



John Kerr

November 15, 1939 - March 17, 2026

John Anderson Kerr was born November 15, 1939 in Dewar, Oklahoma to Thomas and Juanita (Crosby) Kerr. He passed from this life on Tuesday, March 17, 2026 at home. He was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas and Juanita, his son John Chuck Kerr, his sister Elizabeth "Betty" Dodge and his like-a-brother Carlton Dodge.

John graduated from Dewar High School in 1958. A standout athlete for the Dragons, he was even offered a scholarship to play college football.

John married Margie Mangrum in 1958. Two children were born to this union, Teresa and Chuck.

In 1989, John married Wilma Cantrell Floyd and gained a son and a daughter, Jimmy and Julie.

John's childhood was spent with his favorite grandfather, John Crosby. Summers on Beaver Mountain in Haskell county was spent with Grandpa. Young John spent many hours in the woods learning to hunt with his Uncle John Henry. His love of hounds began at that time, and continued for most of his life until he was no longer able to care for dogs. He was the happiest when he was in the woods chasing a racoon with Doyle Burden, or running rabbits with Joe Peavler. From coon hounds to beagles, he loved the sound of the

hunt, with a good bawl mouthed bluetick being his favorite sound. John's love of guns and hunting was passed down to all his grandsons.

John's paternal grandfather was a Scottish immigrant, coming from the Old Country in the early 1900's. His Scottish traits of a strong mind, (some call it stubbornness), a good work ethic and family importance was passed down to John.

John also loved horses, even trying his hand at calf roping. Many miles and many hours were spent at local roping's, as well as at the local brush arena with friends. His favorite tv channel was the Cowboy Channel where he could watch rodeos all year long.

A hard worker and a dependable employee, John had jobs from PPG, to propane truck driver, and was a long-time devoted employee of Colley and Company in Henryetta until his retirement. His most notable and historic employment was working on the Trans-Alaska Pipeline in 1976. He had many stories of mountains and snow and bears on the right-of-way. There were many important dates in John's life, but none more important than April 1, 2020, when he became a baptized believer.”

John leaves behind a loving wife of 36 years, Wilma; daughter Teresa Lewis (Jerry), daughter Julie Aldridge (Richard), son Jimmy Floyd (Leah Ann). Also, ten grandchildren including Colt Kerr, Ian Lewis, Travis Lewis (Dottie), Kayla Jones (Beau), Reagan Kerr, Savannah Kerr, Brandon Floyd (Shannon), Garrett Floyd (Brylee), Rhett Aldridge (Tempest), Garret Taylor. John was blessed with 12 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers include Ian Lewis, Travis Lewis, Colt Kerr, Beau Jones, Brandon Floyd, Garrett Floyd, Rhett Aldridge, Richard Aldridge, Garret Taylor.

Honorary Pallbearers are Jerry Lewis, Doyle Burden, Joe Peavler, Larry Pitts, Clifford Porter, Jack Cantrell, Jim Hill.

Graveside service will be 10:30 am, March 20, 2026 at the Westlawn Cemetery under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Cemetery

2800 West Main
Henryetta, OK 74437

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR **19**. 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rogers Funeral home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Kerr*



Rogers Funeral Home - March 19 at 09:22 AM

SH

“ *Shawn Howell lit a candle in memory of John Kerr*



Shawn Howell - April 09 at 12:28 PM

SH

“ *Wilma I am just now seeing this, I am so very sorry!! Sending BIG hugs and prayers your way!!!*

Shawn Howell - April 09 at 12:27 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Kerr.*



March 20 at 07:06 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Kerr.

March 20 at 07:06 PM



“ Casey L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Kerr.

Casey L. - March 20 at 12:13 AM



“ Casey L. purchased the Yellow Sunflowers (Silk Cemetery Flowers) for the family of John Kerr.



Casey L. - March 20 at 12:13 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John Kerr.



March 19 at 09:10 AM

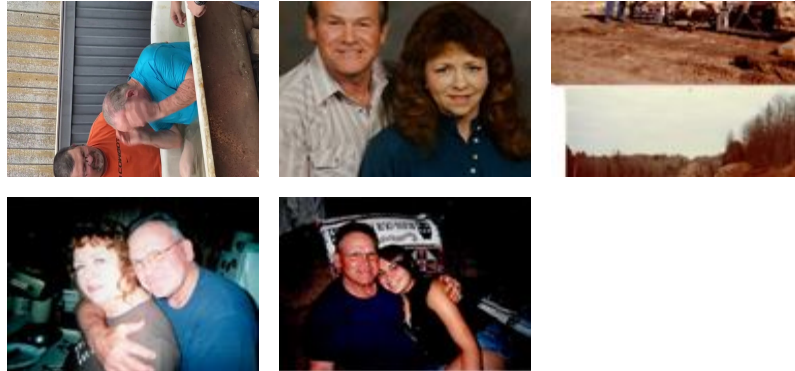


“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Kerr.

March 19 at 09:10 AM



“ 61 files added to the album LifeTributes



Rogers Funeral Home - March 19 at 08:41 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Kerr.

March 18 at 04:08 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of John Kerr.



March 18 at 04:08 PM



“ Wilma, we are so sorry to hear of this, we will keep your family in our prayers.
Marty and Tonya Doyle



Tonya Doyle - March 18 at 01:02 PM

AL

“ AICCO State Board & Chapter Leadership purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of John Kerr.



AICCO State Board & Chapter Leadership - March 18 at 12:29 PM

CC

“ Colley and Company purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of John Kerr.



Colley and Company - March 18 at 11:45 AM

JE

“ Prayers for the family. I worked with John at Colley and Company for many years up until his retirement. I always looked forward to hearing his hunting stories and old rodeo and pipelining memories. He was a good friend and I will miss him.

Jeremy Johnson and the whole Colley and Company family.

Jeremy - March 18 at 11:37 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of John Kerr.



March 18 at 11:16 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Kerr.

March 18 at 11:16 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Kerr.



March 18 at 08:55 AM



“ Donny and Jackie Lindsey purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Kerr.



Donny and Jackie Lindsey - March 18 at 07:49 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Kerr.

March 17 at 06:50 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of John Kerr.



March 17 at 06:50 PM

SH

“ Sending prayers of peace and comfort to John's family. He was a neighbor and classmate, and a member of our 1958 graduating class at Dewar. I am so sorry for your loss. Shirley (Bell) Hood

Shirley Hood - March 17 at 05:28 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Life Tributes



Rogers Funeral Home - March 17 at 05:20 PM

MH

“ Marlyn Hamon-Harris lit a candle in memory of John Kerr



Marlyn Hamon-Harris - March 17 at 02:17 PM