



## Marven O. Cron

July 24, 1919 - October 17, 2016

Marven Odell Cron, 97, of Fairland, Oklahoma passed away on Monday, October 17, 2016 at Freeman Health System in Joplin, Missouri. Marven was born on July 24, 1919 in Dalugh, Arkansas to Charlie and Lucretia (Nutter) Cron. He joined the United States Army February 5, 1941. As part of World War II he spent time in North Africa and Italy. Mr. Cron was in the 645th Tank Destroyer Battalion. He was awarded a Purple Heart before his honorable discharge July 4, 1944. He was an avid coon hunter and enjoyed dancing; he was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Fairland. Mr. Cron was preceded in passing by his parents, Charlie and Lucretia Cron, his first wife Anna Lee Grunden Cron, his second wife Etta Mae (Howard) Cron, his two brothers and six sisters, a grandson Brion Boyd and two great grandchildren Zach Boyd and TJ Strickland.

Survivors include his children Raymond Cron and his wife Sharon of Des Moines, Iowa, Janice Van Fleet of Fairland, Gerald Cron and his wife Sandra of Fairland, and Laurie Fieldcamp and her husband Tom of Abilene, Kansas, his Grandchildren LeeAnn Padberg, Kristy Franklin and Kevin Cron, eight great grandchildren Levi, Hannah, Brion, Jay, Brittany and Hailey along with three great great grandchildren Brynley, Harper and Olivia.

Visitation will be Wednesday, October 19, 2016 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM at the Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairland.

Services are Thursday, October 20, 2016 at 10:00 AM at the First Assembly of God in Fairland with Reverend Jackie Crafton and Reverend Tom Estes. Interment will follow at the Fairland Cemetery under the care of Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairland.

Casketbearers will be LeeAnn Padberg, Kristy Franklin, Kevin Cron, Levi Boyd, Joe Gramlich and Joe Shelton.

Honorary Casketbearers will be Roger Selsor and Troy Selsor.

The family has ask that memorial contributions be made to the Wounded Warrior Project and can be done on their website [www.woundedwarriorproject.org/donate](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/donate) or at the funeral home.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Fairland Cemetery

Fairland, OK 74343

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service (Fairland)

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## Celebration of Life

OCT **20**. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Assembly of God - Fairland

350 South Main Street

Fairland, OK 74343

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Marven O. Cron*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - October 19, 2016 at 05:07 PM

CP

“ *My parents were friends of Etta Mae and Marvin for many years. Dad sends his condolences. He would have been at service but didn't see anything in Vinita or Tulsa newspaper. They were wonderful people. We are so sorry for your loss. Saying a prayer for comfort.*

*James D (Violet-RIP) Smith (Carla Smith)*

*Etta Mae and my parents worked at eastern state together for years.*

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**carla pruden** - October 22, 2016 at 10:26 AM

DH

“ My sincerest condolences to the Crons. Marven was my step-grandfather and was a wonderful man to me and my family. He accepted my brother and I as his own blood and never showed favoritism among his many grandchildren. He was more of a man than I could ever be. I will always remember fishing and just hanging out with him and Grandma Cron (Etta Mae). There was never a dull moment, even when they told us to "Get off that wire!!!" I regret not spending much time with him in the last few years, people get busy with family/children, work, etc, there's never a good excuse for missed time. I can still hear Grandma saying, "Marvin Odell, you get in hear and eat your toast before it gets cold!" Good times! I love and miss you Gramps and I count the days we can see each other again in Heaven. At least you and E. T. can dance together now.

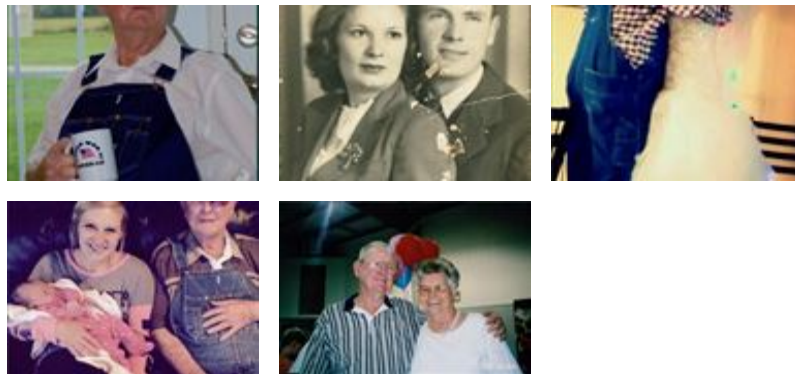
Your grandson,  
David

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David Hartsock - October 20, 2016 at 02:25 PM



“ 118 files added to the album LifeTributes



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Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service - October 19, 2016 at 04:26 PM

FE

“ *I am very sorry for your loss. In Psalm 34:18, says that God is close to the brokenhearted and those crushed in spirit. My sincere regards*

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**felisha** - October 19, 2016 at 07:02 AM

BW

“ *Brenda Ward lit a candle in memory of Marven O. Cron*



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**Brenda Ward** - October 18, 2016 at 09:16 PM