# Loretta Kay Cole



65, a resident of Stilwell, Oklahoma, passed away July 21, 2007 in Stilwell, Oklahoma. She was born September 2, 1941 at Hackett, Arkansas, the daughter of Paul and Estie Smedley Hodges.

Loretta was a member of the Sanders Baptist Church of Christy, Oklahoma. She was a homemaker and her family was her greatest love. Much of her time was spent raising her children, visiting relatives and friends. She loved all kinds of animals and had many of them over a lifetime. Her hobby was raising flowers and plants. When the grandchildren came along, she was surrounded by the great love of her life, little children. Before she had her own, she always had little ones

around her, caring for her nephews, nieces, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Carl Hodges, and Ralph Hodges; three grandsons, Robert Wayne Cole, Aaron Mitchell Cole, and Austin Lee Roy Cole.

Survivors include her husband of forty-nine years, Lee Roy Cole of the home; three sons, Dennis Cole and wife Karen of Summers, Arkansas, Robert Cole of Westville, Oklahoma, and Bert Cole of West Siloam Springs, Oklahoma; one daughter, Barbara Stidham and husband Johnny of Stilwell, Oklahoma; one sister, Barbara Gray of Canehill, Arkansas; eight grandchildren Kevin Cole, Chris Cole, Michael Cole, Tristin Stanley, Dustin Stanley, Staci Ford, Amanda Cole, and Megin Stanley; two great grandchildren, Lauren Cole and Lucas Ford.



# APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Cole family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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Loretta Kay Cole September 2, 1941 - July 21, 2007

# "I'm Free"

Don't grieve for me, for now I"m free, I'm following the path God laid for me. I took his hand when I heard Him call, I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Task left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void, Fill it now with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full, I've savored much, Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief, Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your heart and share with me, God wanted me now, He set me free.



## **CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF**

Loretta Kay Cole

### DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

W ednesday, July 25, 2007 - 2:00 P.M. Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Obituary

Glen Faulkner

Pastor - New Sulphur Free Will Baptist Church

Prayer

"My Sweet Lord"

Words of Comfort

**Closing Prayer** 

"Tears In Heaven"

#### Family Memories Video

"Remember When"
"When I Get Where I'm Going"

Postlude Music

### GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL FOLLOW AT THE BEATY CEMETERY

## FINAL RESTING PLACE

Beaty Cemetery - Lincoln, Arkansas

#### **PALLBEARERS**

Kevin Cole - Chris Cole - Michael Cole - Tristin Stanley Dustin Stanley - Bill Dobbs - Brian Dobbs - Barry Dobbs

