

## MOTHER'S LOVE

God surely knew the world would need

A gentle loving touch,

When He created mother love

That warms our hearts so much.

He must have known that children

Would need a guiding hand,

Someone who'd always be there

To care and understand.

God must have known our

hearts would need

A special kind of cheer

When He endowed a mother's face

With smiles that would endure.

Of all the gifts that God does send

From His heavenly realm above,

There is none that is more precious

Than that of mother's love.

# *Celebrating*

## *THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF*



*Mary Jane Maloney*

**July 16, 1927 - February 8, 2024**

### 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.

**Luginbuel Funeral Home**

**Prairie Grove, Arkansas**

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**CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF**

Mary Jane Maloney

**DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE**

Thursday, February 15, 2024 - 11:00 A.M.

Luginbuel Chapel  
Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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**ORDER OF SERVICE**

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Prelude Family Memories Video

“At Calvary”

Opening Remarks Charlie Brown

Obituary Audrey Pruitt

“When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder”

Words of Comfort Charlie Brown

Closing Prayer

“I’ll Fly Away”

Postlude Music “When The Saint’s Go Marching In”

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GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD THE FAMILY WILL  
REMAIN AFTER THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.

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**FINAL RESTING PLACE**

Summers Cemetery  
Summers, Arkansas

**MEMORIALS**

Owasso Children’s Home  
Attn: Holly  
12700 E 76<sup>th</sup> St.  
Owasso, Oklahoma 74055

Mary Jane (Jones) Maloney was born on July 16, 1927 in Holdenville, OK. She was the daughter of James Oather Jones and Ruby Maude (Wells) Jones. She made her heavenly home going on Thursday, February 8, 2024.

Jane married Carl William Maloney on September 22, 1950 in Prairie Grove, Arkansas. They raised 5 children at Cane Hill and Dutch Mills, Arkansas. She was a 4-H leader for many years while her children were growing up.

Carl and Jane owned Maloney Feed and Supply for several years in Lincoln. Jane took a Wilton cake decorating class and fell in love with decorating cakes. That started her career as a cake decorator. She pursued more classes from Wilton and achieved Master Cake Decorator which led Jane to open La Petite Bakery in Lincoln. She trained more people on the Wilton method than anyone else in the state of Arkansas and was inducted into the Wilton Cake Decorating Hall of Fame.

Jane was passionate about helping others and volunteered with the local Emergency Medical Service for many years. After Carl's death in 1993, she volunteered with hospice in Fayetteville, at age 66 in her words, “taking care of old people.” She was also a volunteer at Washington Regional Hospital for many years.

She loved making things for other people. One of her projects was making schnoodles

for preemies in the NICU and activity boards for stroke patients. While at Bartlesville Assisted Living she made sure that each resident got a pillow or lap quilt for their birthday. She made bags for old bags to hold plastic shopping bags for the staff and a variety of other things. She also made many quilts and pillows for the Owasso children's home. During COVID, Jane organized the residents at BAL in making over 1,000 masks.

As a breast cancer survivor, Jane was active in a local group called The Pink Divas. The group raised money to support local women fighting breast cancer by providing food and transportation during treatment. She was also a supporter of the Susan G. Komen Foundation raising money and promoting breast cancer prevention and awareness.

Jane is survived by three children and their spouses, Sharon and Merle Bacon of Bartlesville, OK.; Walter and Joyce Maloney of Fayetteville, AR.; and Marie and Michael England of Bossier City, LA. Grandchildren: Patty, Sandy, Audrey, Amy, Alicia, Michael M., Bryan, Alandra, Stacey, Michael E. and Anna, as well as 21 great grandchildren and 6 great great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, Carl, son David, grandson William, daughter Aquilla and grandson Gary.