



Neal Franklin Osborn

August 19, 1929 - January 15, 2015

Neal Franklin Osborn, age 85 of Elk Falls, KS, died Thursday, January 15, 2015 in Oklahoma City, OK. Neal was born on August 19, 1929 in Elk Falls the son of Frank B. and Lucy (Small) Osborn.

After High School Neal joined the US Air Force and served his country for 3 years. On June 4, 1953 Neal Married Phyllis Ann Esch. Phyllis and Neal have been married for 61 years. Neil was very active in the community. He was the owner of O & B Oil Company, and a stockholder and director of the Howard State Bank.

Neal was a member of the Masons, Shriner's, Cattle Herders Association, American Legion, Kansas Petroleum Marketers Association, and the Kansas Livestock Association. Neal and Phyllis were also Committee Chairpersons for the Republican Party. In his spare time he enjoyed hunting, training bird dogs, fishing, playing golf and gardening. He had an extensive collection of many things. Neal was a great historian, he wrote a book of amazing sayings that he loved to share with everyone. Neal was an avid supporter of the Longton Little League Baseball Association.

Survivors including his wife Phyllis are:

Daughter:

Cheryl A Dornes and husband Roy W. of Gridley, KS

Sons:

Frank A. Osborn and wife Raye of Oklahoma City, OK

Fred Osborn and wife Tammy of Carl Junction, MO.

4 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild

Neal was preceded in death by his parents and 2 sisters; Neva Lea Barnaby and Ruth Royse

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, January 20, 2015 at 10:30 am at the Elk Falls United Methodist Church. Visitation will be held Monday, January 19, 2015 from 4-7 pm at Countryside Funeral Home in Howard. Online condolences may be left at: www.countrysidefh.com Memorials have been suggested to the Elk Falls United Methodist Church and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services are entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home 206 E. Washington, P.O. Box 1233, Howard, KS 67349

Cemetery Details

Elk Falls Cemetery

HWY 160
Elk Falls, KS 67345

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Howard
206 E. Washington
P.O. Box 1233
Howard, KS 67349
(620) 374-2381

Service

JAN **20**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Elk Falls United Methodist Church
Elk Falls, KS

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.* ”



January 20, 2015 at 08:26 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.* ”



January 19, 2015 at 02:49 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.* ”



January 19, 2015 at 12:00 PM



“ *I had good times and memories of Neal and Phyllis.....Neal love to make people laugh and always had a joke to tell. He will be deeply missed. My sincere sympathy to Phyllis and the family. Jane (Kill) Koster* ”

Jane (Kill) Koster - January 19, 2015 at 11:53 AM

BD

“ So sorry to here of the passing of Neal. Prayers going to everyone. Elk Falls lost a great man.
Betty Armstrong Drake

Betty Armstrong Drake - January 19, 2015 at 10:36 AM

BH

“ Neal and Phyllis, being neighbors like family, were so good to Bill and I. As each child was born Neal would remind me how I could get those babies to quit drooling..."just teach them how to spit Bambi" he would say! He made each child a bamboo pole so they could go fishing among many other things. Our condolences to the family, it is difficult to lose a parent. Our prayers and thoughts are with you...
Bambi (Bird) Hanson

Bambi Hanson - January 18, 2015 at 08:05 PM

JH

“ So sorry for Neals passing. We will be thinking of you. Charlie and Janis Hawk.

JANIS HAWK - January 18, 2015 at 06:02 PM

TG

“ The SOMA Group purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.



The SOMA Group - January 18, 2015 at 12:08 PM

KC

“ Sorry about Neal passing on I have not seen Neal in Many Many years, he was a friend of my mother and her siblings (Martin's) Zelma, Mabel, Dolly and my mother Mary Condon when they lived in Elk Falls and when we visited their. He was a good man.

Kyle Condon - January 18, 2015 at 12:34 AM

CH

“ Connie and Mike Hudson purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.



Connie and Mike Hudson - January 17, 2015 at 04:17 PM

TF

“ The Fullerton's purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.



The Fullerton's - January 17, 2015 at 12:20 PM

RM

“ Fred, my thoughts and prayers are with you at the loss of your dad. He left a great legacy in you and your siblings. I pray that you will find some peace and care at this time.

Ruth Ann (Marion) Maynard

Ruth Ann Maynard - January 17, 2015 at 11:52 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.*



January 17, 2015 at 11:49 AM



“ *I extend my sympathy to Neal and Phyllis's family. My husband Earl Daylor was a year younger than Neal, and maybe joined the KOMA a year after Neal. But he considered Neal his very best friend among all the great guys in the KOMA! Neal had a personality that you loved being around! He was always happy, always had a new joke or two, and was so welcoming to folks from a small town! Their friendship continued to their retirement years, when they enjoyed a golf four-some, and get-to-gethers in the SOMA*

Earl died in 2003, and I am the same age as Neal, so don't do much driving out of Wamego, so won't be able to attend Neal's services. But my thoughts will certainly be with you folks! With love, Louise

IOUISE dAYLOR - January 17, 2015 at 10:57 AM



“ *To Neal's family:
We are so saddened by Neal's death. He was a good friend, of many years. He was so kind to everyone. He was especially kind to Mark, and we all appreciated that. We will miss him. He was "one of the good guys!"*

Our love to you all.

Bonnie Mustoe - January 16, 2015 at 10:19 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Neal Franklin Osborn.* ”



January 16, 2015 at 07:45 PM