#### Wanda Mae White Loman

98, of Fayetteville, Arkansas, was welcomed into her forever home in Heaven on October 27, 2025, and is now fully renewed in the presence of her Lord God, and Saviour, Jesus Christ. She was born on August 18, 1927, in Wilburton, Oklahoma, to Beulah Ethel McCoin and Claude Jackson White.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, of 73 years, Lucian L. Loman; and each of her siblings: Robert, Warren, and Thelma Lankford; and Floyd, Claud, and Glen White, all of her in-laws, and several nieces and nephews. Thus, Wanda became the "beloved Aunt Wanda" to all the children of her siblings. She could tell each of them stories about their parents, and they loved phoning her, and asking her to please talk about their parent. Their calls and visits gave her such joy, and provided them a connection to their past. She became, and remained, the hub of her extended family of many, and no one could have done a better job staying connected and available, than my mother, Wanda.

She graduated from high school in Shawnee, Oklahoma, in 1945, and began employment at the Shawnee Milling Company, in the Administration Dept. There She was a member of a special group of nine young women known as "Good Will Builders". One year later, following his return from World War 2, she married her Merchant Marine sweetheart, Lucian Loman, on April 26, 1946, at her mother's home in Shawnee.

In 1947, Wanda and Lucian moved to Malvern, Arkansas, where their daughter, Donna, was born the following year. Only two weeks later, they moved to Fayetteville, Arkansas, where their son, Gerald, was later born in 1951. Wanda worked there as a bookkeeper at Collier's Drugstore for many years, and in 1964, the family moved to Prairie Grove. Wanda began her 22 year career at Farmers and Merchants Bank there, and eventually promoted to loan officer, and bank officer—a testament to her integrity, dependability, aptitude for learning, impeccable professional courtesy with each customer, and her diligent work ethic.

Wanda was an avid bowler, and in 1960, began bowling with girlfriends, Marjorie Niblock, Joan Johnston, Elma Carter, and Mary Conrad, and soon they began traveling in pursuit of State and National Championships. They drove, and flew all over America, including South Carolina, Indianapolis, Las Vegas, Atlanta, Tulsa, Memphis, Tampa, Kansas City, Houston, and many other fun destinations throughout the decades -seeking the National Women's Bowling Championship titles, always bringing home a trophy, and bowled their hearts out with much laughter, and so many antics, and "on the

road again" stories. They won several State Championships and even won a National Championship. She LOVED bowling with these special friends in league or "on the road again!" Her favorite in-home social activity was playing the card game PITCH, in marathon 2-3 day sessions with Lucian, his sister, and his brother-in-law.

Saturdays for Wanda were always devoted to watching all of her favorite sports teams; she could always be found in the TV room cheering on the Oklahoma Sooners, OSU Cowboys, the St. Louis Cardinals, Kansas City Chiefs, and in ANY sport the Arkansas Razorbacks were involved.

Her Razorback fandom began with Coach Frank Broyles' arrival in Fayetteville, and her pride grew when her son-in-law. Jim Mullins, later played football under Coach Broyles, SWC Championship team, and Sugar Bowl Champs also! She and Lucian enjoyed The Lady Razorbacks also, and were season ticket holders. Still. her daughter, Donna, always joked that Wanda's true obsession was Oklahoma Sooners sports - as no one could utter a disparaging remark about their playing Performance or errors on the field - she quickly rose to their defense with a barrage of excuses why they were not playing their best. This provided her family with much entertainment through the years. Bless her, she remained an "Okie" until her death. (She was still discussing the games with her grandson the day she passed)

Wanda is survived by her daughter, Donna Mullins (Jim) of Fayetteville, Arkansas; son Gerald Loman (Marie) of Lincoln, Alabama; grandchildren Robyn Mullins Taylor (Rod) of Fayetteville; Michelle Mullins Peevy (Sean Strickler) of Montgomery, Alabama; and John David Mullins (Becka) of Fayetteville; and great-grandchildren Blake Taylor (Megan), Sarah Taylor, (Cameron Holston) Brandon Taylor (Katie), Kaylee Peevy, Kaitlyn Mullins, John Werner Mullins, and James Porter Mullins, and great-great grandchildren, Myles Taylor Holston, and Hayden Grace Taylor.

### APPRECIATION

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

Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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# Celebrating THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF



## Wanda Loman

August 18, 1927 - October 27, 2025

Let not your heart be troubled;
you believe in God, believe also in Me.
In My Father's house are many mansions; if it
were not so, I would have told you.
I go to prepare a place for you.
And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will
come again and receive you to Myself; that
where I am, there you may be also.
John 14:1-3

Let your light so shing before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:16



"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Pay, and not to me only but also to all who have loved this appearing."

Il Timothy 4:7-8 NKIV



"For we know that when this earthly tent we live in is taken down (that is, when we dig and leave this earthly body), we will have a house in heaven, an eternal body made for us by God himself and not by human hands. We grow weary in our present bodies, and we long to put on our heavenly bodies like new clothing. For we will put on heavenly bodies; we will not be spirits without bodies. While we live in these earthly bodies, we groan and sigh, but it's not that we want to die and get rid of these bodies that clothe us. Rather, we want to put on our new bodies so that these duing bodies will be swallowed up by life. God himself has prepared us for this, and as a guarantee he has given us his Holy Spirit. So we are always confident, even though we know that as long as we live in these bodies we are not at home with the Lord. For we live by believing and not by seeing. Yes, we are fully confident, and we would rather be away from these earthly bodies, for then we will be at home with the Lord. So whether we are here in this body or away from this body, our goal is to please Him. Fore we must all stand before Christ to be

> judged. 2 Corinthians 5:1-10a NLT

## CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF Wanda Loman

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE Monday, November 3, 2025 - 2:00 P.M. First Baptist Church - Fayetteville, Arkansas

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Gathering Music Molly Reddick, Pianist

"I Shall See You Soon Again" by Evie Karlsson

"I'd Rather Have Jesus"
Singing Men of
Arkansas Quartet
Bill Burrows, Kevin Pope, Mike Bedford, Tod Dalby

**Hymn** Medley Congregation led by Quartet

**Obituary and Prayer** 

Scripture Reading/Message Douglas Falknor

"It Is Well With My Soul" Quartet

Parting Music Molly Reddick

THEIR WILL NOT BE A PRECESSION TO THE CEMETERY. IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND THE SERVICES, IT WILL BEGIN ABOUT ONE HOUR, FOLLOWING THE SERVICES AT THE CHURCH.

FINAL RESTING PLACE Prairie Grove Cemetery

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Bruce Johanson - Rick Tanneberger - Mike Graen Marion Williams - Bill Lee - Paul Batson - Kent Martin -John Dyer - Mike Bradley - Jim Benton

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"Precious in the sight of the Lord Is the death of this saints."

Psalms 116:15 NKIV

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"And I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Write this down: Blessed are those who die in the Lord from now on. Yes, says the Spirit, they are blessed indeed, for they will rest from their hard work; for their good deeds follow them!"

Revelation 14:13 NLT



