



Donald J Sweeney

October 4, 1936 - February 9, 2017

Donald J Sweeney a resident of Henryetta passed this life on February 9, 2017 in Tulsa, OK. Born October 4, 1936 in Pittsburg, KS to Ernest and Margaret (Pistotnik) Sweeney. Donald graduated from Dewar high School in 1954. He served in the Air Force from 1955 to 1959 in the era of the “Cold War”. He attended OSU Technical Institute in Oklahoma City studying Electrical Engineering and then 2 years at OBU as a ministerial student and pastored Castle Baptist Church for 8 years. Don retired from PSO as a line foreman after 19 years of service, and later ran his own business as an Electrical & Mechanical Contractor for another 20 years. He has been a member of the Henryetta First Baptist Church since 1982 where he served as a Deacon and various pastoral, leadership and teaching roles.

He is preceded in death by his parents, brother ; Kenneth Sweeney and 2 sisters; Geraldine Smith and Lorene McClellan. Son in law; Galen Hoyt and a great Granddaughter; Bethany Jo Montgomery.

He married Lorieta Pippin on August 20, 1954.

Survived by his wife Lorieta Sweeney of the home

Children: Suzan Jo Hatcher and husband Wayne ,Elizabeth Ann Hoyt and Kathryn Jean Sweeney.

Grandchildren: Sarah Montgomery, Mary Cumings, David Hoyt, Isaac Hatcher, Andrew Hoyt and Samuel Hoyt.

13 Great Grandchildren

Sister: Margaret Harrison

Service will be 2:00 pm, Monday at the Henryetta First Baptist Church with Rev. Rick Harrison, Rev. Jim Paslay and Rev. Rod Harris. Interment will follow at the Westlawn Cemetery with military honors conducted by the US Air Force. Service under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Cemetery

2800 West Main
Henryetta, OK 74437

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 12. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Rogers Funeral Home
1302 West Main Street
Henryetta, OK 74437
(918) 650-9090
rogersfh@aol.com
<https://www.rogersfuneralhomeinc.com>

Service

FEB 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church
420 W Trudgeon
Henryetta, OK 74437
(918) 652-4277
<http://henryettafbc.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Rogers Funeral home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald J Sweeney*



Rogers Funeral Home - February 11, 2017 at 03:05 PM



Great man! See you soon!

Wendy Ross - February 11, 2017 at 04:13 PM

AP

Wow, What a nice man. Love the pics!

Anita Presley - February 11, 2017 at 07:24 PM

BE

You're in my thoughts & prayers Kathryn.

Betsy Enis - February 11, 2017 at 07:51 PM

TO

He always came through the door with that mischievous grin on his face. I've thought of him often this past year since you moved away. Him and I loved to pick on one another. My heartfelt condolences to Lorieta, girls and extended family.

Tammy Hamilton (Dr. Lovell's office) - February 11, 2017 at 08:06 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Donald J Sweeney.



February 13, 2017 at 11:53 AM



“ *Tommy & Roberta Clinton* lit a candle in memory of Donald J Sweeney



Tommy & Roberta Clinton - February 13, 2017 at 12:18 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Donald J Sweeney.



February 11, 2017 at 07:02 PM



“ 70 files added to the album Life Tributes



Rogers Funeral Home - February 11, 2017 at 02:42 PM

AH

“ When I worked with Lorieta at Dr. Lewis office I got to know Don pretty well. I knew if I wanted to get Don's hair to stand on ends was to begin a conversation on politics or religion. We had our share of both. Yet we were still able to lunch together and remain good friends. I respected Don a lot. He was a good teacher on anything. Sorry he had to go but we must pay our debt of death. I wish I could be with Lorieta to comfort her in her loss of someone she truly loved and adored. You could always tell how close they were by the way they looked at each other. I may not be present with you all but I will have you all in my heart.

Love to Lorieta and many hugs. Alecia Hill Hynson

alecia hynson - February 11, 2017 at 02:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Donald J Sweeney*.



February 10, 2017 at 05:46 PM



“ *Everett And Betty Allen lit a candle in memory of Donald J Sweeney*



Everett and Betty Allen - February 10, 2017 at 03:27 PM