



David Matthew Landrum

November 2, 1960 - January 29, 2023

David Matthew Landrum of Tulsa, Oklahoma, died at the age of 62 on January 29, 2023. David was born in Tulsa, OK to Seth and Kathryn Landrum on November 2, 1960. He attended Daniel Webster High School. During grade and junior high schools, he played basketball and baseball. He worked in the construction industry a bit after high school, then left Tulsa and moved to Florida where he resided for over 20 years and where he became an electrician, working on large complex commercial and residential projects. David had a large curiosity of how things worked, and was a modern day explorer. He loved history, sports and rocknroll, having attended over 100 concerts. While in Florida, he embarked on a scuba diving hobby of which he was an avid participant. He loved the challenge of catching those sea monsters called lobsters. He was nicknamed Okie Dave in Florida because of his Oklahoma accent. David was a master griller, whether charcoal, propane, and he loved to smoke meat. Later in life he loved studying the Bible and became very knowledgeable in the Word of God.

David had an astonishing memory of events and recalled stories that no one else did until he began talking about them. David was well liked by everyone that met him. David was preceded in death by his father, Seth Landrum, and his infant sister Patricia Ann Landrum. He is survived by his mother, Kathryn Landrum; his brother, Terry Landrum and his wife Resa of Tulsa, OK, his sister Diane (Landrum) Lee of Tulsa, OK, and his brother Ben Landrum and his wife Pam of Owasso, OK; his son John David Landrum and his wife Lynnetta of Grove, OK, and his grandchildren: Ariel Stovall of Joplin, MO, River Stovall of Wyandotte, OK, and Jillian Landrum of Commerce, OK.

Tribute Wall

JG

“ So for the last year and a half I'm trying to find a way of Contact in Dave. About 2 days ago I finally realized what his last name was and i went on the internet to find him sadly to say I found this. I new Dave when he lived in Fort Lauderdale I worked side by side with him as a electrician. We had fun hanging out at his house barbecuing some delicious food and going scuba diving. 4 of us would go in the morning and catch lobsters and groupers and that would be our dinner. First time I met him I was blown away by his accent that's where he got the nickname OKIE. I hope your family's still looks at this they would love this picture.

☹️REST IN PEACE MY FRIEND IT WAS MY PLEASURE
KNOWING YOU ☹️🙌



John ghigna - October 01, 2024 at 10:55 AM

VM

“ I'm glad to have gotten to know David in a smaller setting of our Friday night group.

He was proud of his sister Dianne and truly appreciated how much she helped him in the details of his life.

Most of our discussions centered around the Lord and David would share of something he read, or a theological discussion he had had with his brother Terry.

Rarely would David call or text, usually it was to request prayer or to reflect on God's graciousness, or to share a scripture which i will post below.

Following his wreck last year a couple of the texts he sent - 'God was with me all the way' and 'God bless us all each and everyone. We never know where they're coming from, but that's okay it's the grace of God that keeps us going'

"And not only that, but we also boast in our afflictions, because we know that affliction produces endurance,"

Romans 5:3

David knew the trials the world brings and he also knew that without Jesus, eternal life was hopeless. He would ask for prayers for Patrick and other neighbors, and his son John whom he loved very much as well as his daughter in law Lynetta. And while David had a curious mind on many things, he had confidence in the truth of John 3:16.

"For God loved the world in this way: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life."

Vicki M - February 04, 2023 at 03:56 PM

GT

“ David always had a smile and an obvious eagerness to be at church. It was a pleasure to know him, if even for a short time.

John 11:25 (NKJV)

25 Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?”

Gwen Trowbridge - February 03, 2023 at 09:53 PM

SC

“ Two things I remember most about David, and both relate to prayer. One is his humility and openness with asking to be prayed for. And two, his prayers to God in life group or Wednesday nights. They were direct, hopeful, earnest, and filled with a faith that he was praying to a big God.

Steven Cox - February 03, 2023 at 05:43 PM

SM

I was a friend of David many years, I was hoping to see when a memorial service

Stephen Mason - February 24, 2023 at 04:03 PM

GR

“ As we talked about our jobs, I could tell David was a perfectionist when it came to his job as an electrician. He was one of the rare breeds when it came to taking pride in what he had done. I gave him a book by Martin Lloyd Jones called *Spiritual Depression*. I told him how it had really minister to me. He told me many times how it ministered to him. We both had a rough past and could identify with each other. I will never forget a prayer he prayed at one of our get togethers at Vicki's. I remember telling about the wonderful prayer he prayed to Terry. It was from the depth of his heart. He had struggles as we all do, and we were able to share them with one another. I will miss picking him up once a week. He was always at his door waiting and ready to go.

Gary Russell - February 03, 2023 at 11:21 AM

JM

“ David was such a loving and caring brother in Christ! His smile and living care of me, Judy, when I was in much pain was a real blessing. Larry and David used to joke around about their football teams which Larry enjoyed so much! We will miss him and his precious living ways.

Judy Mix - February 03, 2023 at 09:52 AM

DL

“ Anyone who knew David knew that his sense of curiosity drove him to do things most people wouldn't do. Recently, a bat, one of those creatures of the night, showed up on his spider plant that was hanging outside his apartment. The planter was low enough that you could walk up to the bat. As his sister, I told him, now don't you go messing with that bat cause he could bite you and give you some rabies or something. He watched the bat for several days and the bat never left the planter. So then he confesses. Yes, indeed he had spread the bat's wings out for a closer examination, as well as open its mouth so he could observe the small fangs. Ahh!! Luckily, no bite and the bat did eventually fly away.

David was spontaneous which is why he had lots of adventures in his life. But he learned later in life the Truth, to Trust God, who Jesus is, and would often comfort me with quoting scripture. He would get excited after reading some spiritual book and share what he had learned, in great detail. You gotta read this Diane.

My heart is broken on losing David. People are irreplaceable, and life is fragile. But the hope he held to in his faith is now revealed as he continues to live on in his new life. I can only imagine what adventures he is into now. Praise be to God!!!

Diane Lee - February 02, 2023 at 04:10 PM

PH

I'm sorry for your loss Diane. I recently found out about his death. Glad he found Christ again.

Pamela Henson - March 09 at 07:32 PM