oklahoma. He is also survived by grandsons Jared, Jackson, Jayden, Isaac and Jakob, and granddaughters Aireanna, Joy, Chyanne and Jenna Grace. Services will be held Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at 11:30a.m., at Grace Church on Garnet Road. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to either Loaves and Fishes ministry or Grace Church..

Comments



“ We still remember the first time he came with your family to our home for "gumbo" and he really liked it! Our thoughts and prayers are with all your family, grace and peace through our Lord Jesus Christ.

John-Eileen Daigle - July 12, 2016 at 06:37 PM



“ Every time we talked over the phone we'd end up discussing the weather....cos that's what us Brits do... He'd ring up and say "Hey, it's 95 degrees and it's only 7.45" I'd say "It's raining " or He'd say "it's been snowing for 6 hours and my boss has told me to stay home " I'd say "It's raining" Then one time he calls up and informs me.. "Guess what?" "It's raining " And I reply "Guess what?" "It's snowing "We never got that part right but we had so much more...take care mate, love you....

Andrew Burns - July 12, 2016 at 01:49 PM



“ I always enjoyed Richard's sense of humor. He was also so compassionate and caring to me when I lost my wife. He was good company and loved the Lord. He will be missed by many. Bruce Gilliam

Bruce Gilliam - July 12, 2016 at 10:46 AM