



Joyce E. Long

July 6, 1930 - September 21, 2011

Joyce Elaine, daughter of Elizabeth (Duble) and Floyd E. Gibson was born on July 6, 1930 in Ashland, Kansas.

She attended the Ashland Grade School, then the Alva and Woodward High Schools and graduated from Dacoma High School.

Joyce was married to Dale W. Long in Woodward, Oklahoma on June 23, 1956.. Dale passed away on March 9, 1999.

Following their marriage they made their home in Dacoma.

She was a member of the Dacoma United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Long was preceded in death by her parents, step-father, Glen Burling and a step-brother, Wayne Burling.

Joyce is survived by her two sons and their wives; Larry and Penelope of Bloomington, Illinois and Gary and Tina of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Five grandchildren and their spouses; Braden and Kimberly Long, Allison Long, Dena and Kelly Donnell, Shani and Todd Lannert and Geoffrey Long. Four great grandchildren; Chloe Long, BreAnn Long, Hudson Donnell and Parker Evans. A sister Janice Stipp, a step brother Clif Burling, and two sisters-in-law; Fern Burling and Ruth Arlene Farris. Best friend and caretaker, Jim Kolesar, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall

AK

“ Wow,
I just stumbled upon Joyce's obituary. She was one of the greatest ladies I knew. Always warm and kind. She was a good friend to me and my family. So sorry to see her go. Love you forever Joyce

Amanda Kakel - September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *Joyce and Dale we both wonderful people and friends. Jimmy enjoyed his last visit with Joyce and they talked about old times. Joyce will be dearly missed.*

Ret. Trooper Jimmy & Julie Davison Helm - September 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *I am sorry to hear of your mom's passing. She was such a special lady. She always had a smile and a big hello no matter where she saw you. I always looked forward to seeing her in Dr. Hinkles office whenever I was there. She is certainly going to be missed.*

Carolyn Nusser Baird - September 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *To the Family,
Thank you for sharing your mom with us. We truly loved our time with her and you as a wonderful family.
Blessings to each of you.
Jane Gaskill, Shares*

Jjane Gaskill - September 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ We are very sad to hear about Joyce's passing. She was a sweet lady and I know you all will miss her greatly. Please know we are praying for you.

Gina & Dan Menendez & Family - September 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Jim, Gary, Larry & other family members. I've known Joyce many years and have considered her a good friend. She surely will be missed by so many of us. I'm very glad her suffering is over.

Jewel Elaine LeDou - September 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM