

Donna Jean Braden Woods

Donna was born on August 18, 1931 in Green City, Missouri to Gordon Bradley Braden and Irene Ledford Braden. She lived in Green City until about 1941 when she moved to Oklahoma City. She graduated from Classen High School in Oklahoma City, OK before attending college at Christian College in Columbia, MO for two years and then graduating from OSU in Stillwater, OK with a BS in Political Science. She met her future husband at OSU on a blind date. They married on July 3, 1953 after they both graduated from OSU. While Vol was stationed at Fort Hood their first child, Debra, was born. Eventually they moved back to Vol's home town of Westville, OK and their second child, Vol David, was born.

Donna volunteered with committees to start the local library and the medical center. She and her husband owned Woods Grocery and Processing for a short time. Donna retired from the Adair County Clerk's office after almost 20 years. She enjoyed knitting, reading, playing bridge, and playing with grandchildren in her free time. She was an intelligent, unassuming, and generous person.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, Dean Braden and Vol Calvin, her husband of 59 years. Left to mourn her passing are her children Debra (David) Brown of Westville and Vol David (Tami) Woods of Tahlequah. Grandchildren Travis Brown and Trenton Brown of Westville. Tori (Dustin) Welker of Keys. Lexi (Ben) Catterlin of Fayetteville and Vol Cotton Woods of Tahlequah. Great-grandchildren Adali, Emeri, and Colt Welker. Giovanni and Benjamin Catterlin.



Celebrating *THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF*



Donna Jean *Woods*

August 18, 1931 - November 10, 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 Donna Jean Woods

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE
Wednesday, November 13, 2024 - 2:00 P.M.
Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music

“Far Side Banks Of Jordan” Woods Family

Obituary David Brown

“Angels In The Room” Woods Family

Words of Comfort Vol Woods

Closing Prayer

Postlude Music

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

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Westville City Cemetery
Westville, Oklahoma



I AM NOT THERE

Do not stand at my grave and weep,
I am not here, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle autumn's rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush.
Of quiet birds in circled flight,
I am the soft star that shines at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.

