



Billy F. Walden

January 31, 1928 - June 25, 2021

Billy F. Walden age 93 of Durant, Oklahoma passed away on June 25, 2021, in Durant. Billy was born on January 31, 1928, in Durant to Obie Wright and Susie Jane (Murphree) Walden Sr.

Billy graduated high school and received his bachelor's degree from Southeastern. He married Joyce Toogood in December 1972 in Guam. Billy spent his career serving his Country in the United States Navy and retired with the rank of Chief Warrant Officer in December of 1974 after 31 years. His commendations include Navy Unit Commendation, Navy Achievement Medal, Good Conduct Medal (4th), American Campaign Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal and World War II Victory Medal. He was a member of the Shriners and the Elks Lodge, and he enjoyed keeping up with his old friends on Facebook.

Billy was preceded in death by parents; son Billy Jr.; brother Obie Walden and sisters Opal Pearson, Mary McGuire and Kathryn Garcia.

Billy is survived by his loving wife Joyce Walden and nieces Anna Sue Sapp, Michele Urbanski and Kathy McGuire and nephew Howard L. McGuire.

The family is honoring Billy's wishes to be cremated and a celebration of Billy's life will be held on Monday, July 12 at 11:00 AM at Caddo Presbyterian

Church.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.brownsfuneralservice.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Brown's Durant Funeral and
Cremation Service.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 12. 11:00 AM.

Caddo Presbyterian Church

Tribute Wall



“ *Billy F. Walden*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *My Mother in Law and Aunt worked for him when he owned the theater downtown. They both bragged he was the best boss they ever had. A great tribute to his character in my opinion.*

Laura Hlder - July 12, 2021 at 09:11 AM



“ *We have lost one of our very dearest of friends. Such an honorable man. Thank you for touching our lives for a bit over a quarter century. Our deepest sympathy for family, friends and our "Momsie" Joyce. A profound hole in our hearts and a halo in heaven. Love and Aloha. Ken & Sharon Sample*

Ken & Sharon Sample - July 01, 2021 at 06:46 PM



“ *Uncle Bill (wise one) you were always there for me when I needed a question answered.
I'm going to miss talking with you, but I know we will be together again someday.
Love you and will miss you
Anna Sue.*

Anna Sue Sapp - June 30, 2021 at 01:02 PM

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Ken & Sharon Sample - June 30, 2021 at 02:56 PM