



## Max Downing

May 29, 1931 - November 19, 2013

Max Downing was born on May 29, 1931 in Pampa, Texas to Marion “Bill” and Delpha (Wood) Downing and passed from this life on November 19, 2013 in Durant, Oklahoma at the age of 82.

Max graduated from High School and later received his Bachelor’s degree. Max proudly served his country in the United States Army until his honorable discharge and he retired after 20 plus years as a Texas Park Ranger. Max and his wife Mary Ann moved to Bryan County in 1989 and they were blessed with 20 years together until Mary Ann’s passing in 2009. Max was an expert marksman with a gun and bow and arrow and he taught many people how to shoot. He enjoyed playing pool, collecting arrowheads, fishing and dancing. Max was preceded in death by his parents; 1st wife Bessie Downing and 2nd wife Mary Ann Downing.

Max is survived by his sister Shannon Jones ; brothers Stephen and Jerry Downing; step children M. Joanna Powell, Vicki Fridle and husband Jim and Nicholi Dillow and husband David and John Harrington and wife Georgia; 9 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Services will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday, November 23, 2013 at Brown’s Funeral Service Chapel. Interment will follow at Chapel Springs Cemetery in Hugo with grandchildren Jana Dillow Brumley, Kelly Dillow, Leslyn Dillow, Elizabeth Dillow, Cameron Burton and Nathan Hill serving as pallbearers. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.brownsfuneralservice.com](http://www.brownsfuneralservice.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Brown’s Funeral Service, Durant.

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