



## Sidney G. Owens

April 15, 1946 - July 22, 2014

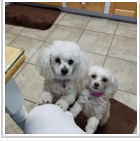
Sidney G. Owens, 68, born April 15, 1946 to Sidney Earl and Aletta Mae Vanlandingham Owens in Granite, OK., passed away on Tuesday, July 22, 2014, in Plano.

Visitation will be held at 12:00 Noon, one hour prior to the funeral service at 1:00 PM in the Prestonwood Baptist Church Chapel, in Plano; 6801 West Park Blvd., 75093. Interment will be at 3:00 PM, Laurel Land Cemetery, in Ft Worth.

He was an active member of Prestonwood Baptist Church in Plano and loved his family.

Sidney is survived by his loving wife of 16 years, Brenda Gay Owens; daughters, Odet Owens and Cortnee Reed; step-daughters; Christi Freeman and husband, Jay, and Lizzie Hutchings and husband, Logan; grandchildren, Cassidy Gray, Destinee Reed, Micah Owens, Parker Freeman and Presley Freeman; sisters; Carolyn Lively and husband, Glen, and Diana Sewell and husband, Steven; and numerous nieces and nephews.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dad I remember our camping trips together, canoeing down the Illinois river, going to Colorado for two weeks, going to Padre Island, all the fun things we did together. Going with you on your job to take wedding pictures of couples getting married. I just remember all the times we spent together, I miss you and I love you very much and I know one day I will see you in Heaven. From your daughter Odet, typed my by Aunt Diana*

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**Diana Sewell** - July 29, 2014 at 12:58 PM



“ *Missing my brother every day!*

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**diana sewell** - July 28, 2014 at 02:21 PM



“ *I remember my dad as being fun and very loving. I remember many camping trips and trips canoeing down the Illinois river. Growing up I was really close to my dad. He was my hero and I spent every moment I could with him. Following him around as he did his photography. Watching ET together and Star Wars at the theatre. I'll miss u dad. I'm so glad you are at peace. Cortnee Owens*

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**Cortnee Reed** - July 27, 2014 at 05:48 PM

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**Stephanie Hyde** - July 26, 2014 at 10:49 PM

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“ We are all deeply saddened for the family of Mr.O. Our prayers have been with your family for the last couple of years as he fought for his health. I wanted to share a poem and I hope in some way that it brings comfort to your family. I know each of us look forward to meeting him all over again one day but until then, we will cherish the memories and lessons he gave to us. With love - Stephanie Hyde.

*May I go now?*

*May I go now?*

*Do you think the time is right?*

*May I say goodbye to pain filled days  
and endless lonely nights?*

*I lived my life and done my best,  
an example I've tried to be.*

*So can I take that step beyond the light  
and set my spirit free?*

*I didn't want to go at first,  
I fought with all my might.  
But something seems to draw me now  
to that warm and loving light.*

*I want to go, I really do,  
it's difficult to stay.  
But I will try as best I can  
to live just one more day.*

*To give you time to care for me  
and share your love and fears.  
I know you're sad and are afraid,  
because I see your tears.*

*I'll not be far, I promise that,*

*and I hope you'll always know.  
That my spirit will be close to you  
Where ever you may go.*

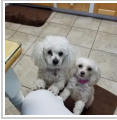
*Thank you so for loving me  
and know that I love you too.  
That's why it's hard to say goodbye  
and end this life with you.*

*So hold me now just one more time  
and let me hear you say,  
Because you care so much for me,  
you'll let me go today.*

*Author - Susan A. Jackson*

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**Stephanie Hyde** - July 26, 2014 at 10:41 PM



*thank you Stephanie, i am Sid's Youngest sister Diana and this poem is Beautiful, I am so sad he had to leave us. Thank you for sharing the pictures of Sid, I so enjoy looking at them.*

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**Diana Sewell** - July 27, 2014 at 06:32 PM

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“ Brenda and family, Diana and family, Cortnee and family, Odet and family, My heart is sad to loose Sid, that family did not get to spend more time with him, but so Glad did not let him linger and suffer pain and took him home so soon. Sid told me he was ready, and I know Brenda is missing him so much. I am so proud to have been his sister, and Diana loved him too. I for one, am glad that he is now checking out his mansion that was waiting on him, the praising he is doing before his Heavenly Father, and his Lord and Savior. I can't image him not laughing and singing, praising and knowing that he is now healed and in his glorious body. He was one of a kind, and unique. He was a loving parent, loved his kids and his step kids and all the grandkids. I always thought so highly of his love for Brenda and her love and support for him. An awesome couple and to think of the healing process that is needed for her to get through this and meet him and greet him one day over there. Thank you Brenda, and all for being a part of Sid's life and for loving him so. May God give all joy, peace and comfort by wrapping his loving arms around you. Love you all. He is not here, but thank God and Grace, he is over there. :)



Carolyn Lively and family.

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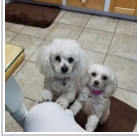
Carolyn Lively - July 26, 2014 at 08:50 PM

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“ Brenda and family: My sincere condolences to you and want you to know that you're in my thoughts and prayers as Sid has been daily- Sid will be missed by so many of us for so many reasons- Peace, Comfort and Love, Susan Herring

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Susan Herring - July 25, 2014 at 12:26 PM



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**Diana Sewell** - July 24, 2014 at 10:12 AM



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**Christi Freeman** - July 24, 2014 at 01:31 AM

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“ *Brenda and the Owens Family, Our deepest sympathies on the loss of a most special man. Sid and I worked together for nearly 20 years. During all these years Sid was always the most professional and giving man ever. We became dear friends right from the beginning. Sid designed ABA's first website and greatly contributed to ABA's success not only in this one area but so many to even begin to list. He engendered respect from all and gave respect to all as well. His faith was always leading him and that example inspired all those who came to know him. There is a huge hole in our hearts not having him in our lives. We loved Sid and his memory will be with us always. We were all blessed to have had Sid in our lives. He is with his Savior now. We will see Sid again. God give you all strength. Dee & David*

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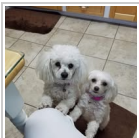
**Dolores Hawkins** - July 23, 2014 at 04:20 PM

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“ *Brenda and Family, When I think of Sid my first thought is Faith. Sid had a strong faith in our Lord Jesus Christ and he shared it with many in a way that you could only admire him for. Never hesitated to share what he knew was true and he could point you to where you can find it in your bible! I feel so blessed to have known Sid, we worked together for so many years, a great co-worker and friend! Sid leaves behind many memories to share, which will help us all with our earthly feelings of loss. Praise God from whom all blessings flow-Sid was our blessing! Love, Jeff and Hildie*

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**Hildie Ciejka** - July 23, 2014 at 09:52 AM



“ *Brenda, I am so very sorry for the loss of your husband, my brother Sid. Prayers for you and the family. Love, Diana*

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**Diana Sewell** - July 23, 2014 at 07:49 AM

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“ *Brenda & Family; Jan and I send our condolences to you. Just know that we love you and are lifting you up in prayer. Sid has a very special place in our hearts, thinking back about all the times he offered his photography talents to us. He was never too busy to pray for anyone that needed prayer. It is our prayer that our Lord will give you the strength during this time of personal loss. Love Wesley and Jan*



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**Wesley G. Phillips** - July 22, 2014 at 07:07 PM