



## James (Jim) Omey

October 18, 1938 - December 30, 2011

James (Jim) Lewis, son of Nina Mae (Campbell) and Lewis Omey, was born October 18, 1938 in Alva, Oklahoma. He passed away at St. Francis Hospital in Wichita, Kansas on the 30th of December at the age of 73 years, 2 months and 12 days.

He attended the rural schools of Pleasant Hill and Farry, north of Freedom, Oklahoma; also Pawnee Valley School north of Kalvesta, Kansas. He then attended High School in Cimarron, Kansas where he graduated in 1957.

Jim married Verina Koehn in Freedom, Oklahoma in 1958. To their marriage three daughters, Shelly, Patricia and Debbie, were born.

Following their marriage they made their home on the ranch north of Freedom where he worked with his granddad, Doc, before taking over the cow and calf operation.

Jim enjoyed blacksmithing and welding and was a founding member of the Salt Fork Craftsmen Blacksmith.

He was preceded in death by a son-in-law Brette Province, a grandson Kristopher James Province; a brother-in-law Jim Cohoon; and his parents.

Jim is survived by his wife Verina; a sister Rita Cohoon three daughters, Shelly Province, Patricia and Joe Jessup and Debbie and Clint Harzman; seven grandchildren: Kirt and Melissa Province, Kaylyn Province, Jenny Jessup, Will Jessup, Kelsey and Mike Bryant, Clansy Harzman and Ethan Harzman; six great grandchildren: Autry and Brody Province, Cambri, Michael, Macey, and Chasen Bryant; a number of nieces nephews other

relatives and friends.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sorry for the passing of your loved one.*

*Kevin and Donna Bryant  
Fairview, OK*

*(Kelsey Harzman Bryant's inlaws)*

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**Donna Bryant** - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Verina and Rita, I was so sorry to read of Jim passing. He will be missed by all who knew him.*

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**Glenda & Gayle O'Bleness** - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Verina, Shelly, Patricia, Debbie and families  
So very sorry to hear about Jim. Praying for comfort for all of you. I know how very much you will miss him.  
Love and Prayers to you all*

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**Carol Bowers** - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Verina, Shelly, Patricia, Debbie and families, I will always remember Jim's unique wit and his friendly smile. Please know that you are in our prayers and thoughts.  
Lynette and Walt Morris*

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**Lynette and Walt Morris** - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Verina & family, we were sorry to read about Jim's passing. Another cowboy is riding the trails in Heaven. May you find comfort knowing he's at peace with God. Our prayers & sympathy to all of you.*

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**Dudley & Jeanne Winn** - December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM