



Calvin Milton Lucas

September 11, 1925 - March 23, 2020

Calvin M. Lucas, a long-time rural Washington County resident, passed peacefully from this life March 23. He was the son of Myrtle Irene (Frazier) & Russell Otis Lucas. Calvin attended Antioch School through 8th grade and graduated from Copan High School in 1943.

He served in the Army Air Corps from 1943-1945, having completed 24 missions over targets in Germany/France as a ball turret /waist gunner in a B17 bomber with the 331st Squadron, 94th Bomb Group. Following his honorable discharge, he worked at various jobs including farming, Dewey Cement Co., Phillips Petroleum Co., Drilling Specialties Co., custom hay hauling & fence/corral building, Washington County District 1 road maintenance. He also served on the Board of Education for Copan Schools. He always had a love of the land and continued to enjoy farming a small patch of ground at his home. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing, becoming famous in later years for his fish fries.

He married his high school sweetheart, Grace Griffin, following graduation and they made their home in the Washington County area. They were married for 50+ years before she preceded him in death. Together they had four daughters: Calveta (Willard) Lyons, Patricia Casurole, Teresa Templeton, Sue (John) Leonard and they survive him.

He was later briefly married to Verla Morris; she also predeceased him.

Calvin was preceded in death by his parents, both wives, one step-daughter & two sons-in-law, 4 brothers, 2 sisters. He is survived by his daughters, 2 step-daughters, 14 grandchildren, 6 step-grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren, 10 great-great-grandchildren, a host of in-laws, nieces/nephews, and friends.

Private services for immediate family are planned due to current governmental guidelines/restrictions, with a celebration of life/legacy to be held at a future date. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts in his memory may be made to The Journey Home, 900 NE Washington Blvd, Bartlesville OK. 74006.

Tribute Wall



“ *Calvin Milton Lucas*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *Calvin Milton Lucas*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Calvin was one of a kind - a great man always willing to help others. We are so honored to be part of his family. Wishes for love and peace are sent as we remember his joyful laughs.*

Russell & Norita Martin

Norita Martin - March 30, 2020 at 09:45 AM



“ *We were saddened to hear of Calvin's passing!! He was quite a man and told many amazing stories!! Prayers of peace and comfort for all that loved him!! Shari Lucas*

Shari Lucas - March 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of Calvin's passing . I wish I would have got to visit with him one more time .*

Benjamin Lucas - March 29, 2020 at 11:09 PM

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“ You girls are in our thoughts and prayers. He lived a long life and continues with his eternal life.

Deniece Hitchcock Bush

Deniece - March 24, 2020 at 08:29 PM

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Thank you, Deniece.

Sue Lucas Leonard - March 27, 2020 at 04:37 PM

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Thank you, Deniece.

Sue Lucas Leonard - March 27, 2020 at 04:38 PM

JM

We lost another one of the greatest generation. He was a good friend and I will miss him. Jim Metcalf

Jim Metcalf - March 29, 2020 at 04:55 PM