



John "Jack" Struble

February 19, 1931 - April 29, 2025

John "Jack" Struble 94 of Nowata passed April 29, 2025, at the Osage Nursing Home in Nowata, Oklahoma. He was born on February 19, 1931, in Hastings Michigan to Hobart and Bonita (Granada) Struble.

Jack and Jacqeline "Jackie" Blankenship were united in marriage on July 4, 1975. Jack had several careers in his lifetime that included over the road truck driver, electrician at a power plant in Kansas City, carpet layer, police officer, security guard, advertising for Mixers Southwest and maintenance at ACME Foundry where he worked full time until the age of 90. He had many hobbies, including building and flying RC airplanes, vegetables and flower gardens and even had a hand in building a helicopter.

Jack was an avid hunter and fisherman making several trips to Canda to go fly fishing. Deer hunting was his passion and in his golden years when he could no longer hunt, he made daily trips to Double Creek Park to feed and watch the deer. He had a love for cats especially his own "Pretty Kitty"

Survivors include his daughters Sheila Major and Renee (Jeff) Ballou of Michigan. A special niece Tina West of Nowata, stepdaughter Lisa of Colorado. Special friend and neighbor Rolland Pruitt. He also leaves behind his children Linda, Kim, Timothy, Rex and their spouses. Numerous Grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He was proceeded in death by his parents, his loving wife Jackie, infant daughter Jane, brothers Rex Struble (Formally from Washington State) and Lynn Struble of Allegan Michigan.

The family would like to thank the amazing nurses and staff with AGAPE Hospice and Osage Nursing Home for the care he was given.

Tribute Wall

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“ I have a lot of great memories of Jack. A man I considered a mentor and great friend. He taught me many things at acme. Including how to pull the best practical jokes. I was new and very green to the foundry. Working on an air set machine that I had to clean every night. He knew this well and he knew my routine. I kept gloves and a chipping gun on top of the control panel. One day I pulled down the chipping gun and gloves as normal, when I out on my gloves they were wet inside and when I pulled my hand out it was covered in fresh blue silicone. He was watching 10ft away and smiling like no other then scurried off. It was on between us from then on. Great guy. Found memories. Love that old man.

David Duke - May 09, 2025 at 08:29 AM

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“ Rob And Tanya Ludlum lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Struble



Rob and Tanya Ludlum - May 09, 2025 at 12:48 AM

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Jack was a one of a kind human being..he worked with my husband Rob for years at Acme Foundry where they became real close friends. He will be missed dearly!

Rob and Tanya Ludlum - May 09, 2025 at 12:48 AM