



## H. Terry Turner

September 6, 1944 - March 9, 2015

H. Terry Turner, 70, passed away peacefully at his home on March 9, 2015 in Roswell, NM. He was born in Abilene, TX to Charlie Turner and Annie Mae Newton.

Terry was a dedicated husband, father, grandfather and a true friend to all he knew. He spent the majority of his life in NM, being raised in Portales, living in Tucumcari, Farmington, Carlsbad, Raton and most of his adult life in Roswell. Terry worked as a firefighter, ditch rider, insurance agent, dairy and veterinary pharmaceutical representative and waste disposal salesman. He was a long time member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks including being Exalted Ruler and a past member of the Sertoma Club. He guided numerous big game hunts for handicapped hunters northwest of Roswell. Terry was a life member of the Chaparral Skeet Club. Terry also enjoyed racing with family at the Roswell Drag way. Most recently, Terry supported CASA with handmade clocks used as a fundraiser.

Terry was very proud of his family, the way it has grown and the character shown by his progeny. His love of family, loyalty to those who called him friend and deep caring are an important legacy. He was dedicated to the efforts of the Elks club and any cause that assisted the Veterans of our Country. He was deeply patriotic and looked for ways to serve his community. He was a man of Faith and will be deeply missed by many.

Terry is preceded in death by his parents, two sisters: Sue and Rue, two brothers: Jerry and infant brother Thomas.

Survived by his wife, Myrnell Turner of Roswell; two Sisters: Mary Goodwin of Rosemead, CA and Celia Fouser of Scott City, KS; two daughters: Deana Ragsdale and Robert of Roswell and Misty Crawford and Frank of Kerrville, TX; one son, Bryon Turner and Amy of San Marcos, TX. Also surviving Terry are Seven grandchildren: Tyler Crawford of Maple Valley, WA; Tanner Crawford of Roswell; Andrew Crawford of Artesia, NM; Sarah Letcher of Edgewood, NM; Jacob Turner of San Marcos, TX; Shelby Whitt of Roswell; and Lucas Turner of San Marcos; and seven great- grandchildren: Makenzie, Marisa, and Maci Crawford; Austin, Alex, and Madison Hartwell and Jaxon Crawford.

A memorial service will be held at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home at 3:00 PM on Thursday, March 12, 2015.

The family requests that donations on Terry's behalf be made to the Assurance Home of Roswell or the BPOE Cerebral Palsy Fund (Elks).

# Tribute Wall



“ *H. Terry Turner*

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December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy be with this family now and in the weeks and months to come. What a courageous young man and he will be deply missed but not forgotten. God has other plans for him and most of all, he is not in pain and suffering anymore. Live and prayers, Cheryl and Tim wafful*

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**cheryl and tim wafful** - March 17, 2015 at 09:03 AM



“ *The CASA Program has such fond memories of Terry's generosity. He made the most clever clocks for our Make Time For Kids event! He was also someone who got his clocks in early, so his submissions inspired us to have a wonderful event. We are so grateful to Terry and will truly miss him. He made a real difference in the lives of hurting children.*

*Blessings,  
Carrie-Leigh Cloutier  
Executive Director*

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**Carrie-Leigh Cloutier** - March 15, 2015 at 03:53 PM

LS

“ Love Stacey Ellis, Chad Ellis Family and Lucheryl Speed purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of H. Terry Turner.



Love Stacey Ellis, Chad Ellis Family and Lucheryl Speed -  
March 11, 2015 at 11:40 AM

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“ We will miss Terry's smiling face so much! Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family.

Teri Romero, Telco Credit Union - March 11, 2015 at 11:02 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of H. Terry Turner.



March 11, 2015 at 09:05 AM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of H. Terry Turner.



March 11, 2015 at 08:57 AM

JC

“ I went through Junior high and high school with Terry. He always had a lot of fun, always clean fun and a really good guy. He was the kind of man people respected, and the kind of man that respected others. He is back with Jerry, now, and we know they are having a great time, and looking forward to seeing everyone again, We all love you Terry!  
Judy (Vance) Crume

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**Judy Crume** - March 10, 2015 at 10:45 PM

MJ

Myrnell,  
So sorry to hear about Terry, He was always so thoughtful and just a very special guy. Take care and may God Bless you and your family at this difficult time.  
Marcy James, Donna, Terry and Rodney

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**Marcy James** - March 11, 2015 at 02:32 PM