# Margaret Elizabeth Oliver

57, a resident of Prairie Grove, Arkansas went home to be with her Lord September 28, 2009 at her home in Prairie Grove, Arkansas. She was born March 25, 1952 in Fayetteville, Arkansas, the daughter of Walter Guy and Alta Lee Cannon Oliver.

Margaret was an active member of the Prairie Grove Church of God where she was song leader. She loved sewing and crocheting and working in her church and played on a bowling team for the disabled. She was a paper carrier for the Northwest Arkansas Gazette.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Rev. Walter Guy and Alta Oliver, her little sister, Bobbie Jean and one brother in law, Paul Richard Dickerson.

Survivors include one sister, Pat Dickerson of Prairie Grove, Arkansas; three nephews, Walter H. Dickerson and his wife, Misty, of Lincoln, Arkansas, Richard L. Dickerson and his wife, Loretta, of Prairie Grove, Arkansas and TSgt Thomas Dickerson and his wife, Erin, of Colorado Springs, Colorado; seven great nieces and nepews, Emma Paige Ryan, Dakota Wayne Dickerson, Madison Dann Raines, Gabriella Denise Raines, Tyler Tucker Dickerson, Paul Dawson Dickerson and Molly Katherine Dickerson; and a host of cousins and good friends.

#### APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Oliver 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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March 25, 1952 - September 28, 2009

## FOOT PRINTS IN THE SAND

ONE NIGHT I HAD A DREAM ...

I DREAMED I WAS WALKING ALONG THE BEACH WITH THE LORD AND ACROSS THE SKY FLASHED SCENES FROM MY LIFE.

FOR EACH SCENE I NOTICED TWO SETS OF FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND, ONE BELONGED TO ME AND THE OTHER TO THE LORD.

WHEN THE LAST SCENE OF MY LIFE FLASHED BEFORE US, I LOOKED BACK AT THE FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND. I NOTICED. THAT MANY TIMES ALONG THE PATH OF MY LIFE, THERE WAS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS. I ALSO NOTICED THAT IT HAPPENED AT THE VERY LOWEST AND SADDEST TIMES IN MY LIFE. THIS REALLY BOTHERED ME AND I QUESTIONED THE LORD ABOUT IT. "LORD, YOU SAID THAT ONCE I DECIDED TO FOLLOW YOU, YOU WOULD WALK WITH ME ALL THE WAY, BUT I HAVE NOTICED THAT DURING THE MOST TROUBLESOME TIMES IN MY LIFE THERE IS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS. I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY IN TIMES WHEN I NEEDED YOU MOST YOU SHOULD LEAVE ME." THE LORD REPLIED, "MY PRECIOUS, PRECIOUS CHILD, I LOVE YOU AND I WOULD NEVER, NEVER LEAVE YOU DURING YOUR TIMES OF TRIAL AND SUFFERING. WHEN YOU SAW ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, IT WAS THEN THAT I CARRIED YOU."

#### CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORIAL

Margaret Oliver

### DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

October 1, 2009 - 10:00 A.M. Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music

Bishhop Kevin Stewart

"He Touched Me"

The Gaither's

Family Memories Video Softly & Tenderly Sissy's Song

Postlude Music

## GRAVE SIDE SERVICE WILL FOLLOW AT THE BETHESDA CEMETERY

## FINAL RESTING PLACE

Bethesda Cemetery Morrow, Arkansas

#### **PALLBEARERS**

Walter Dickerson - Richard Dickerson, TSgt Thomas Dickerson Justin Davenport - Ronnie Sampley - Tommy Tucker