



Larry Weldon McGraw

April 9, 1949 - December 30, 2024

Larry Weldon McGraw was born on April 9, 1949, in Durant, Oklahoma to Weldon and Helen McGraw. Larry passed from this life on December 30, 2024, in Durant, Oklahoma. Larry was a man who worked hard all his life and enjoyed his profession. He graduated college with a bachelor's degree from Southeastern Oklahoma State University and worked for the United States Department of Agriculture. Larry was involved in boy scouts in his younger days, and Whittington Center Gun Club. He was of the Baptist Faith. Larry was an avid gun collector, he enjoyed hunting and fishing, attending shooting competitions and going to the indoor gun range. Larry was loved by his family and those who were blessed enough to be named his friends. He will be deeply missed by those who knew and adored him.

Larry is preceded in death by his parents, Weldon I. McGraw and Helen G. McGraw (Murphree).

Larry is survived by his cousins, Roy and Carolyn Johnson of Durant, Oklahoma; cousin, Shirley Slade of Durant, Oklahoma; cousin, Leea Scott of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; cousins, Rusty and Gina Scott family of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; cousin, Sara Bliss of Durant, Oklahoma; cousins, Amanda and Brad Gallagher family of Edmond, Oklahoma; cousins Eloise and Don Losawyer family; cousin, Rodney Hutton.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, January 6, 2025, at 1:00 PM at Brown's Funeral Service Chapel in Durant, Oklahoma with Pastor Jacob Toews officiating. Interment will follow at Gethsemane Cemetery in Caddo, Oklahoma.

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

Cemetery Details

Gethsemane Cemetery

Caddo, OK

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JAN 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LM

“ On December 4, 2024 Larry McGraw joined Sandia Gun Club members (Albuquerque, NM) for a Christmas Dinner. He was a long-time member. Larry is seated on the left side center between Tyro Ortiz on his left and Henry Servatt on his right. Club President Bertie Nicholson and Erika (Malin) Barrow coordinated and prepared most of the food for the dinner. We spoke of the good times that we had together, Larry mentioned that he would be traveling home to Durant for the Holidays.



Larry G Malin - January 10, 2025 at 03:58 AM

LM

“ On behalf of the members of Sandia Gun Club in Albuquerque, New Mexico we send our condolences to the family. Larry was a long-time club member, we missed him at last night's meeting. One of his friends from the club had tried to contact him without success. It was then we discovered that he had passed in his hometown of Durant, OK. I had known Larry from the gun world since about 1992 doing custom gunsmithing for him. Competed in many shooting competitions with him. He was an excellent shot and very knowledgeable when it came to firearms. His favorite memories were driving back to Durant to go hunting with his dad right after Christmas every year until he passed. He attended our Christmas Dinner on December 4th and we broke bread with him. A good time was had by all. Vaya Con Dios my friend, until we meet again at the great shooting range in the sky.



Larry Glen Malin

Larry G Malin - January 09, 2025 at 04:03 AM

CA

“ Goodbye Larry quick draw McGraw. I am grateful to have been able to work with you and know your quick wit and humor. Rest in peace. Thank you for all your work with New Mexico's Electric Cooperatives.

Carmen - January 08, 2025 at 09:07 AM

DM

“ David Martinez lit a candle in memory of Larry Weldon McGraw



David Martinez - January 07, 2025 at 02:41 PM

SN

“ Sandra N. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Weldon McGraw.

Sandra N. - January 07, 2025 at 02:26 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Larry Weldon McGraw.



January 07, 2025 at 10:48 AM



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

January 07, 2025 at 10:48 AM

RF

“ Larry was a good friend all my life--other than my family he was probably the first person I knew and played with as a child. Our fathers were close friends all their lives and worked as colleagues at the First National Bank in Durant. Our grandmothers were also friends. I will miss Larry's kind and witty nature. Our many experiences, whether playing as children, Boy Scouts, family gatherings, hunting, fishing and playing sports together in High School will always be remembered by me. Best wishes to Larry's family. It is fitting that he should be laid to rest in the Caddo cemetery with his mom and dad, grandmother and other relatives. Many of my family are there as well.

R.D. Folsom - January 06, 2025 at 01:20 PM

RC

“ Regina Coleman lit a candle in memory of Larry Weldon McGraw



Regina Coleman - January 06, 2025 at 08:05 AM

PH

“ I worked with Larry for over 15 yrs on loans from Arizona. I always enjoyed working with Larry getting thru all the issues and details that we encountered. he was a wealth of knowledge and always happy to help. His belief was reflected in all he did, great testimony. well done my friend. thanks for all the good memories. My condolences to his family and friends. Philip

philip - January 06, 2025 at 06:00 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Weldon McGraw.



January 05, 2025 at 09:03 PM



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

January 05, 2025 at 09:03 PM

TM

“ Larry was one of God's blessings that keeps on giving. He dedicated his life to the service of others through his work at USDA..As a fellow boomer we shared many a laugh and story about how things were and how we came to be who we are. He was grounded in the Christian faith and shared it with me often, especially after my wife's passing last year.I will miss him but rejoice in the knowledge that he is with Our Lord in heaven,after a life well lived. Well Done,Larry!!!.Well done good and faithful servant. Terry McDermott

Terry McDermott - January 05, 2025 at 08:49 PM

RG

“ I remember when Larry was hired. I was the secretary handling his move and helping him get set up. He was such a sweetheart. He gave the best bear hugs. Always had something nice to say. On a work trip to Ft. Worth, all of us went to Billy Bobs. And Larry had me out on the dance floor doing the 2 step. He was one of a kind. Prayers for his family.

Robbin Griffin - January 04, 2025 at 05:19 PM

BK

“ I always enjoyed talking to Larry. He was a great colleague who was always happy to help. I will miss talking about our new purchases together. Anyone who knew Larry will know what I am talking about. Thanks for your friendship and wisdom over the last 20 years Larry!! Your Friend, Billy Kinter, NM Telecom - GFR, RUS

BK - January 03, 2025 at 06:47 PM

CM

“ Larry was a beloved member of the RUS Team. His dedicated service to our nation made lives better for all those who live in rural America. Just as his customers lit up their hometowns, Larry brought his own light to every task. He was a strong advocate for the RUS Electric Program and for his many customers over the years. I am grateful for his service and our friendship. I will miss Larry. Sincerely, Christopher A. McLean, Assistant Administrator, RUS

Christopher McLean - January 03, 2025 at 06:20 PM

TS

“ The Rural Utilities Service purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Larry Weldon McGraw.



The Rural Utilities Service - January 03, 2025 at 05:05 PM