

Violet Celeste Phillips, 78, a resident of Fayetteville, Arkansas, passed away Sunday, December 28, 2025 in Fayetteville, Arkansas. She was born March 20, 1947 in Winslow, Arkansas, the daughter of William Oliver and Ethel Florence (Roz) McKenzie.

She will be remembered for her love of cooking, her talent for knitting, and her joy in discovering treasures at yard sales and auctions. She found happiness in simple pleasures and took pride in sharing her skills and time with others. Her warmth, generosity, and creative spirit touched the lives of all who knew her and will be fondly remembered.

She is preceded in death by her husband William "Leon" Phillips.

She is survived by two sons, Roy Phillips (Lorrie) and Clinton Phillips (Dianna); one sister; Ellen Phillips; two sister-in-laws Sue Vickery and Debbie Hudson; two brother-in-laws Dwight Phillips and Gary Phillips; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

#### 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

online guest book, visit [www.luginbuel.com](http://www.luginbuel.com)

## *Celebrating*

### *THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF*



*Violet Celeste Phillips*

*March 20<sup>th</sup>, 1947 - December 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025*



## TWENTY THIRD PSALM

The LORD is my Shepherd;  
I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in  
green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside  
the still waters.

He restoreth my soul:  
He leadeth me in the paths  
of righteousness for  
His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the  
valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil:  
for Thou art with me:  
Thy rod and Thy staff  
they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table  
before me in the presence  
of mine enemies:  
Thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and  
mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life:  
and I will dwell in the house  
of the LORD forever.

## CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF Violet Celeste Phillips

**DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE**  
Wednesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025 at 2:00 P.M.  
Luginbuel Chapel  
Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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### ORDER OF SERVICE

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<b>Prelude</b>	<b>Family Memories</b>
<b>Obituary/Prayer</b>	<b>Gary Pridmore</b>
<b>"Supper Time"</b>	
<b>Words of Comfort</b>	<b>Gary Pridmore</b>
<b>"Yesterday"</b>	
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	<b>Gary Pridmore</b>
<b>"I'll Fly Away"</b>	
<b>Postlude</b>	<b>Family Memories</b>

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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**  
Howell Cemetery - Hogeye, Arkansas



## 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 endear.

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.