



## Carson Eddie Ford

March 2, 1924 - April 23, 2013

Carson Eddie Ford, 89, of Colcord, Oklahoma, died April 23, 2013, at the Medical Center of Plano, Plano, Texas. Born March 2, 1924, in Row, Oklahoma, he was the son of Clarence Ford and Gertie Woods Ford. He lived all his life in Colcord, and was a cattle farmer and worked for Daisy BB Guns. He married Mary Helen Lewis on September 6, 1988, in Jay, Oklahoma. Carson was a member of Cornerstone Church, in Jay, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Ray Earl Ford, and one brother-in-law.

Survivors included his wife Mary Helen Cannady Ford of the home; one son, Carl Eugene Ford and wife Lois of Plano, Texas; seven step-children; two grandsons; 17 step-grandchildren; two great grandsons; 22 step-great grandchildren; one step great great grandson; one sister, Edra Thompson, of Claremore, Oklahoma.

Pallbearers will be Randy Cannady, Anthony Cannady, Josh Jackson, Clint Ford, Mike Ford, and David Davis.

Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, April 27, 2013, at Cornerstone Church, Jay, Oklahoma, with Sam Andrews and George Fry officiating. Burial will follow at Dickson Cemetery, near Cherokee City, Arkansas. Visitation will

be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday, April 26, 2013, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

# Cemetery Details

## Dickson Cemetery

Dickson Cemetery  
Gentry, AR 72734

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home  
441 U.S. 412  
Siloam Springs, AR 72761  
(479) 524-5131  
wasson@wassonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

## Service

APR **27**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Cornerstone Church  
36651 State Hwy 43  
Jay, OK 74346

# Tribute Wall

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“ My Grandpa Carson was a good man He was married to my grandma Helen for over 30 years. They raised my dad Carl Ford on the Ford farm next door to great grandpa Clarence and grandma gertie. Some of my happiest childhood memories are of the time spent with them and my dad. I remember shooting off bottle rockets and firecrackers grilling hamburgers, swimming in spavinaw and driving grandpa Carson's chevy pickup. I remember those happy times and will always remember my grandpa Carson and my grandma Helen (Thompson) Ford with both of them laughing and happy with a smile on their faces.

Grandpa Carson and Grandma Helen divorced later as sometimes happens to families. Each went their own way for the remainder of their lives and picked up the pieces and started over. My grandpa Carson took care of his cattle farm and worked faithfully everyday at Daisy BB gun in Rogers for close to 40 years, Often times the physical strain and long hours of work would leave him so tired he would sometimes fall asleep at the wheel and run off of the road. When my great grandpa Clarence passed away He stepped up and looked after grandma Gertie for many years just to keep her from having to go to a rest home. If you have ever provided care for an elderly disabled loved one you know that it isnt an easy job. My Dad, Carl Ford and Lois Ford, my other mother (She is deserving of a higher title than stepmom) Cared for my grandpa Carson in their home after his disabling stroke two years ago. Just as they did for my Grandma Helen in her last years. I know they both loved Jesus and will both be in heaven where there is no blame and there is no fault nor bitterness but peace, love and Joy everlasting.

You already read the last chapter, this is a peek at the first.  
Clinton E. Ford

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Clinton Ford - April 28, 2013 at 09:24 PM

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*Thanks, son, for the beautiful memories that you have shared about our father and grandfather.*

**Carl Ford** - May 08, 2013 at 02:18 PM

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“ *to all of the family...I am so sorry for your loss. I have a lot of memories of Carson from being neighbors with him on Spavinaw. May your memories & God's love bring you peace, comfort & strength at this difficult time.*



**Lana Hagar Hurt** - April 27, 2013 at 12:05 AM

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*Thank you , for those kind words Lana Hagar Hurt they are very much appreciated. I am Clinton Ford. I have a lot of fond memories of grandpa Carson, grandma Helen, great grandpa Clarence and great grandma Gertie.*

**Clinton Ford** - April 28, 2013 at 08:13 PM

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*I, too, appreciate your kind words.  
Carl Ford*

**Carl Ford** - May 08, 2013 at 02:15 PM