



Mr John Corbin Groomes

December 9, 1931 - June 20, 2015

John Corbin Groomes was born on December 9, 1931 in Anadarko, OK to Tressie Geneva and Marvin Groomes.

He passed on at 12:30 p.m. June 20, 2015 in Tulsa, OK at St. Johns hospital. John was raised and attended school in locust grove, OK where he joined the military in the early 1950s.

While in the military he spent time in Panama & had multiple tours overseas where he learned to speak many different languages. He spent time in infantry, field artillery, frogman for the Army, & intelligence. During his time in the service he was stationed in Virginia where he met and married Bessie Melvinia Hall on March 10, 1960 in Beaverdam, VA. They were blessed to have spent 50 years together. They raised their four children in Virginia and Oklahoma.

John worked at different jobs throughout his life, he cowboied in the 1960s & 1970's at Johnson Ranch in Hennipen, OK and Hughes Ranch in Bartlesville, OK. They then established their home in Dewey, OK where he began working for National Zinc. After 24 years of employment with this company he took his retirement in 1987.

He was proceeded in death by his loving wife, mother, father, one brother, four sisters, and three grandchildren.

John is survived by one brother, Jerry Glen Grooms of Wagner, OK, three sons, Wesley John Charles Sr & his wife, Sharon Renae Groomes of Dewey, Dieter Lynn (Doc) of Bartlesville, Mickey Dean Groomes of Copan, OK & one

daughter Geneva Mae Blancher(Gina) of Gadsden,Al. Seventeen grandchildren & multiple great grandkids, numerous nieces, nephews, &many friends.

The memorial service for John will be held at Get Real Ministries on 14th street in Bartlesville on Thursday June 25,2015 at 3:00 P.M.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN **25**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Get Real Ministries

1411 W. 14th

Bartlesville, OK 74003

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr John Corbin Groomes*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *Mr John Corbin Groomes*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Thank you POP for being my 2nd Dad and for the Halloween Kiss Band
Trish
Mike
Donny
Wess
Doc
Mickey
Gina
You know what I'm talking about*

Patricia Bond Harper - July 05, 2015 at 08:58 PM



“ *George and I are unable to put in words how much we loved and will miss you. Thanks pop for welcoming us and loving us as if we were your own. We love you.*




George and Tonya Macias - June 24, 2015 at 06:31 AM

JU

“ Justin lit a candle in memory of Mr John Corbin Groomes



justin - June 24, 2015 at 05:51 AM

 Britini Bailey

“ Love you uncle john. Have fun with aunt betty.



Britini Bailey - June 23, 2015 at 10:25 PM

ES

“ Our prayers are with the family.. RIP Pops..Love Buddy and Tami

Ernie and Tami Snodgrass - June 23, 2015 at 08:40 PM

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“ Ernie And Tami Snodgrass lit a candle in memory of Mr John Corbin Groomes



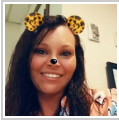
Ernie and Tami Snodgrass - June 23, 2015 at 08:33 PM

BE

“ I just wanted to say I love you papa you were an amazing grandpa you have always been there for all of us grandkids no matter what the situation was and you would always give it to us straight even when we didn't want to hear it I wish we could of had more time together but it seems mema really missed you and God needed another Angel you are my hero papa always have been and always will be no matter what you will truly be miss by so many people I love you papa RIP gone but never forgotten p.s don't worry about dad I'll help look after him for ya I know he really needs it right now



Bethany - June 23, 2015 at 08:31 PM



We love and miss you papa very much LOVE Bryan and Bethany Henshall

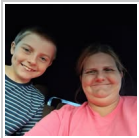
Bethany Buskirk - June 24, 2015 at 02:10 AM

ME

“ You will be greatly missed pop, Glad you with you love mema.



melissa - June 23, 2015 at 07:55 PM



“ I love you great uncle John you will be miss



Cheryl Gage-Boren - June 23, 2015 at 05:09 PM



“ *Christina Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr John Corbin Groomes*



Christina Martin - June 23, 2015 at 12:30 PM



“ *He was the best father-in-law I ever had. He always had a smile on his face and always made me feel like I was a part of the family! He will be truly missed!!*

Christina Martin - June 23, 2015 at 12:29 PM



“ *The Staff at Stumpff Funeral Home wishes to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends. We hope that everyone shares a favorite memory and that this memorial brings the life experiences shared with John to his family and friends.*



Stumpff Funeral Home - June 23, 2015 at 09:44 AM