



David Hunter Strang

November 28, 1938 - May 8, 2021

David H. Strang, Retired Oklahoma State Game Warden, reported to his new duty station in Heaven May 8th of 2021 at 82 years of age. He passed away in his longtime Bartlesville home surrounded by his family after a brave battle with cancer.

Dave was born in Santa Monica, Ca. to Charles and Gertrude Strang. He met the love of his life while attending Eastern A&M University in Wilburton, Oklahoma. Dave and Linda Naush wed on August 28, 1959. Dave was drafted and proudly served his country in the United States Army in 1960.

Dave met the second love of his life when he started dream job as an Oklahoma Game Warden in 1968. He diligently served the sportsmen and women of Oklahoma in Washington County until his retirement in 2000. He was a proud member of the Bartlesville Elks Lodge and served as Exalted Ruler April 2001 – March 2002. Dave was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 610.

Dave had a passion for fly fishing, hunting and was a walking encyclopedia of all things firearms related. He always looked forward to Friday morning breakfast with all his retired law enforcement buddies. All of the things Dave loved took a back seat to spoiling his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Dave is survived by his wife, Linda of 62 years, his two children, Chuck (Michelle) of Manhattan, KS and Chad (Sonya) of Moore, OK, his granddaughters Sheldon (Jared Robertson) of Bartlesville and Emily of Manhattan, KS, his Grandsons Nick of Kansas City, MO and Bryce (Natalie) of Moore, OK, and his Great Granddaughters Charlie and Alex of Bartlesville.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 2:00pm
Eastern Heights Baptist Church
1331 Swan Dr, Bartlesville, Ok 74006

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to:

North American Game Warden Museum
10939 Peace Garden Road
Dunseith, ND 58329
701-263-4829

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

Eastern Heights Baptist
1331 SE Swan Dr.
Bartlesville, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *David Hunter Strang*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *David Hunter Strang*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *3 files added to the album Flower Pictures*



Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory - June 04, 2021 at 02:38 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Mr. Strangs passing. He was such a nice man. I took a shooting class with him many years ago, he taught us how to clean and put the gun back together. Prayers for comfort to his family at this difficult time.*

Nancy Wake

nancy wake - May 16, 2021 at 10:39 AM

SR

“ Dave was such a respected man in our community for many years as a game warden we got to know him personally a few years ago when his granddaughter sheldon married our son Jared. We have fun memories of his humorous comments at the birthday parities! So sorry for your loss Strang family .

sheri robertson - May 15, 2021 at 02:18 PM

LV

“ Linda and family...so sorry to learn of Dave's passing. He was a good person and will be missed. Enjoyed playing Texas Hold'em and entering the Jack and Jill tournaments with Dave. I will always remember his goodness and will miss not seeing him at the Hill. Keeping you in my prayers.

Liz Verdin - May 15, 2021 at 12:08 PM

CS

“ An honest, humble and dedicated man who was a friend to all and a privilege to know! To Linda and all the family,sincere condolences!

Cherish and celebrate the memories of a life well lived!

Charlie Spencer

Charles A Spencer - May 15, 2021 at 08:50 AM

JC

“ Linda and Family - I was so sorry to hear of Dave's passing. He always had a warm smile for people and a pleasant chat followed... He will be missed... prayers....

Jane Call - May 14, 2021 at 05:19 PM

DR

“ Mike and I and the Bartlesville Elks Lodge wish to extend our condolences to Linda and family on the passing of David. We will miss his smile and cordial greetings when we saw him and we will remember the fun times we had with both of you at the lodge. Our prayers of comfort are being sent to Linda and the family.

Mike and Dodie Robinson

Dodie Robinson - May 14, 2021 at 12:11 PM

JB

“ I cherish the memories of our working, hunting and fishing together. Dave was a great man.

Jeff Brown - May 14, 2021 at 11:30 AM

BM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Dave was a one of a kind who will live forever in the hearts of those who knew him.

Bob Mullinax - May 13, 2021 at 12:01 PM

DM

“ Dave you will be missed. Many good memories.
Dan & Linda Miller

Dan Miller - May 11, 2021 at 04:27 PM

JS

“ *Jeanne Shepherd lit a candle in memory of David Hunter Strang*



Jeanne Shepherd - May 11, 2021 at 10:54 AM

JS

Jeanne Foreman Shepherd and Clyde R Shepherd. Prayers for family may God give comfort.

Jeanne Shepherd - May 11, 2021 at 10:57 AM

JB

I cherish the memories of our working, hunting and fishing together. Dave was a great man.

Jeff Brown - May 14, 2021 at 11:26 AM

DB

*“ You will always be remembered by so many! The Game Ranger you know is just doing his job. You will be missed.
Michael and Deniece Bush*

deniece bush - May 11, 2021 at 01:16 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Hunter Strang.



May 10, 2021 at 08:05 PM