

*John David Aldridge was born on September 26, 1941, and left this world on June 20, 2026.*

*Born in Kansas to mother Valentine Pearl Bolton and John Henry Aldridge. Then moved to Oklahoma with his mother and J.C. Rose at the age of 5 for the remainder of his life.*

*He graduated from Bethel High School and went straight into the Marines. Upon return from the military, he lived in the Tecumseh and Shawnee areas. He had a great love for working with horses and was good with woodworking; he was employed as a truck driver to the age of 73.*

*John David is survived by his children, Kimmie Dawn Aldridge Taylor and Patrick Aldridge; grandchildren, Linda, Amanda, Savanah and Patrick; great-grandchildren, Bella, Pearl, Rose, Kayden, Ava, Leo and Nathan; sisters, Annita Childers and Maryella Cash; as well as other family members and friends. He is preceded in death by John Henry Aldridge, J.C. and Pearl Rose, half siblings Kenneth and Sandy Aldridge, and Joyce Carolyn Rose.*



*In Loving Memory Of*



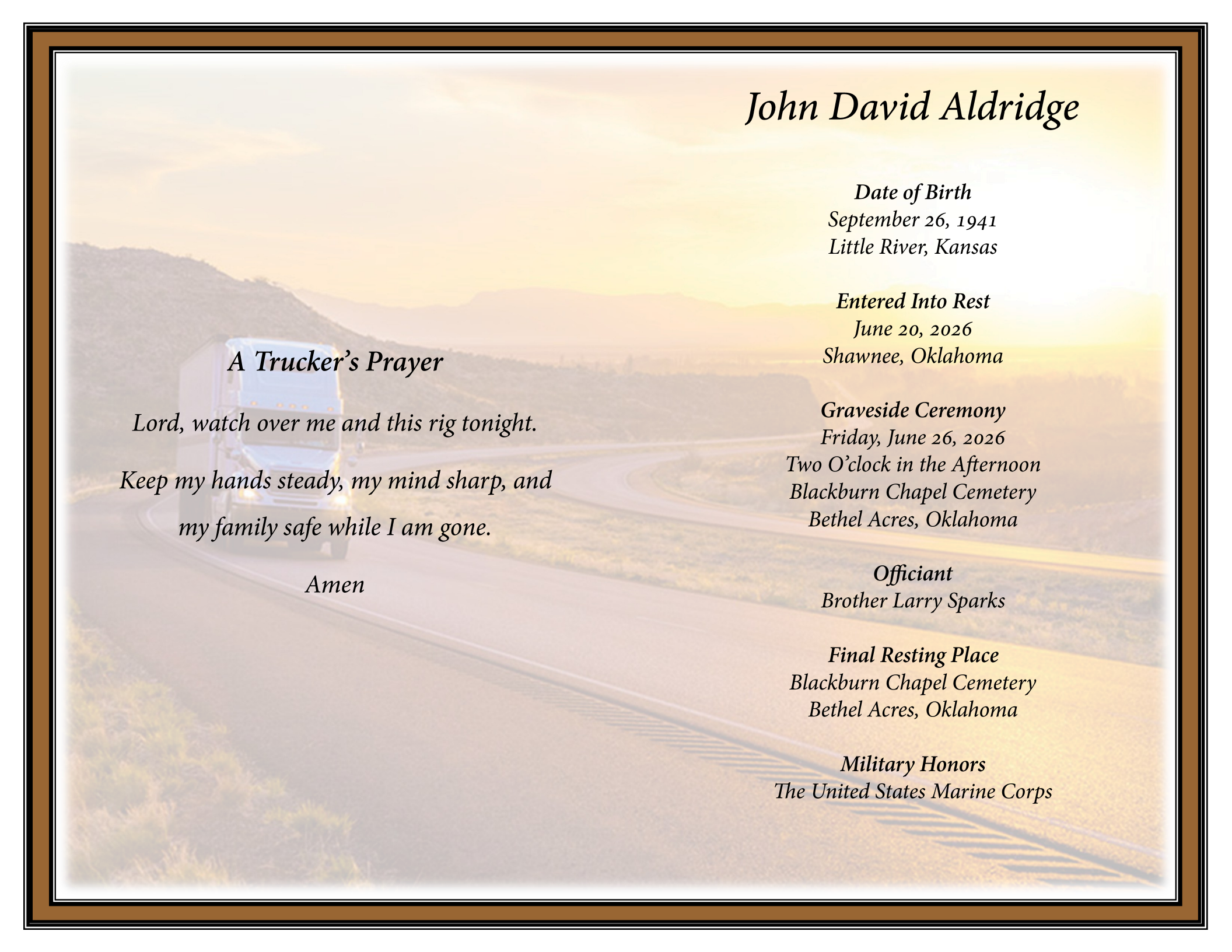
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*September 26, 1941*



*June 20, 2026*



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## *Date of Birth*

*September 26, 1941*

*Little River, Kansas*

## *Entered Into Rest*

*June 20, 2026*

*Shawnee, Oklahoma*

## *Graveside Ceremony*

*Friday, June 26, 2026*

*Two O'clock in the Afternoon*

*Blackburn Chapel Cemetery*

*Bethel Acres, Oklahoma*

## *Officiant*

*Brother Larry Sparks*

## *Final Resting Place*

*Blackburn Chapel Cemetery*

*Bethel Acres, Oklahoma*

## *Military Honors*

*The United States Marine Corps*

## *A Trucker's Prayer*

*Lord, watch over me and this rig tonight.*

*Keep my hands steady, my mind sharp, and  
my family safe while I am gone.*

*Amen*