



## Thomas George Hummel

June 13, 1928 - June 18, 2011

Thomas G. Hummel 82, long time Okmulgee resident, died Saturday, June 18, 2011 in Okmulgee. He was born in Allentown, PA on July 13, 1928 to Joseph Tilman and Helen (Lawson) Hummel. Tom attended Mulenbury University where he was a member of the ATO Fraternity. He served in the U.S. Navy for 6 years, he then joined the U.S. Army Reserve retiring after 28 years. He moved to Okmulgee in 1958 and was associated with the Army Reserve Center here. Tom was known as “Mr. Athletics” by many. He volunteered at the Okmulgee High School being clock and score keeper for just about all the athletic teams. He was well known as the Tulsa University Golden Hurricane Basketball and Football Team’s official timekeeper and was proud to note that he missed only six TU home games in 29 years. Tom also volunteered at the Okmulgee Memorial Hospital and the Oklahoma Aquarium in Jenks and had served as a Board Member of the Okmulgee County YMCA. His hobbies were his volunteer work, golf and any athletics. He was a member of the First Methodist Church in Okmulgee. His parents, a sister Betty Schlecter and wife Margaret “Sis” Hummel preceded him in death.

Survivors include a son John Hummel and wife Denise of Tulsa, Ok, two daughters Debbie Garcia and husband Silverio of Baku, Azerbaijan and Nancy Melton and husband Dickie of Nuyaka, OK, ten grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 am Wednesday, June 22, 2011 at the First Methodist Church in Okmulgee, with Rev. Brian Matthews officiating. Military committal services will be held at the Ft. Gibson National Cemetery on Thursday at 10 am. Pallbearers are Fred Harlan, Rob Hess, Gene Lewellen, Tom Clayton, Dan Morgan and Dan Rhodes. Visitation will be on Tuesday 12 until 8 pm. The family will be available at the funeral home 5 until 7 pm on Tuesday. Tom's family suggests that memorials be made in his name to the Okmulgee County YMCA. Condolences may be made at [mcclendon-winters.com](http://mcclendon-winters.com).

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church of Okmulgee  
8th Street and Seminole  
Okmulgee, OK

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas George Hummel*

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ *Tom I will miss you very much I hope I will see you in hereafter take care old soilder.##imported-begin##michael j. crisantiello##imported-end##*

June 24, 2011 at 07:02 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##John and Gwen Fidler##imported-end##*

June 23, 2011 at 10:52 AM



“ *Dear Johnny, Debbie and Nancy:  
My heart is aching. I loved your Dad so much. He was my Mother's brother and only sibling. For me his loss is felt with such heart ache. Although I now live in Florida (from Allentown, PA), your Dad and I spoke at least 3 times a year--on his birthday (which I was looking forward to in just a couple weeks), Christmas, and at least one or two other times throughout the year. I would call and simply say, "Hi Uncle Tom", and he would always respond, "Hi Sally!" Oh how I wish I could hear his voice now. I will miss those wonderful keep in touch with the Hummel family moments. I know all of you have been wonderful children and such a strength of love and support to him. I am so sorry for your deep loss. Please keep in touch.  
Sally Schlechter Johnson##imported-begin##Sally Schlechter Johnson##imported-end##*

June 22, 2011 at 07:17 PM



“ I am sorry to here about Toms passing. I helped take care of him when he was at Plantation House Assist Living he was a very funny person he would make you laugh know matter what he said. He will be missed. Also, my prayers go out to the family.##imported-begin##Jennifer Brown##imported-end##

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June 21, 2011 at 11:56 PM



“ Johnny, Debbie and Nancy,

*I am so sorry to hear about your dad. He and dad were good friends and Bill, Randy and I have always considered you family since we grew up together in the same church, ran around together and didn't get in too much trouble, and with our dads working together at the reserve center and school athletics. You are in my prayers.*

*Nancy, it was great seeing you at mom's memorial and I am going to do my best to be at your dad's funeral.*

*Hugs and prayers to you all,*

*Brenda##imported-begin##Brenda (Bell) Johns##imported-end##*

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June 21, 2011 at 03:01 PM



“ Tom's diligence and dependability were always appreciated by me when he assisted at TU games while I was sports information director and later when I ran the scoreboard and he the clock at basketball and football games.##imported-begin##Jerry Pogue##imported-end##

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June 21, 2011 at 06:41 AM



“ You couldn't help but love Tom! He was always cheerful and smiling. Both of his girls baby sat for us when our children were little so we go back a long ways. We set Tom and Sis up on their first date!##imported-begin##Norman and Ann Dietert##imported-end##

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June 20, 2011 at 03:49 PM



“ My heart and prayers are for the family of Thomas Hummel we share a lot memories at Okmulgee High School Football games and university of Tulsa Golden Hurricane games,thanks Thomas for memories you will be miss by family and friends##imported-begin##Jerry W. Marshall##imported-end##

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June 20, 2011 at 03:45 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Bill & Jan##imported-begin##Bill & Jan Bell##imported-end##

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June 19, 2011 at 01:26 PM