



Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack

March 25, 1947 - May 30, 2022

Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack, 75, of Muskogee, was born March 25, 1947, in Pine Bluff, Arkansas to James and Earline Laminack and peacefully passed away Monday, May 30, 2022, in Tulsa, Oklahoma with his loving family by his side.

He joined the United States Air Force in June 1966 and was honorably discharged on June 30, 1986. Cullen received the medal of National Defense Service Medal with 5 Oak Leaf Clusters; National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal with one Device; Air Force Longevity Service Award with four Oak Leaf Cluster; NCO Professional Military Education Ribbon; Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Palm; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal; and Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. After his service career, he was employed with the United States Postal Service retiring in 2006.

Cullen enjoyed playing golf and bowling during his military years. He was an avid sports fan and loved old western movies. Cullen was God-fearing and proud of his military career. He was a loving man and was very devoted to his family.

Cullen is lovingly survived by his wife of 55 years, Annie Laminack of the home; daughters, Tammy Cook of Las Vegas, Nevada and Teresa Kassaw and husband Aaron of Fort Gibson, Oklahoma; brother, James Richard Laminack and wife Sherry of Greenwood, Arkansas; grandchildren, Mackenzie Cullen Cook of Las Vegas, Nevada, Samantha Fugate of Edmond,

Oklahoma, Carlee Fugate of Stillwater, Oklahoma and Addison Kassaw of Fort Gibson, Oklahoma; nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents James Cullen and Mary Earline Laminack; and father and mother-in-law, Elmer and Carol Morris.

A visitation will be held Thursday, June 2, 2022, at Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home in Fort Gibson with family receiving friends 5PM-7PM.

A graveside service celebrating Cullen's life will be held 12:30PM Friday, June 3, 2022, at The Fort Gibson National Cemetery Pavilion with full military honors. Reverend Bill Kelly will officiate. Aaron Kassaw and Mackenzie Cook will serve as casket bearers.

The family of Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack has entrusted his care, service and burial to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home, Fort Gibson, Oklahoma. 918-478-2555.

Online condolences may be left for the family at:

<https://www.clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com/obituaries/Cullen-Papa-Laminack/>

Cemetery Details

Fort Gibson National Cemetery

1423 Cemetery Road
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Previous Events

Family Visitation

JUN 2. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home (Fort Gibson)
1224 E Poplar St
Fort Gibson, OK 74434
(918) 478-2555

Celebration of Life

JUN 3. 12:30 PM (CT)

Fort Gibson National Cemetery
1423 Cemetery Road
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Tribute Wall



“ *Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack*

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Love and Prayers for the family*

Joe and Linda Naylor

Matt Naylor - June 03, 2022 at 10:02 AM



“ *To the Laminack family I am sending condolences I am sorry for your loss. I worked with Mr. Cullen at the Oak Park Post Office in Pine Bluff. I am sadden to here of his passing sending prayers from all the City Letter Carriers.*

Tawonna Johnson, Pine Bluff, AR

Tawonna Johnson - June 02, 2022 at 09:22 PM



“ *NVHC Mammovan purchased the Heavenly Light for the family of Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack.*



NVHC Mammovan - June 02, 2022 at 12:59 PM

BS

“ Annie and family, May God bless and keep you and family during this time of sorrow. Remember to look into the hills where cometh your help, and your help cometh from the Lord. Love and Prayers
Bertenia and Gerald Shepherd & Family

Bertenia Shepherd - June 01, 2022 at 01:27 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack.



June 01, 2022 at 10:30 AM

EC

“ Annie and your precious family: I am so sorry for the loss of your loving husband. What a fine man he was! Please accept my sincerest condolences. You all are in my prayers.
Voletta Walter Chavis

Erin Voletta Chavis - June 01, 2022 at 12:44 AM

EL

“ Our love and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time. May God give all of you his strength and love. Cullen will be greatly missed by all that had the pleasure of knowing him



Earnest and Linda - May 31, 2022 at 10:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack.*



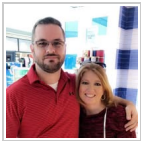
May 31, 2022 at 09:40 PM



“ *Cullen will always be a big brother to me. I will cherish the memories.*



Loretta - May 31, 2022 at 08:03 PM



“ *You'll be missed more than you know, dad. Thank you for being a light in the storm for our family, and for always loving us for who we are. I cannot give enough thanks to you. You were the best father-in-law a man could ever ask for. You were one of the good ones, without a doubt. We love you 'Papa'.*

Aaron Kassaw - May 31, 2022 at 04:17 PM



I love and miss you so much. See you on the other side one day with open arms ❤️

Annie Laminack - June 12, 2022 at 02:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cullen 'Papa' Eugene Laminack.*



May 31, 2022 at 02:04 PM



“ *Uncle Cullen was a good man. He was there for me many times when my own dad could'nt be. I have missed seeing him these past few years and will always treasure the memories I have of him.*



Shanda - May 31, 2022 at 10:52 AM



Cullen has always been a very special loved one to me. I can still remember when he first learned about Google. He will always be in our hearts and memories. We love you Cullen and so glad God called you home. We can always hold onto you not being in pain anymore. We know you haven't been without pain for years. You will always be in our prayers. I know you will see me soon, you know I've always been a stoned throw away. We will miss you.

Shelia and Rodney - June 01, 2022 at 03:33 PM