



Thomas Patterson

September 10, 1949 - March 8, 2026

Thomas Michael Patterson, 76, passed away on March 8, 2026, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was born on September 10, 1949, to Woodrow Patterson and Mary Ann (Schalski) Davis.

Thomas was a beloved brother, uncle, and friend who will be remembered by the many family members whose lives he touched. He shared strong bonds with his siblings and extended family, and his presence will be deeply missed by all who knew him. Thomas served in the Vietnam War under the 101st Airborne division (Screaming Eagles) from 1969 to 1971.

He was preceded in death by many siblings: Bobby Patterson, Sue Farned, Cathy Patterson, Gary Tolbert, James Patterson, Mary Johnson, Johnnie "Big John" Patterson, Luther Patterson, and Chester Patterson. He was also preceded in death by his nephews, Thomas Bullard and John David Patterson.

Thomas is survived by his brother-in-law, Dale Farned; sisters-in-law, Joyce Patterson and Annie Patterson; his siblings, Brian Patterson and wife Sue, Joyce Laverty and husband Bill, and Melody Cunningham and husband Randy. He also leaves behind his loyal dog, Trigger, as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins, and extended family members who will cherish his memory.

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel in Okmulgee, Oklahoma. Interment will take place at the Okmulgee Cemetery following the service.

Arrangements and services have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee, Oklahoma. Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Thomas's Tribute Page of our website. www.mcclendon-winters.com

Previous Events

Service

MAR 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel
303 E. 7th Street
Okmulgee, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *McClendon-Winters Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas Patterson*



McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - March 13 at 05:28 PM

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Rest easy my old friend you will be missed

Ricky Blatchford - March 15 at 06:57 AM

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“ *David Miller lit a candle in memory of Thomas Patterson*



David Miller - March 24 at 04:04 PM

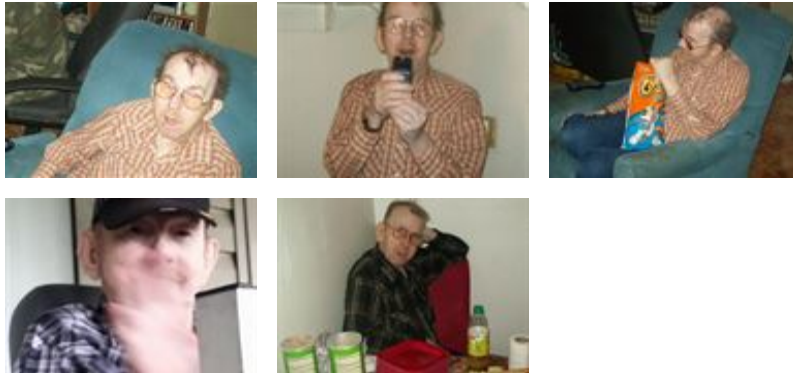
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“ Tommy was my first cousin and my best bud when we were young. We were just 6 months apart. We did not see each other much after moving to OKC. Tommy was like a brother to me. When we were kids we would climb the apple trees and eat green apples till we were sick . We both got stung by bumble bees after Bobby decided to stir them up! Tommy ending up in the hospital! When we talked on the phone, he was always so happy and positive . He loved talking to his Aunt Lou, my mom on the phone. They would talk for hours. She loved him as much as she did me. He was such a happy guy and he for sure loved the Lord. Heaven definitely gained an angel!

Curtis Hedrick - March 15 at 09:35 PM



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