



Mary Luanne Boham

January 9, 1950 - January 24, 2016

Mary Luanne Boham, oldest daughter of the late Billy and Evah Beard of Amorita, OK, was born on January 9, 1950 in Alva, OK, and passed away on January 24, 2016, in Wichita, KS at the age of 66 years and 15 days.

Luanne grew up and attended grade school in Amorita, OK, graduating from Burlington High School. She attended and graduated from Northwestern Oklahoma State University in Alva, OK where she earned and received her teaching degree.

On June 2, 1972, Luanne married the love of her life, Loyd Glen Boham. She captured his heart while writing letters to him while he was in the service.

Their loving marriage was blessed with three children: Dayna Jo, Loyd Bart, and Travis Dale.

Luanne loved making a difference, therefore she taught elementary education for 22 years. She loved her school kids and they loved her as they selected her for the Teacher of the Year Reward in the 1996-1997 and the 2010-2011 school years. Luanne also shared her love of her Lord and Savior as she taught many years of Sunday School as well.

Luanne had many hobbies, but she truly loved to work in her flower garden and yard which brought her great pride. For years she planted a vegetable garden to

help feed her family. She always liked to be outside enjoying the sunlight, birds, butterflies and any other wildlife.

Even more precious to her were her own kids and grandkids. She gave the

very best hugs and always went out of her way to make everyone feel loved and special. She always had family gatherings for all to enjoy. The happiness and joy she brought to her family and friends will be missed beyond measure. Luanne was preceded in death by her parents and father-in-law, Harold Boham. Luanne is survived by her husband, Loyd Boham, her daughter, Dayna Pedersen & husband, Stan, of Amorita, OK, Bart Boham & wife Leah of Alva, OK and Travis Boham also of Alva, OK, Four precious grandchildren: Kyler Boham, Kinley Boham, Colton Pedersen and Blaze Pedersen; two loving sisters, Marsha Carothers & husband, Ken, and Ronda Eslinger & husband, Dan and one loving brother, William Beard & wife Patti, loving mother-in-law, Arlene Boham, loving sister-in-law, Carol Powers & husband Victor and loving brother-in-law, Rex Boham; other relatives & friends.

Memorial donations may be made to a Scholarship Fund to benefit Freedom High School Seniors.

Cemetery Details

Alva Municipal Cemetery

1698 Flynn Street
Alva Municipal Cemetery, OK 73717

Previous Events

Service

JAN 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

Alva First United Methodist
Alva, OK 73717

Tribute Wall



“ *Wharton Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Luanne Boham*



Wharton Funeral Chapel - January 28, 2016 at 09:27 AM

JS

“ *Loyd and family, We were very sorry to read of Luanne's passing. God be with you in these sad times*



Jim & Cleo Scribner - January 28, 2016 at 12:49 AM

CS

“ *Carolyn S. purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mary Luanne Boham.*



Carolyn S. - January 27, 2016 at 11:05 AM

LS

“ My heart goes out to Luanne's family and friends. Prayers that God will give you comfort. Luanne was such a sweet soul. I remember her sweet smile and all the fun we had playing games out on the farm when we were young. Love you cuz!!! Linda Stratton



Linda Stratton - January 26, 2016 at 04:52 PM

RE

“ I can hear her laughter when I see her picture. I will miss that so much.

Rebecca - January 26, 2016 at 04:04 PM

SL

“ Family of Luanne, we are so very sorry for your loss. You are on our mind and in our prayers. Steve and Sheila Lehr

Sheila Lehr - January 26, 2016 at 03:05 PM

KA

Praying for the family as you endure this hardship. May God bring peace and healing comfort.
Kaila Layne

kaila - January 26, 2016 at 03:22 PM

JR

Mrs. Boham was my 4th grade teacher. That was the year Travis joined our class at Freedom, and she made him call her "Mrs. Boham" just like the rest. She was an exemplary teacher who expected hard work from her students. She was creative and enthused bringing lots of fun to the classroom from paper mache dinosaurs to competing for Skittles with mad minute multiplication tables to making butter and applesauce from scratch to go along with her reading Laura Ingalls Wilder books aloud to the class. She left a legacy with her 4th graders, and Mrs. Boham is enjoying a special place in Heaven. Sorry I cannot attend her service. My heart will be with the Boham family.

Jordan Russell - January 27, 2016 at 10:02 AM

FL

Loyd...Fred and I just saw your beautiful wife's obit. Please know that you are in our prayers and thoughts. Fred and Janice Link

Fred and Janice Link - January 27, 2016 at 11:33 AM

BW

I taught with Luann at Freedom Schools and she made my time there very enjoyable, and she became a very good friend. When Gary passed away she would call me or come by just to see how I was. She was a very caring person and when she gave you a hug you knew you had been hugged! I will miss her and you are all in my thoughts and prayers!

Becky Bebermeyer Warfield

Becky Bebermeyer Warfield - January 27, 2016 at 01:34 PM

JJ

We lived by the Beard family during the time the kids were growing up. Everyone enjoyed listening to them play instruments and singing. Luann made my Mother's day when she would walk the 1/4 mile to visit with her. She always gave her a big hug before walking back home. Precious Memories!

Juanita Angle Johnson - January 28, 2016 at 09:31 AM

VW

Our thoughts and prayers are with Luann's family. She always had a sweet smile and was such a caring person. May her many loving memories help bring you comfort and peace. God bless your family.

Virgil and Lavon Wiersig - January 28, 2016 at 09:39 AM

RF

The smile in this picture is the Luanne I knew and loved. We will miss her greatly. Much love to her family. Still praying for all of you.

Roberta Farr - January 28, 2016 at 11:04 PM

CA

My thoughts & prayers for the family. I have been thinking of the memory of growing up together.

carolyn - January 29, 2016 at 03:35 PM