



## Ralph Chalk

April 5, 1936 - March 5, 2025

Ralph Chalk, age 88 of McKinney, Texas and formerly of Durant, Oklahoma passed away on Wednesday, March 5, 2025. Ralph was born on April 5, 1936, in Achille, Oklahoma to parents Russell and Ethel (Sparks) Chalk. Ralph graduated from Durant High School in 1954 and went to work in Alaska for a short time. When he returned to Durant, later married the love of his life, Mary Price, on July 1, 1959, and they began their lives together as one that lasted 65 years. They were also blessed with two children, Ricky and Tonja.

Ralph enjoyed being with his family and treasured the love and relationships he shared with all. He was an avid golfer and he and Mary devoted their time to the Church of Christ in Terrell, Texas.

Ralph is preceded in death by his parents Russell and Ethel Chalk; sister Phyllis Eggenberg and son in law Gary Shastid.

Ralph is survived by his beloved wife Mary Price Chalk; children Ricky Chalk and wife Kim of Celeste, Texas and Tonja Shastid of Allen, Texas; grandsons Cody Shastid of Allen, Texas and Chris Sherman and wife Amber of Celeste, Texas; sisters Irene Moore and her late husband B.J and Helen Gray and her late husband Willie both of Durant, Oklahoma; brother Mike Chalk and wife Marti of Dallas, Texas and numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family members he adored.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Tuesday, March 11, 2025, at Brown's Funeral Service in Durant, Oklahoma. Don Fentem will officiate. Interment with follow in Highland Cemetery with Cody Shastid, Mike Chalk, Ricky Chalk, Phillip Eggenberg, Mike Gray, Chris Sherman, and Jude Manaster 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 Durant Funeral and Cremation Service.

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/PW2D8ZBGK9LQL43Z>

# Cemetery Details

## Highland Cemetery

1620 Cemetery Rd  
Durant, OK

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR 11. 1:00 PM (CT)

Brown's Funeral Service - Durant  
4900 West US Hwy 70  
Durant, OK 74701  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown's Durant Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Ralph Chalk*



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**Brown's Durant Funeral Service** - March 10, 2025 at 12:00 PM

MI

“ *Uncle Ralph, always the best and biggest laugh in the room. A smile like no other and always the best BS that I learned a thing or two from.*

*Uncle Ralph loved everyone he met, and they loved him. His passion for golf and his family above all was special. I loved seeing my dad and Ralph watching golf, playing golf and just being silly. They loved to laugh, drink a little beer and just me be happy together.*

*An infectious laugh and heart of guy will be missed. And I too will Miss my Uncle Ralph.*

*Xoxo, Mika Chalk Manaster ( Mike Chalks daughter )*

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**mika** - March 11, 2025 at 12:01 AM

LC

“ *Helen, My dear friend, I am sorry for your loss. Brothers are special, and I can see you in his sweet smile. Take care enjoy your precious memories. Linda Beshirs Caraway*

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**Linda Beshirs Caraway** - March 10, 2025 at 10:03 PM

LG

“ Love, Larry and Kim Gray purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ralph Chalk.



Love, Larry and Kim Gray - March 10, 2025 at 12:56 PM

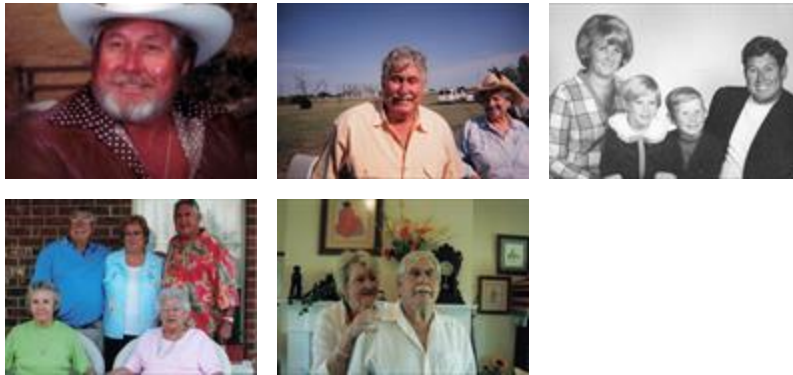
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“ Love, Larry and Kim Gray planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Chalk.

Love, Larry and Kim Gray - March 10, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ 53 files added to the album Gallery of Pictures



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - March 10, 2025 at 12:12 PM

RK

“ Ricky, Kim, Chris, Amber, and the kiddos purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Ralph Chalk.



Ricky, Kim, Chris, Amber, and the kiddos - March 10, 2025 at 08:17 AM

BT

“ *Brenda Chalk and Gary Teaford purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ralph Chalk.*



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**Brenda Chalk and Gary Teaford** - March 09, 2025 at 04:05 PM