



## Jerry Wayne Springer

January 28, 1967 - December 12, 2025

Jerry Wayne Springer, 58, left this world peacefully in the arms of Jesus on Friday, December 12, 2025, surrounded by his loving family and close friends at Oklahoma Heart Institute in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Jerry was born on January 28, 1967, in Claremore, Oklahoma. He accepted Jesus Christ as his personal savior at the age of 12 years old and followed through with baptism while attending Carter Baptist Church.

He grew up in Afton, Oklahoma, where he developed a passion for sports, particularly football. After graduating from Afton high school, he received a scholarship to play football at NEO as well as NSU where he obtained his bachelor's degree. Jerry went on to pursue his master's degree at Pittsburg State and established his career in education where he dedicated himself as a highly valued coach and teacher for several years.

Jerry was a devoted son, brother, uncle, and partner. He showed immense love and support for his family and prioritized being a part of each of his nieces' and nephews' milestones. Jerry was the heart of each family gathering and adored spending time with his friends and loved ones. Jerry was a gifted storyteller, lifting everyone's spirits with his endless trove of tales. A selfless and giving soul, he knew no stranger, helping anyone without question and never asking anything in return. Jerry was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

Jerry is survived by his loving mother, Margie Hudson; his devoted partner, Melia Griswold; his brothers Steve Springer (Shannon), and Tony Springer;

his sisters, Angie Crow (Marc) and Lois Williams (Terry); his stepbrothers John Hudson (Judy) and Bob Hudson. He was also the favorite uncle to many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. Jerry was preceded in death by Don Hudson (Dad), David Lee Springer (Brother) and Tom Hudson (Stepbrother). As we navigate through this difficult time, we are at peace that he is with so many loved ones who have gone before him.

Visitation for Mr. Springer has been scheduled on Friday, December 19, 2025, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM, at First Christian Church in Afton. Funeral services will start at 1:00 PM, Saturday, December 20, 2025, at the Afton School Gym, with Reverend Brian Gibson officiating. Burial will follow at Mount Hope Cemetery in Afton.

Mr. Springer's services have been placed in the care of Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Afton.

The family has asked that, in lieu of flowers, that memorial contributions be made to the Afton Public Schools Athletic Department.

Friends and family may send the family notes of encouragement by viewing Mr. Springer's Tribute Page at [www.brown-winters.com](http://www.brown-winters.com).

The family has asked that, in lieu of flowers that memorial contributions be made to the Afton Public Schools Athletic Department.

Friends and family may send the family notes of encouragement by viewing Mr. Springer's Tribute Page at [www.brown-winters.com](http://www.brown-winters.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Hope Cemetery of Afton

Afton, OK

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **19**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

First Christian Church - Afton  
101 NE 2nd  
Afton, OK 74331

## Celebration of Life

DEC **20**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Afton High School Gym  
410 South Main Street  
Afton, OK 74331

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerry Wayne Springer*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - December 18, 2025 at 01:16 PM

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*Sorry for your loss, you will be in my thoughts!*

*Scott Schroder  
Redmen pride*

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**Scott Schroder** - December 19, 2025 at 06:57 AM

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“ *When we think of Jerry, the words "unsung hero" and "humble" come to mind. Jerry never sought glory and he was selfless in his passion for teaching and his relationships. To know Jerry from now on is to recognize how full our hearts are with love for him but to also realize our hearts are broken over the loss of his life we will be without him. We will never forget him. God bless the Springer family!!*

*Russell and Terri Kruse*

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**Russell and Terri Kruse** - December 20, 2025 at 02:44 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.



December 18, 2025 at 06:10 PM



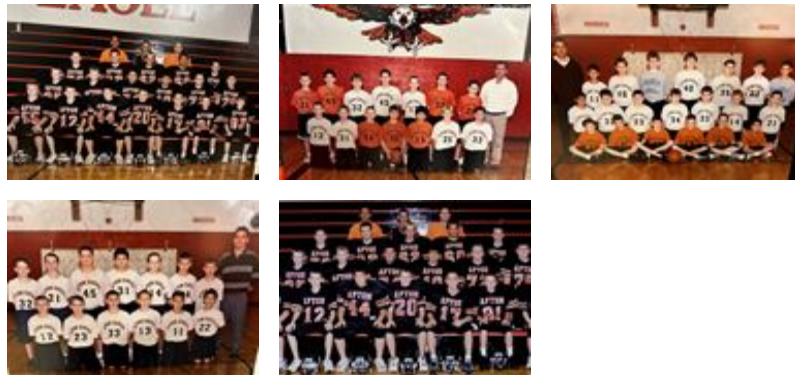
“ Bob Hudson Family purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.



Bob Hudson Family - December 18, 2025 at 05:26 PM



“ 115 files added to the album Life Tributes



Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service - December 18, 2025 at 01:12 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.*



December 18, 2025 at 11:14 AM



“ *Afton Public Schools planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerry Wayne Springer.*

**Afton Public Schools** - December 18, 2025 at 11:14 AM



“ *We are heartbroken over the loss of Jerry. One of the kindest souls one could ever meet. We were blessed to know him for many years and shared so many stories and joy. We will miss him terribly but will always recall his kind heart, hard work and honesty. Our most sincere thoughts go out to his family that he spoke of so often and loved so dearly.*



*Greg & Billye Bone*

**Gregory Bone** - December 18, 2025 at 03:23 AM



“ *Love The Shanahan's purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.*



**Love The Shanahan's** - December 17, 2025 at 09:10 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.



December 15, 2025 at 02:33 PM



“ The Jean Cook Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerry Wayne Springer.

**The Jean Cook Family** - December 15, 2025 at 02:33 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.



December 14, 2025 at 03:15 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jerry Wayne Springer.



December 14, 2025 at 02:02 PM