



Benton Allen Patzkowski

January 9, 1928 - November 9, 2014

Benton Allen Patzkowski, loving husband, father, brother, grandpa, papa, uncle and friend, went to be with his Heavenly Father on Sunday, November 9, 2014. Benton was born in Homestead, Oklahoma, on January 9, 1928, to Jacob and Vera Patzkowski. He graduated from Fairview High School in 1946. Benton worked on the family farm until being drafted into the US Army. During his military service he served in the Korean Conflict. Upon his honorable discharge, his rank was Corporal. He received the Korean Service Medal with 3 Bronze Stars and the UN Service Medal. He attended and graduated from Enid Business College. Benton married Naomi Boschult on June 17, 1955, in Enid. He was the Vice-President of Fairview State Bank and was a counselor for the Consumer Credit Counseling Services. He served as Treasurer of the Northwest Oklahoma District for the Church of the Nazarene, was on the District Sunday School Board, District Sunday School Treasurer, and served on the District Finance Committee. As a member at Cedar Springs Nazarene Church, Benton served on the church advisory board and was church treasurer, Sunday School Superintendent and teacher, Men's Fellowship Director and earned their Distinguished Service Award. Benton was an active member of the Enid YMCA and received the Outstanding Fundraiser Award and the Extra Mile Award. Benton also volunteered at Bass Integris Hospital. He was preceded in death by his parents, step-mother Alice Patzkowski, grandson Nathaniel Patzkowski, brother Maurice Patzkowski, brother-in-law Bill Moore, and sister-in-law Wanda Patzkowski. Benton is survived by his

wife, Naomi, daughter Kathy Haney of Mustang; son Mark Patzkowski and wife Rebekah of Oklahoma City; son Randall Patzkowski and wife Cami of Frisco, TX; sister Lois Moore of Colorado Springs, CO; brother Bryan Patzkowski of Altus, OK; grandchildren Kevin and Kandi Haney, Kristen Haney, Julia Patzkowski, Gracie, Landry, and Sawyer Cate Patzkowski; great grandchildren, Kylea, Kynzi, and Keeli Haney; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday evening from 6:30-7:30 PM at Anderson-Burris Funeral Home. Services will be held at First Church of the Nazarene, Enid, at 2:00 PM, Thursday, November 13, 2014. Interment will be at Memorial Park Cemetery in Enid immediately following under the direction of Anderson Burris Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Denny Price Family YMCA of Enid or Gideons International.

Tribute Wall

MS

“ Naomi, Kathy, Mark, Randy and family, So sorry to hear of Benton's passing. I remember him as a kind, steady, wise, and faithful man. I know he loved Jesus and was a great example of a Christian man. I wish I could express my condolences to each of you personally. I pray for God's peace and comfort for each of you in this season of sorrow. God will never leave you nor forsake you.

Merl Sholtess - November 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ Randy and Family, Thinking of you at this time. I have some fond memories running the paper route with you. I think your dad was the fastest paper folder in the West.

Paul Eason - November 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Naomi, your in my thoughts and prayers.

Dara Hunt - November 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Naomi, I am so sorry to hear of Benton's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family my sweet friend. Love you, Martha

Martha Dahl - November 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ We are so sorry for your loss Benton was a very kind and caring man. Love Jeff, Chasity, Jesse and Jordan carver.

chasity carver - November 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *What a privilege it was to have Benton as a friend. Joyce DeMoss*

November 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Will always have loving memories of our time with your family. Remembering you all in our prayers. Sincerely, Linda Butler and family*

Linda Butler - November 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Naomi, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Cathy Edwards - November 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM