



Louie Gibson

April 18, 1931 - August 22, 2015

Louie Gibson, 84-year-old resident of Fort Gibson, passed away Saturday, August 22, 2015 in Muskogee, OK. He was born April 18, 1931 to Carl R. and Golda Mae (Ingram) Gibson in Porum, OK where he was raised.

In his childhood, he began his lifelong love of fishing, played with his dog, Benny, shined shoes, picked cotton, and got up to some good-natured mischief now and then.

After graduating from Porum High School in 1949, he enlisted in the United States Army, spending the next four years sailing the Atlantic and being stationed in such exotic locales as Bremerhaven, Germany, Landes de Bussac, France, and Ft. Sill. Louie re-enlisted in the United States Army Reserves and served his nation until retiring with an Honorable Discharge as a 1Lt.

Upon his return to Oklahoma, he married Anna Jean Spears, a pretty nurse from Hulbert who was helping care for his father. Together, he and Ann raised three wonderful children: Anna Marie (Mimi), Mary Katherine (Kathy), and John Philip (Phil) in Ponca City.

After retiring from a successful career as an accountant for Conoco, Louie spent the next 30 years of his life fishing, painting, reading, rescuing stray animals, star-gazing, playing the banjo, and making the best homemade vanilla ice cream ever. He was a member of the Fort Gibson Church of Christ. Louie was preceded in death by his parents, his brother, Thomas (Hoot), and his sisters, Evelyn, and Betty Lou. He is survived by his brother, A.T., his

sister, Sue Nell, his second wife, Hazel, his daughter, Mimi and her husband Jim of Perry, OK, his daughter, Kathy and her husband Ken of Flower Mound, TX, and his son, Phil and his wife Terri of Norman, OK; grandchildren Christina, Kari, Jessica, Maggie, Rob, and Pete; great-grandchildren Aniston, Racin, Linleigh, and Phenix; step-children; James Allen Roberts and wife Christine, dear friends Steve Green and wife Christy, Sue Kucik and husband Joe, numerous step-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and of course his pets, Princess, Lucky, and Boots along with many friends.

A visitation will be held Wednesday, August 26, 2015 with the family receiving friends from 5PM-7PM in the Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home in Fort Gibson.

A funeral service celebrating Louie's rich life will be held at 1PM on Thursday, August 27, 2015 at Fort Gibson National Cemetery in Fort Gibson, OK. with Louie's son; Phil and grandson; Pete officiating.

If you prefer, in lieu of flowers, donations in Louie Gibson's name can be made to the American Cancer Society.

The family of Louie Gibson entrusted his care, services, and burial to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home and Cremation Service 1224 E Poplar/PO Box 1973 Fort Gibson, OK 918-478-2555.

Cemetery Details

Fort Gibson National Cemetery

1423 Cemetery Road
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **26**. 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

Service

AUG **27**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Louie Gibson*

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Remembering with you the life of one who touched so many others.*

With deepest sympathies,

*ConocoPhillips Retirees Association
Board of Directors*

CRA - September 02, 2015 at 12:43 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Louie Gibson.*



August 26, 2015 at 02:34 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Life Tributes*



Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home - August 25, 2015 at 10:23 PM

PB

“ *Uncle Louie was a dear godly man who was obedient to his Lord to proclaim the truth of the gospel. He was a brilliant and talented and wise man, yet always humble. He leaves an honorable legacy for his children, grandchildren and all who knew him.*

It was touching to see the pictures. I am reminded how much he and my mother (his little sister Betty) looked so much alike and like their mother.

Rejoicing that Uncle Louie is w/ His Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Paula Busby

PAULA BUSBY - August 25, 2015 at 05:11 PM



Amanda Mashburn

Uncle louie was a sweet and nice careing person he would do whatever he could do to help , he left us so young! He loved his family so much I think he looked so much like his sister sue! You will be greatly missed we will never forget about you ! Will always be in our thoughts and prayers! R.i.p uncle Louie

Amanda Mashburn - August 27, 2015 at 11:37 PM

AM

“ *A T and Marjean purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Louie Gibson.*



A T and Marjean - August 25, 2015 at 01:49 PM

JG

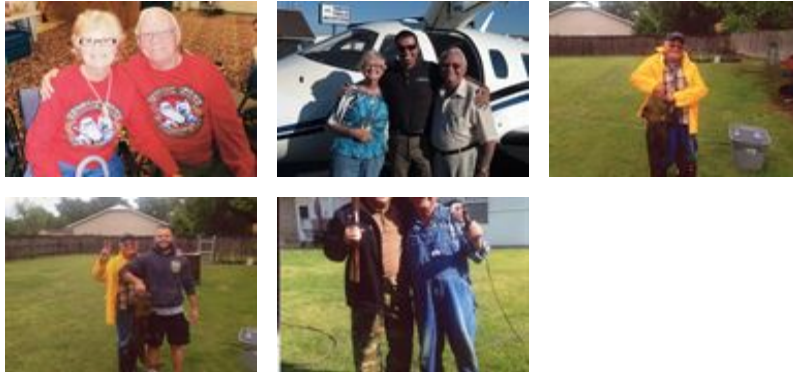
“ John, Denise, Melanie, Michael and Stephanie Gibson purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Louie Gibson.



John, Denise, Melanie, Michael and Stephanie Gibson -
August 25, 2015 at 10:37 AM



“ 30 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home - August 25, 2015 at 01:52 AM

LR

“ We salute your veteran. Our condolences for your loss & gratitude for your loved one's service to our country. May your memories & God's love bring you peace, comfort & strength at this difficult time.



Larry & Lana Hurt (Patriot Guard Riders) - August 24, 2015 at 10:19 PM

Faye
Gibson

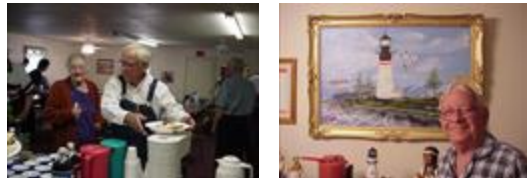
“ 2 files added to the album *Louie we will remember*



Faye Gibson - August 24, 2015 at 08:19 PM

FG

“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Faye Gibson - August 24, 2015 at 08:15 PM

YK

“ Your kids purchased the *Sacred Duty Spray* for the family of Louie Gibson.



Your kids - August 24, 2015 at 12:32 PM

GG

“ Great grandkids and grandkids purchased the *Ocean Breeze Spray* for the family of Louie Gibson.



Great grandkids and grandkids - August 24, 2015 at 12:32 PM

BD

“ *Bob & Donnelle purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Louie Gibson.*



Bob & Donnelle - August 24, 2015 at 12:32 PM

DC

“ *Donis & Curtis purchased the Sweet Liberty for the family of Louie Gibson.*



Donis & Curtis - August 24, 2015 at 12:32 PM

TF

“ *The Ives Family purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Louie Gibson.*



The Ives Family - August 23, 2015 at 09:43 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louie Gibson.*



August 23, 2015 at 03:34 PM

MG

“ My favorite memory of Uncle Louie was when I was visiting my grandparents' lake house and he came over for lunch since at the time he was just living a few houses down the road. He pulled me out onto the deck as if he were going to tell me a secret. He picked up his guitar (I had started playing guitar around this time) and played and sang Willie Nelson's "Blue Eyes Crying in the Rain." He closed his eyes and had the biggest smile on his face.

--Melanie Gibson, great-niece

Melanie Gibson - August 23, 2015 at 01:27 PM