



Alvin Grant Bellows

January 22, 1928 - January 14, 2016

Alvin Grant Bellows, 87, of Coppell, TX, passed away Thursday, January 14, 2016 in Coppell, TX. He was born January 22, 1928 in Keifer, OK to Earl and Ida (Black) Bellows. Alvin married Opal Jewell Ferguson on June 18, 1971 in Seminole, OK. He was a member of Lindsey Baptist Church and after moving became a member of First Baptist Church of Krugerville. Alvin enjoyed playing music, singing, and also played the harmonica. He loved woodworking and clocks. He is survived by his son, Michael Bellows and wife Trish of Haslett, TX; daughter, Brenda Jeanne Walker of Coppell, TX; step-daughter, Janice Kay Murphy and husband Ray of Mena, AR; and sister, Margaret Musgrove of Lafayette, CO. He also, had 10 grandchildren - Rejeana, Jason, Chris, Brian, April, Tyler, Sherri, Andi, Christine and Amy. He was preceded in death by his parents, Earl and Ida; wife, Opal; step-son, Darryl Wayne Fisher; six brothers; and two sisters. Visitation will be held at 9:00AM, Tuesday, January 19, 2016 at First Baptist Church of Krugerville, TX. A funeral service will follow at 10:00AM, with Rev. Sam Redfearn officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery in Wewoka, OK. Donations in Alvin's memory may be made to Easter Seals, Attn: Online Giving Coordinator, 233 South Wacker Drive, Suite 2400, Chicago, IL, 60606 or www.easterseals.com. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com. Services are under the direction of Charlotte Chism Waldrum and Slay Memorial Funeral Center. To send a flower arrangement to the family of Alvin Grant Bellows, please

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Tribute Wall

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“ *I love you and I miss you Dad.*

Brenda Walker - January 14, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Alvin was a man like no other I have ever known. I worked for him in his Spudnut Shop in Norman, Oklahoma in the late 1960s when I was in college; he knew me then as Mickey. However, to call him a boss is a gross dis-service; he became my surrogate father when my real father abandoned me. He was kind, caring, warm, friendly, understanding, loving, supportive, generous, and compassionate; all the behaviors I have used to raise my son. In short, he was a wonderful human being, which I am sure his children, Brenda and Michael, know. The world lost a great man among men when he passed, but heaven gained an angel of angels. I only wish I could have talked to him one more time. May God bless his soul.*

Donald Wedekind - February 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We didn't get to know Alvin til later in his life but thank goodness we finally met. He was a fine gentleman and a valued friend. Though he will be missed, we know he is back with his Opal in Heaven.*

Rod & Gloria Fennell - January 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM