



John Vernal Owens

April 17, 1933 - October 2, 2012

John Vernal Owens was born April 17 1933 at Buffalo, Missouri, the son of Clarence Leroy and Alice Enola (Davis) Owens. He departed this life on October 2, 2012 at his home at Fair Play, Missouri At the age of 79 years, 5 months, and 13 days. He was united in marriage with Barbara June Earls and this union was blessed with two children.

During the Korean War he served his country in the U.S. Navy. Following his military service, he was a metal worker in the automotive field.

John is survived by his wife, Barbara June; 1 daughter, Rebecca F. Kindred and 1 son, Martin Owens both of California; one granddaughter; Melanie Ambriz of Idaho, two great grandchildren: Glori Ambriz and Ephraim Ambriz; 2 brothers: Warren and Dennis – both of Buffalo; 3 sisters: Nancy Palmer of Odessa, MO, Sue Faulkner of Elkland, and Erlene Taber of Elkland; numerous nieces and nephews; and dozens of cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers: Vernon and Wayne and two sisters: Bonnie Nixon and Berniece Perryman; and a niece, Jackie Routh.

Funeral services were held Saturday, October 6, 2012 in the Montgomery-Viets Chapel with brother Curtis Owens officiating. Recorded Selections were played. Casketbearers were: Greg Faulkner, Jeff Owens, Tim Owens, David Palmer, Jimmy Perryman, Roger Perryman and Michael Owens Burial with Military Honors was in Macedonia Cemetery under direction of the Montgomery-Viets Funeral Home of Buffalo.

Visitation will be at 1:00 p.m. Saturday until service time.

Memorials may be made to the Progressive Supranuclear Palsy Fund.

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vernal Owens*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *John Vernal Owens*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *John Vernal Owens*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *John Vernal Owens*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *John Vernal Owens*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *Barbara, our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. I know how much you'll miss him.... so sorry.*

Anne Rippeon - October 18, 2012 at 12:17 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with the family. Troy Smith*

Troy Smith - October 06, 2012 at 02:49 PM