

Obituary

Joseph Curtis "Troy" Combrink, 44, resident of Tonkawa passed away surrounded by family and friends at Integris Southwest Medical Center in Oklahoma City on Monday, May 11, 2009. Joseph was born to Joe and Virginia (Street) Combrink at Pawnee, Oklahoma on April 13, 1965. Joseph truly believed that God is the creator of heaven and earth and that he forgives all sins.

Joseph attended school in Billings and Tonkawa; he was a resident of Fort Oakland and employed with the Tonkawa Tribe.

Joseph is an enrolled member of the Tonkawa Tribe and descendent of Chief Big Elk of the Ponca Tribe. He is a member of Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Tonkawa.

Joseph was a loving son, father, brother, grandfather, uncle and friend. He enjoyed being with family and friends and he enjoyed watching football. He was an avid fan of the Miami Dolphins and he enjoyed listening to Elvis Presley.

He is survived by his long time companion Cindi Warrior; his daughter, Briana Combrink; his grandson, Bryson Presley Williams; his parents, Virginia and Rod Swanson of Ponca City; one sister, Josette Mimbela and her husband, Ruben; his Uncle Willie Street, Sr.; and numerous other family members and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Joe C. Combrink; a brother, Christopher Monty Combrink; a nephew, Travis Combrink; grandparents Bill and Jewel Combrink and grandparents, Naomi (Allen) and Jesse Street; his Uncle Anthony A. Street; and his Aunt Linda Propper.

A rosary will be at 6:30 p.m. May 13, 2009 with prayer service at 8:00 p.m. in the Tonkawa Tribal Gym with funeral services Thursday, May 14, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. in the Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Tonkawa with Father Obwana Martin officiating. Interment will be in the Tonkawa Tribal Cemetery. A traditional Indian feast will be at noon.

Pallbearers will be Anthony E. Street, Eddie Street, Michael Belt, Gabriel Propper, T.J. Martin, Chris Mills. Honorary pallbearers are Larry Berman and Sammy Joe Allen.

Memorials may be made to the charity of choice in the care of Tonkawa Funeral Home, 400 E. Grand Ave., Tonkawa, Oklahoma 74653.

Condolences may be sent to the family using our online guest book at www.tonkawafh.com

In Loving Memory Of



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April 13, 1965 ~ May 11, 2009

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Funeral Service

*10:00 a.m. Thursday
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Saint Joseph Catholic Church
Tonkawa, Oklahoma*

Officiating

Father Obwana Martin

Pallbearers

<i>Anthony E. Street</i>	<i>Eddie Street</i>
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Honorary Pallbearers

Larry Berman Sammy Joe Allen

Interment

*Tonkawa Tribal Cemetery
Tonkawa, Oklahoma*

Directed By

*Tonkawa Funeral Home
Tonkawa, Oklahoma*

God Saw You

*God saw you were getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you
And whispered, “Come to Me.”*

*With tearful eyes we watched you
And saw you pass away,
And though we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating,
Hard working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*