



Miles Lawrence Standish

August 5, 1934 - May 29, 2024

Miles Lawrence Standish, 89, of Bartlesville passed away May 29, 2024.

Miles was born on August 5, 1934 at Larned Kansas, the first child of Naomi Smalley Standish and Forrest Glenn Standish. He attended gradeschool in Larned, Dodge City and Wichita Kansas prior to moving to Tonkawa Oklahoma in 1948. There he attended Tonkawa High School and Northern Oklahoma Junior College, graduating in 1952.

He was employed at Western Union in Bartlesville before entering the United States Army in 1956 stationed in Kirch Geons Germany. After an honorable discharge in 1962 he was employed with Bartlesville Stationery Company where he worked for over 40 years, retiring in 1998. He married Wanda Lee Stansifer in 1978, and purchased a home just west of Bartlesville where they lived for 46 years.

He was preceded in death by his stepson David Stansifer, Deloris Haden, Anita Fitzgerald, Janice Henderson, LJ McGaha, Glen Standish and Corey. He is survived by his wife Wanda Lee Standish, children Debra Sue Christensen and Belen N Mex; stepchildren Richard Stansifier (Vicky) of Porter Texas, Kat Pellicano of Thousand Oaks, CA, and Jean Hailey of Joplin MO; Sisters Betty Piper of Newton KS and Rita (Reggie) Cooper of Newton, KS; brother Leon McGaha of Bossier City, LA; Cory; grandchildren Kenneth, Tea, Alana, Josi, Tori, Luca. Jeremy, Hollie, and Paige; and 11 great grandchildren.