



Johnnie W. Miller

February 19, 1927 - March 18, 2011

Johnnie W. Miller, age 84, a resident of Howard, Kansas passed away Friday, March 18, 2011 at his son John Miller Jr. home in Howard. He was born on February 19, 1927 in Cloverdale, Kansas the son of Oscar and Sara (Dorsey) Miller.

Johnnie served in the United States Army in both World War II and the Korean War. On December 18, 1949 he was united in marriage to LaRita Mae Tucker at the Baptist Church in Moline, Kansas. Johnnie worked for Beechcraft in Wichita as an inspector for many years. He was a member of American Legion Carter Rader Post #149 in Howard. Johnnie was an avid gardener and he also enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He is survived by his son John Miller Jr. of Howard, Kansas, two brothers: Dwayne Miller of Sterling, Kansas and Charlie Miller of Winfield, Kansas, three sisters: Rosie Gray of Howard, Kansas, Lodean Lauffer of Winfield, Kansas and Ellen Curtis of Leesburg, Florida, five grandchildren: Jeremy Miller, Amber Miller, Ashley Miller, Brandi Jones and Cassandra Jones and seven great grandchildren. Johnnie was preceded in death by his parents, his wife LaRita Miller on February 2, 2010 and one sister Lola King.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Friday, March 25, 2011 at Countryside Zimmerman Funeral Home in Howard, Kansas with Pastor Robin

Haines officiating. Interment with military honors conducted by Carter Rader Post will follow at Grace Lawn Cemetery. Visitation will be held Thursday from 5 to 7 PM at the funeral home. Memorials suggested to the Carter Rader Post and may be left with the funeral home. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefh.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Countryside - Zimmerman Funeral Home in Howard, Kansas.