



John Leon Fress

August 10, 1953 - June 21, 2026

John Leon Fress, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, passed away June 21, 2026, at the age of 72.

John was born August 10, 1953, to Leon George and Koula Fress and was a long-time resident of Bartlesville.

John graduated College High School in Bartlesville before attending University of Tulsa and graduating with a Bachelor's degree.

He enjoyed a career as a Certified Public Accountant and worked at Weststar Bank as well as Arvest Bank conducting Internal Audits, Shared Services and acting as a Trust Tax Officer.

John was passionate about the SPCA, where he served as Treasurer for the Board of Directors.

He was a regular attendee of the Bartlesville Symphony with his mother and was a fan of Classical Music. John was expert at all things Hollywood history and had a Groucho Marx impression second to none.

John was preceded in death by his mother.

In lieu of flowers, kindly make memorial contributions to an animal charity of

your choice.

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“ So sorry to hear of John’s passing. He was a good man and a very good accountant. I was on the board of the spca and on multiple occasions he saved the organization through his financial, business and insurance knowledge. I will miss John.

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