



# Thomas Jacob Swigart Sr.

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**T**homas “Tom” Jacob Swigart Sr. of Mobeetie, went to be with The Lord on April 27, 2020.

Memorial services will be held at a later date.

Arrangements are by Robertson Funeral Directors Wheeler.

Tom was born on April 1, 1949 in Clinton, Illinois to Harry and Genevieve Swigart.

He was a veteran of the Vietnam War where he served in the US Army from 1969-1975. He belonged to Recon Platoon Co E 2nd Bn 1st Infantry 196th Infantry BDE while he served overseas. Throughout his time of service he earned many awards including: National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal with 3 Bronze stars, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, Combat Infantryman Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal.

He married Emma Taylor on May 22, 1976 and they remained until her passing in 2014. He had been a resident of Mobeetie since 1982.

Tom is preceded in death by his wife, Emma Swigart; his parents Harry and Genevieve Swigart; brother Jerry Swigart; sister Rose Kennedy.

He is survived by his daughter Mary Swigart; son Jacob Swigart; daughter Lori Swigart; son Thomas Swigart Jr; son Jerry Swigart; daughter Judy Swigart; brother Eric Swigart and wife Zala; sister Cathy Swigart; brother Danny Swigart; and many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Tom loved the outdoors and it was his wish to have his and his wife’s ashes spread in Yellowstone National Park.



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The family wishes memorial contributions be made to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund or veterans charity of your choice.



# Tribute Wall

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**Bella Swigart** posted:

Although I never saw him much, I loved my papa a lot. He was a nice man and I always heard of his achievements through stories my dad told us.

September 11 at 6:59 AM



**Ken Cady** posted:

Such a nice guy. I knew Tom as his investment advisor back in the early 2000's. Sorry to hear him passing. Ken Cady

September 22 at 7:25 AM



**Linda Frank** lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

He will missed my neighbor. FRANK AND I ENJOYED VISITING WITH HIM FLY HIGH TOM

April 30 at 2:08 PM



**Marisa Martinez** lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

It was an honor and a privilege to help care for Mr Swigart, my thoughts and prayers are with Mary and Family, may God grant you peace in knowing he is not hurting anymore, and and now walks with the Lord, RIP Mr Swigart Marisa E Martinez LVN Texas Home Health Hospice Accolade Hospice

April 30 at 3:59 AM



**Mary Swigart** April 30 at 11:19 AM

Thank you for all the help and support! He enjoyed your visits!



**Marisa Martinez** lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

April 30 at 3:48 AM





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BS

**Brenda Sparlin** posted:

Mary I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I know you loved your Dad and will really miss him. Prayers of comfort and strength  
Brenda Sparlin

April 29 at 9:53 PM

MS

**Mary Swigart** April 30 at 11:21 AM

Thank you Miss Brenda!!❤️

KB

**Kay Batton** posted:

Mary Lou and Jake, I am so sorry for your loss. Your dad was a kind man and I always enjoyed visiting with him. You both will be in my prayers. Love you both.

April 29 at 1:57 PM

MS

**Mary Swigart** April 30 at 11:23 AM

Thank you Mrs. Barton! We love you too!

JK

**Jeff Kelley** posted:

Will always remember the times I worked together with Tom.

April 29 at 4:28 AM

MS

**Mary Swigart** April 30 at 11:24 AM

He enjoyed working with you as well!!

JW

**Joyce Walker** posted:

My prayers are with you Mary and all your family. I remember your dad from Illinois and he was always family first. He will be missed!❤️

April 29 at 4:27 AM

MS

**Mary Swigart** April 30 at 11:26 AM

Thank you! He sure enjoyed you as well!



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Thomas by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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