



## Richard D. Diesselhorst Sr.

February 15, 1938 - January 31, 2015

Richard D. Diesselhorst, Sr. , age 76 of Whippoorwill, OK, died Saturday, January 31, 2015, at Robert J. Dole VA Medical Center in Wichita, KS.

He was born on Tuesday, February 15, 1938, in Alhambra, IL, the son of Fred and Emerelda (nee Wilhaber) Diesselhorst.

He was born and raised in Alhambra, IL. He served with the US Air Force, active duty for 12 years. He owned and operated Diesselhorst Truck Lines, Ford, KS; later he drove for other commercial truck lines until his retirement. He lived most of his life at Ford, KS; later living in Whippoorwill, OK.

Survivors include:

Son - Terry L. (Becky) Diesselhorst, Greenville, IL

Son - Richard D. Diesselhorst, Jr., Whippoorwill, OK

Step Daughter - Deana (Paul) Moore, Dodge City, KS

Step Son - Gearld Brooks, Pratt, KS

Grandchildren - Three

Great Grandchildren - Seven

Step Grandchildren - Five

Step Great Grandchildren - Six

Brother - Robert (Virginia) Diesselhorst, Coffeen, IL

Brother - David (Sheila) Diesselhorst, Kingfisher, OK

Sister - Carol (Jim) Gibbons, Alhambra, IL  
Sister - Diane (Don) Price, Alhambra, IL  
Sister In-law - Sharon Diesselhorst, Alhambra, IL

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Fred Diesselhorst  
Mother - Emerelda Diesselhorst (nee Wildhaber)  
Son - Larry F. Diesselhorst (died 7/14/1974)  
Step Son - Dearld Brooks (died 1997)  
Brother - Kenny Diesselhorst  
Sister - Sharon Diesselhorst  
Sister - Marilyn Diesselhorst

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, Illinois.

Graveside Service will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday, February 07, 2015, at Salem Cemetery in Alhambra, IL, with Rev. R. Darryl Bolen, Pastor, First Christian Church, Greenville, IL, officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Donor's Choice.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Love you Uncle Rich...*

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**Sharon** - February 03, 2015 at 09:00 AM