



Mr. Henry Moaning

June 24, 1946 - January 21, 2023

Henry Donald Moaning was born on June 24, 1946 to John Wesley and Pecolia Moaning in Boley, Oklahoma. He was the third of five children: John Paul Moaning, Beverly (Moaning) Warrior, Jacquelyn (Moaning) Horton, and Joseph Moaning. Henry attended Arbeaka Public School for elementary studies and graduated from Butner High School before being drafted into the United States Army. Henry served in the Vietnam War and was able to travel around the world.

After Henry was discharged from the U.S. Army in February 1970, he obtained his bachelor and master of business administration from the University of Central Oklahoma. Henry worked for the United States Postal Services for many years. Henry met Myra Jean Hawkins at the Church of God in Tulsa, OK. Henry and Myra married on November 30, 1974 and their first child, Tenaye Marie Moaning, joined the family on December 8, 1975. Five more children Girma Lamon Moaning (Joelle), Jacquelyn Ruth Moaning, Shelese Nicole Moaning, Deborah Zoreah Vasquez (Alberto), and Isaac James Moaning were born to this union.

Henry is preceded in death by his parents, John and Pecolia Moaning, brothers John Paul and Joseph Moaning, sister Jacquelyn (Moaning) Horton and daughter Tenaye Marie Moaning.

Henry gave his life to Christ at an early age and faithfully attended the Church of God at various Oklahoma congregations until his health began to decline. He served as a deacon, sat on various committees, and volunteered his time and monetary resources to help the Church of God.

Henry enjoyed taking his children to work in his side businesses and spent many hours doing this. The joy of Henry's retired life were his grandchildren Adora, Adelyn, and Winslow Moaning and Belen, Eleanor, and Oliver Vasquez. He would beam with pride when he saw them and spoke of them to others.

Henry leaves to mourn his passing his wife, children, grandchildren, sister, and many nieces, nephews, cousins, saints, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Friendship Cemetery

11012 S. Luther Rd.
Newalla, OK 74857

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JAN 28. 3:00 PM (CT)

Rolfe Memorial Chapel
2936 N.E. 36th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73111

Tribute Wall

PA

“ I sincerely offer my sympathy to the family of Henry Moaning. I worked with Henry off & on for many yrs at the USPS. He was a very kind & friendly person who worked very hard to take care of his family. I don't think Henry ever took a sick day off work, which was more than impressive since Postal management harassed black people like they'd lost their minds. Somehow, he managed to stay under their evil radar & had a comfortable, long Postal career. May you all know that I am praying for you, knowing that God is Sovereign and Just, He will surely carry you through this difficult season of grief.

Paulette Anderson - January 28, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Henry Moaning.



January 28, 2023 at 08:24 AM

DF

“ Debbie Grant and Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mr. Henry Moaning.



Debbie Grant and Family - January 27, 2023 at 01:05 PM

OW

“ *Moaning Family:
My deepest condolence to Myra and other family members. Prayers
lifted during your bereavement. May God comfort and give you inner
peace and strength.*
Sis. Oleta Whibbey

Oleta Whibbey - January 26, 2023 at 11:16 PM

ST

“ *Shell Americas Engineering Leader Team
purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for
the family of Mr. Henry Moaning.*



Shell Americas Engineering Leader Team - January 26, 2023
at 07:40 PM

ST

“ *Shell Project Engineering Team purchased the M
edium Dish Garden for the family of Mr. Henry
Moaning.*



Shell Project Engineering Team - January 26, 2023 at 07:23
PM

FS

“ *From your friends at Shell Sewaren purchased
the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the
family of Mr. Henry Moaning.*



From your friends at Shell Sewaren - January 26, 2023 at
04:36 PM

CS

“ To the Moaning family, We have memories of Henry way back when our families were young and our children played together. I remember my husband helping Henry clear off and landscape some land he had by Meeker, I think it was. Dwane and Henry could always pick up their conversation where they left off the last time they were together. Now these two men are together in heaven so I assume they have picked up their conversation where they left off the last time they were together. (smile) We are praying for all of you during this time of mourning and reminiscing. May the Lord comfort your hearts with His love and peace. With our love, The Dwane & Connie Sorrell Family PS. Remember Rodney is in heaven with them also. I can imagine a lot of praising, singing and talking going on up there. (smile)

Connie Sorrell - January 26, 2023 at 04:03 PM

OG

“ Okmulgee Church of God purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Henry Moaning.



Okmulgee Church of God - January 26, 2023 at 02:11 PM

AG

“ I remember working with Henry at the Post Office. Sorry to hear of his passing. Praying that the Lord will give all of you the strength to go through this difficult time.

Angie Gipson - January 25, 2023 at 07:35 PM

TF

“ Hello Ruth, Sending you and your family my deepest sympathy and prayers. May God wrap you in His arms and provide you strength and comfort during this difficult time.

Tammie

Tammie Forbes - January 25, 2023 at 05:56 PM

MG

“ The Moaning Family,
We wish to express our deepest sympathy to broHenry Moaning's family and friends. Lean hard on God's arms to see you through this difficult period.

Prayerfully,
sisPG & family



Ms. P. Gaiters - January 24, 2023 at 09:23 PM

AF

Praying for the family

Arma jean fletcher - January 26, 2023 at 12:51 AM

GM

*May God comfort you all during your time of grief. Sending prayers and condolences,
Glenda McPhail*

Glenda McPhail - January 28, 2023 at 12:35 AM