



Franklin Mitchell

September 1, 1920 - August 11, 2009

Franklin Baine Mitchell passed away on August 11, 2009. Franklin was born in Roswell in 1920 to Ervin and Mary Louise B. Mitchell, both of whom preceded him in death. A lifelong resident of Roswell, he graduated from Roswell High School, served in the Air Force during World War II, and returned to the family business, Mitchell Seed and Grain, until he retired in 1997. He is survived by his wife Patricia Mobbs Mitchell, a son, Mike Mitchell, of Oklahoma City, a daughter, Barbara Stagner of Houston, two grandchildren, David Mitchell, of Dallas, Emily Stagner of Houston, and one great-granddaughter Alexandra Mitchell, also of Dallas.

A private burial service was held Friday, August 14, 2009 at 9 am at South Park Cemetery.

Please share your thoughts and memories with the family in the online register book at andersonbethany.com

Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home & Crematory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Franklin Mitchell*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Just a note to let you know that you are always on the minds of the people who knew you and your family. Awesome Human Beings. Will never forget your kindness.*



Larry James - May 07, 2022 at 06:47 PM

LJ

“ Once in a lifetime a person passes through life and things change. I worked for Franklin and E.W. at Mitchell Seed and Grain in the mid-sixties. They both taught me so much. Franklin was a light in my rather mundane life. He helped me through the young and restless days. He guided me through the tough days and helped mold me in what I am today. We worked side by side and when he took a cigarette break, I got one too. However, he would take about two puffs and put it out for the next time. This happened everyday for three years. Never knew if he ever finished a pack. I watched the children grow up and OH, was he proud. He talked about their accomplishments and their goals. And PAT.. What a woman.. She was the light of his life and we talked about her being from New England and how she fit into Roswell. Later in life, I bought a lot of Indian Jewelry from Two Squaws. What a family. What an era. I stopped visiting Roswell and didn't take time to at least call and talk. OH, how I wish I would have, I was saddened to read in the Record of his passing. Good-by OLD FRIEND. God Bless your family..

Larry James - August 23, 2009 at 05:48 PM

VA

“ I have been friends with Mitch for the last 7 years he was a wonderful well educated man he was healthy and sound of mind at the time of this incident and I didn't expect for him to leave yet I love Mitch & Pat very deeply and shall always remember them sweetly

Valinda - August 19, 2009 at 07:28 PM

JW

“ I did not personally know Mr. Mitchell, but have known his children for over 45 years. They are both terrific individuals and that speaks well of Frank Mitchell. My deepest sympathy to the entire family for you loss.

Jim White - August 19, 2009 at 12:08 PM