Russell Glenn, "Skip", son of Stanley W. (1911-1990) and Mary Elizabeth (Brainerd) (1911-2004) Glenn, was born in 1946. He was an Okemos Elementary School pupil and part of the future OHS Class of 1965. Russell was a Boy Scout and also played piano. His family lived on Ottawa Drive, Okemos.

Russell was killed in a US-16 car crash 12 August 1958. According to his Lansing State Journal obituary, Russell was interred Mt. Hope Cemetery, Lansing, Ingham County. Russell's parents were interred Lone Oak Cemetery, Leesburg, Lake County, Florida. Engraved on their large headstone is Russell's name, birth and death year.



Collision Kills Boy, 11

LANSING — An 11-year-old boy was killed Tuesday when a truck struck his father's car on US-16 near Okemos.

Russell Glenn was dead on arrival at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing. His father, Stanley, 47, is in the same hospital in fair condition with face and body cuts.

According to the State Police, Glenn was driving east when he turned into the path of a west-bound truck driven by Elmo Charlton, 48, of 5308 Newberry, Wayne.

Charlton was not injured.

Lansing State Journal (Lansing, Michigan) 13 August 1958

BOY KILLED IN CRASH ON US-16

Russell Glenn, 11, 4585 Ottawa dr., Okemos, was killed and his father, Stanley, 47, was injured Tuesday when their car was struck by a double-trailer truck on highway US-16 about five miles east of Lansing.

Stanley Glenn was westbound and was turning left onto Okemos road when his 1956 Chevrolet was hit broadside by the eastbound truck. Elmo M. Charlton, 48, of Wayne, driving the truck for Brada Cartage, Detroit, was uninjured.

to OkemosAlumniAssociation



From: Richard Kimmel

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For Year: 1965

Russell Glenn is listed In Memoriam on your website. I ran across the posting a few days ago searching for his obituary. Russell, or Skip, was my cousin. Although my family lived near Dayton, Ohio, Skip and I were quite close, even attending camp together at Camp Stonycroft (I think). Today I am

writing simply wondering who posted his memorial. I remember meeting only one of his friends who lived a few doors down on Ottawa Drive. Thank You. Richard Kimmel, Wilmington NC, randmkimmel@gmail.com

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Rod Ellis <okemosalumniassociation@gmail.com> Wed, Dec 4, 2019, 4:42 PM Re to Richard

Hi Richard, thank you for updating us on the Glenn family. Well, a lot of Okemos connection people are reading the website and this morning (I have breakfast on Wed. with some guys from Okemos), Dave Premoe (class of 1965) asked me about Russell. He said he remembers it well, he was an "honorary pallbarer" for Russell's funeral! He wasn't sure if they were in the same cub scout troop, but all the cub scouts in the area attended. Very shocking experience at that age, I can certainly understand that the family was devastated.

I thought I would list you as a "guest" on the website <u>okemosalumni.org</u>. If you sign in, you can make and view messages or memories on Russell's memory page...would you like me to do that?

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Rod Ellis '65