



Ted Vernon Wynn Jr.

August 28, 1939 - December 30, 2012

Ted Vernon Wynn, Jr., of Afton, OK, went to his heavenly home Sunday morning, December 30, 2012 after an illness. Both the visitation and funeral service will be held at First Baptist Church, Miami, Oklahoma. Visitation will be 6-8 pm Friday, January 4 and the funeral service will be at 2 pm Saturday, January 5, 2013. Ted, 73, was born August 28, 1939, to Ted, Sr. and Velma (Beeves) Wynn at Welch, Oklahoma.

He attended Grandview School west of Welch through sixth grade and completed through high school at Welch Schools. He attended NEO A & M College, Miami, Oklahoma, and Midwestern Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri. He married his high school sweetheart, Margaret ♡Sue♡ Shope, May 23, 1959 at Welch. They lived in Grants, New Mexico, where Ted worked in uranium mines. In late 1961, they moved back to family farm west of Welch to help parents with dairy. Following that, Ted moved his family to Miami, Oklahoma, where he operated Ted's full-service Derby filling station on north Main Street. He enjoyed competing in Golden Gloves boxing and running his gym to train young boxers while in Miami. In 1965, Ted surrendered to the ministry. His first pastorate was Cleora Baptist Church, south of Afton, OK, followed by: Southeast Baptist Church, Commerce, OK; First Baptist Church, Afton, OK; First Baptist Church, Seneca, MO; First Baptist Church, Commerce, OK; First Southern Baptist Church, Independence, KS. Then, moved to Arcadia, KS as a Church Planter/ Home Missionary with the Southern Baptist North American Mission Board re-

opening First Baptist Church, Arcadia and beginning New Life Mission, Frontenac, both north of Pittsburg, KS. In 2003, those two groups combined as New Life Mission at Mulberry, KS. Then they constituted as a church at their present, permanent location at Franklin, KS. Ted and Sue moved from Franklin back to Afton, OK in February, 2007, soon to be called back to First Baptist Church, Afton, as pastor in 2008 until resignation in 2012 due to illness.

Ted is survived by wife, Sue, of the home; son, John and his wife, Annette, and children, Ryan and Ashley, of Seneca, MO; daughter, Melinda and her husband, Gene, of rural Afton; granddaughter, Marcy and her husband, Shannon, of Afton; grandson, Max, his wife, Victoria, and their son, Carter, of Joplin, MO. Also surviving are: sisters-- Catherine Jordan and Frances Short, both of Joplin, MO; brothers and sisters-in-law ♦ Ralph and Loretta King, Bluejacket, OK; Doug and Juanita King, Welch, OK; Paul and Cheryl Wynn, Arvada, CO; Tom and Suzanne Wynn, Disney, OK; Ronnie and Lorraine Wynn, Ft. Scott, KS; Lonnie and LewAnn Wynn, Welch, OK; and brother-in-law James Shope and wife, Maxine, Neosho, MO. as well as a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, his mother, sister Mamie King, and brother Sam. Memorials can be made to First Baptist Church, PO Box 375, Afton, OK or Grand Lake Baptist Assembly (church camp) in care of Northeastern Baptist Association (NEBA) 1428 West 63rd Street, Grove, OK 74344. Online condolences can be made to the family at www.adcockfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

CA

“ *My Deepest prayers go out to the Wynn Family-my you all have peace knowing that this wonderful person Ted Wynn brought joy to all who had contact with him. God Bless you all.*

Christie Adair-Giles - January 16, 2013 at 12:05 AM

DH

“ *Prayers for the family and Praises for Bro Ted as he is rejoicing in Heaven. ♦ He was such an instrumental part of our lives - was in my parents wedding, married my brother & his wife, AND married my husband and !! What a great role model he and Sue were for all of us. So excited to know we will see him again someday.*

Darwin & Trina Hofer - January 12, 2013 at 10:45 PM

ES

“ *We pray that God will comfort you, as only he can, dear friends.*

Eddy & Sherry Stoner - January 10, 2013 at 06:28 PM

CA

“ *I know that Brother Ted is in heaven shaking hands and sharing his stories with all the people he led to Christ in his years as a preacher and friend. I can see Earnie running up to him and giving him a big hug ... telling him how much his presence in Afton meant to him. My love and prayers are with the family. They all have been so precious to Earnie and I through the years. I love you ALL!!!*

Charity Armstrong - January 08, 2013 at 04:28 PM

RH

“ We will always remember Bro. Ted has our first babysitter when you and Bro. Ted came to be with us at the hospital when we adopted our second child Nathan. ♦ We were saddened to read of his passing, but know that he is now with his Lord and Savior.

Rick and Joanne Howard - January 05, 2013 at 10:26 PM

RH

“ We always loved Ted as our pastor, his passing is bittersweet as he is now home. Prayers of comfort for you and the children.

Randy & Jerri Haymaker - January 04, 2013 at 06:15 PM

MH

“ Dear Sue and Family, Cindy and I were saddened to hear about Ted's homegoing. ♦ But we're comforted by the reality that he is with the Lord Jesus Christ. ♦ I sure enjoyed my friendship with him and missed seeing you both after your move to Afton. We had some great times together. You and your family are in our prayers. ♦ Mike

Michael Hart - January 03, 2013 at 02:34 PM

CD

“ May God's richest peace be with you during your time of loss.

Chaplain Lee Hilliard, D.Min. - January 03, 2013 at 09:29 AM

SS

“ May your hearts know the comfort, the peace, the assurance, and the hope that are found in Christ alone. ♦ My deepest sympathy to your entire family.

Sheree Wynn Stevens - January 02, 2013 at 08:16 PM

LS

“ Just want to express how much Bro. Ted meant to my family while we attended church in Independence, KS. ♦ He was such a mentor to my son, Steven, which led him to the Lord and being baptized. ♦ And now Bro. Ted and Steven are sharing some of those moments again in Heaven. ♦ My deepest sympathy to Sue and all of the family. ♦ Bro. Ted, Thank you for your kindness and love you did for all of my family as well as the church family.

Linda Smith - January 02, 2013 at 04:28 PM

HK

“ How much more beautiful Heaven must be with Ted Wynn. ♦ I have never known a greater man. ♦ Sue, you and the family have my love and am sorry but we will all see him "in the morning". Thank you, Bro. Ted, you are "one of the good ones".

Helen Kelley - January 02, 2013 at 02:02 PM