



Crawford Charles Gable, Jr.

August 4, 1944 - May 24, 2026

Crawford Charles Gable, Jr, 81, of Muskogee, Oklahoma, passed from this earthly life on Sunday, May 24, 2026. He was born on August 4, 1944, in Muskogee to Crawford Charles, Sr. and Hazel (Jackson) Gable. He was their only child. They moved to West Virginia when he was 18 months old. Later, they moved to Ohio where he attended public school in Belmont, Ohio. After graduation, he studied draftsmanship at Free City College in Chicago, Illinois. Crawford held a variety of jobs throughout his life including employment with Chicago Continental Insurance, Chicago Tribune Newspaper, Illinois Razor Strop Co., model for art school, and janitor and security guard with JCPenney's. He had many hobbies including leatherworking, painting, and writing poetry.

Crawford moved back to Muskogee in 1972 to care for his ailing parents. After his mother passed away in 2005, he joined Muskogee First United Methodist Church where he served faithfully for 20 years until his health started failing. He helped set up for church events, cleaning, caring for the flower beds, and working at the volunteer's desk. He was a member of the Wesley Sunday School Class and the Men's weekly Bible study.

Crawford was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his loving church family at First United Methodist Church, Muskogee including members of the Wesley Sunday School Class and special caregiver, Dick Shilling.

A Celebration of Life service for Crawford will be held on June 17, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church, 600 E. Okmulgee St, Muskogee,

OK 74403 with Rev. Pam Cottrill and Rev. Cindy Culver officiating.
The family of Crawford Charles Gable, Jr. has entrusted his care and
cremation to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home and Crematory in
Muskogee. 918-910-8883.
Online condolences may be left at clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com

Upcoming Events

Celebration of Life

JUN 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church-Muskogee
600 E Okmulgee
Muskogee, OK 74403