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Kevin L. 4-24-2017 Brouwer, 64

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Kevin Laine Brouwer, 64, passed away on February 6, 2017 at the Sulphur Veterans Center in Sulphur, Oklahoma following a lengthy illness. A committal service will be held at Lone Prairie Cemetery, Kansas, OK.

Kevin was born January 24, 1953 in Grinnell, Iowa, the second child of Gary and Nadine (Johnson) Brouwer. As a youth, he attended school in Malcom and Montezuma, IA. He was a 1971 graduate of Montezuma Community High School and served on active duty in the U.S. Army from 1971 to 1975. While stationed in Ft. Huachuca, Arizona, Kevin developed a life-

long interest in Native American culture and history. As a young adult, he explored the southwestern states before settling in Oklahoma. In 1981 he was married to Carol Blackfox. To this union a son was born, Kevin L. Brouwer Jr.

Kevin is survived by his son, Kevin Jr. and stepson Jason D. Blackfox, both of Rogers, Arkansas. Also surviving are his parents Gary Brouwer and Nadine Brouwer, both of Grinnell; brothers Andrew and Douglas, both of Palm Springs, CA and Kelly (Norma) of Waco, TX; sisters Kimberly (Rex) Bushong of Brooklyn, IA and Tina Hartman of Bondurant, IA.