



## Dickie Joe Cates

October 21, 1945 - February 28, 2021

Dickie Joe Cates, age 75, of Bennington OK. He was born on October 21, 1945 in McKinney, Texas to Leslie and Lillian Cates. He attended Lovejoy Elementary in Fairview TX, from the age of 6 to the age of twelve when he went to LA Scott Jr. High in McKinney TX. He graduated high school from McKinney High in 1965. He married Sandra Lee (May) Cates on August 15, 1998 in Indiana. They came to Bryan County in August of 1998

Dickie retired from Union Glazier Glass Company. Dickie wasn't afraid to be up high putting glass in the MGM Grand Las Vegas, Norte Dame, Saint Louis Cardinal Stadium, Luxor Las Vegas and The Mall of American in MN.

Dickie was an avid deer hunter and lived for opening day of deer season.

Even after he lost his leg he would still climb in that stand and wait for that

perfect deer to come along. In the summertime he loved fishing. If you

planned on going fishing with him you better plan on being there all day,

because he could sit there all day to fish. Dickie was a true animal lover, and

took great pride in his chickens, ducks, goats, cattle and dogs.

Preceded in death by his Parents, sister Frankie Marie Lucas, Brothers Milton Clay Cates and Johnny Mack Cates and his son Jerry Joe Cates.

He is survived by his wife of the home, Brother Willie Don Cates and wife

Donna of Garland TX. daughters Tammy Hash and husband Daylin of Caddo

Ok, Carla Teel and husband Ben of Blue OK and Tanya Cates of Roland OK.

Granddaughters Kashlee Eastwood and husband Justin of Caddo OK, Kayla

Williams and husband Kyle of Indianola OK, Terra Jackson and husband Kannon of Caddo OK, Ashlin Gregory of Roland OK, Sara Gaylard and husband Conner of Columbia City Indiana. Grandsons Nathan Harbin and wife Jessica of Durant OK, David Harbin of Caddo OK, Rodney Gregory and wife Makayla of Pilot Point TX, And his very best friend and grandson Brock Allen of Blue OK. 5 other grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and great friends.

Funeral Services for Dickie will be at 3:00 PM on Friday March 5, 2021 at Brown's Funeral Service in Durant. Visitation is Thursday March 4, 2021 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Services are under the direction of Brown's Funeral Service, Durant. Online condolences can be made at [www.brownsfuneralservice.com](http://www.brownsfuneralservice.com)  
<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/4MCK7F7FFNWLGQ7W>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brown's Funeral Service - Durant  
4900 West US Hwy 70  
Durant, OK 74701  
(580) 920-0393  
info@brownsfuneralservice.com  
<https://www.brownsfuneralservice.com/>

## Funeral Service

MAR 5. 3:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown's Durant Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Dickie Joe Cates*



**Brown's Durant Funeral Service** - March 03, 2021 at 03:31 PM



“ *Dickie Joe Cates*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



March 04, 2021 at 12:41 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



March 03, 2021 at 11:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



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March 03, 2021 at 06:05 PM



“ *Jamie and Julee Moreno purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



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**Jamie and Julee Moreno** - March 03, 2021 at 12:31 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



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March 03, 2021 at 09:14 AM



“ *My deepest condolences and prayers are with all of you. Dickie Joe was a favorite of mine and we shared many great memories and stories. He loved his family and was a little stubborn, but was also a very loving and caring person. Rest In Peace. I will miss our phone calls, and laughs .*



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**Joanna Copeland Shropshire** - March 02, 2021 at 04:08 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Dickie Joe Cates.*



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March 02, 2021 at 02:35 PM