



Verleen Baker

June 14, 1955 - March 18, 2022

Verleen was born on June 14, 1955 in Hardtner, Kansas to Verl Dean Fox and Leveona Ruth Campbell. She passed away suddenly on March 18, 2022 at OU Medical Center in Oklahoma City at the age of 66 years.

After graduating from Alva High School she married Leonard Schwerdtfeger, and later attended Northwest Technology Center.

She worked for Salloups Packing Company, Alva Sale Barn, Farmer's Coop Feed Store, Wheeler Brothers Grain Company, and Baker Manufacturing.

Later she moved to Emporia, Kansas where she met and married Carl Baker. Upon his death she moved back to Alva.

Verleen was preceded in death by her grandparents Cleo and Ruth Campbell, her parents Verl and Leveona Fox, her husband Carl Baker, niece Karla Keahey Day, and aunt Wanita Wanger.

She is survived by her special friend, Norman Hager, Alva; one sister Ruby (Larry) Keahey, Wichita; two brothers, Rocky (Beth), Alva, and Stoney (Sayuri), Tyler, Tx; three nephews, Noland (Amanda) Keahey, Wichita; Stephen Fox, Alva; and Shawn Fox, Tyler, Tx; four nieces, Kristi (Michael) Nelson, Pratt, Ks; Ruth Anne Fox, Alva; Heather (Trent) Penner, Dacoma; and Sasha Fox, Tyler, Tx; uncles Rosco (Sherry) Campbell, Stillwater; and Harold Wanger, Alva; aunt Gladis Mayes, Alva; four great nieces, one great nephew, three great-great nieces; many cousins, and friends

Memorials may be made to:

Chisholm Trail Cowboy Church
11802 West Owen K.
Garriott Rd. Enid, OK 73703.

Previous Events

Graveside

JUN 11. 1:30 PM (CT)

Hardtner Cemetery
Hardtner Cemetery, KS 67057

Celebration of Life

JUN 11. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM.

Hardtner Bank
Hardtner, KS

Tribute Wall



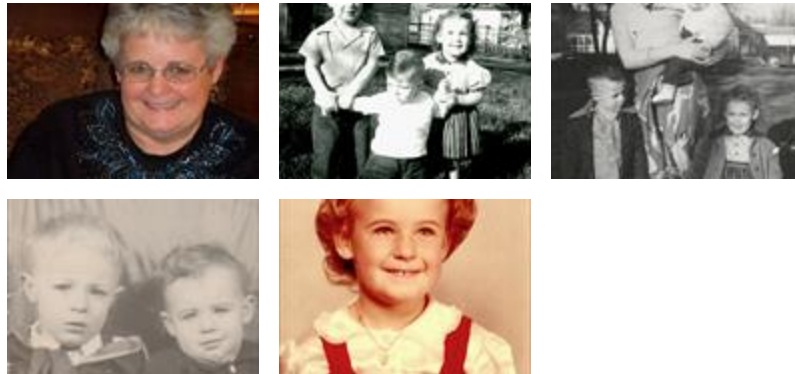
“ Wharton Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Verleen Baker



Wharton Funeral Chapel - June 10, 2022 at 02:51 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Verleen Memories Album



Wharton Funeral Chapel - June 10, 2022 at 02:52 PM

DC

“ I knew Verleen when she was married to my cousin, Leonard. She was always so nice. She was a lovely person and her smile will be missed. RIP, Verleen, I'm sure you are a beautiful angel.



Donise Cinnamon - June 09, 2022 at 01:47 PM

BM

“ I met Verleen through my grandpa Carl Baker. They were an adorable couple. We were blessed for Grandma Verleen to be part of our family. We miss her very much.



Bobbi S McDiffett - April 01, 2022 at 01:27 PM

BL

“ I met Verleen when we worked together at the Sonic Drive In along with her brothers Rocky and Stoney. She always had a wonderful smile and was very kind. I was a friend of her entire family including maternal grandparents. I soon learned my late Aunt Ruthie Hull Down's had babysitted them as small children. Shortly before her return to Alva I learned she had been living in KS a little over an hour and a half away. She told me that my cousin the late Susie Hull MD was the physician that discovered her cancer that she was in remission and loved her DR. Blessings hugs and prayers for her family and friends.

Barbara Thompson LCSW LADC - March 31, 2022 at 10:38 AM

JB

“ I have been trying to think of something to say about Vern. I just am having so much trouble with the words! I was touched by her friendship, her laugh, and how we could talk reminisce for hours! Miss you my dear friend. Prayers to the family. I will miss her as will everyone who new her.

Jeanette Brattin - March 30, 2022 at 05:37 PM

EM

*Verleen is my son-in-law's sister! She was always his "baby sister" and there for my grandchildren! She will be greatly missed and a beautiful angel in heaven. Condolences to all her family and friends!! Wish I could be there to "celebrate her LIFE" with all of you!! Edie
Magner, Grandma,
Mom*

Edie Edna Frances Magner - June 11, 2022 at 02:05 PM

MC

“*Verleen was such a strong, brave, and kind woman. I have loved getting to know her over the last few years, and am thankful I could count her as a friend. She's supported me through many challenges and always encouraged me to stay positive. I loved watching she and Norman together. They were such a picture of love and admiration. May God give you all peace knowing you will be together again.*

Meagan Caldwell - March 26, 2022 at 11:45 AM

JC

“*Verleen and I grew up less than a block apart and attended Longfellow Elementary. We were childhood playmates and friends. She always had a smile on her face. She will be missed.*

Janet Cunningham - March 25, 2022 at 09:23 AM

AD

“*Sorry for your loss I knew Verleen from the Chisholm Trail cowboy church. She was a wonderful woman. Will miss seeing her.*

Alice Dickson - March 23, 2022 at 04:59 PM

DS

“ When I first came back to Alva a few years ago, Verleen came in the office to take care of some business. It was so nice to talk with her and catch up with the things that had happened over the last many years. She was such a kind and generous soul. I know she is now in the arms of Jesus but I also know how hard it is for those that loved her to move through this time. May our father in heaven help each of you to find peace and comfort in him. Fly high, sweet lady.

Dawn Shafer - March 23, 2022 at 09:46 AM

DS

“ Dawn Shafer lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker



Dawn Shafer - March 23, 2022 at 09:39 AM

SG

“ Sarah Green lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker



Sarah Green - March 23, 2022 at 12:07 AM

GF

“ *Genevieve Farris lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Genevieve Farris - March 22, 2022 at 10:45 PM

LC

“ *Lynetta Cressler lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Lynetta Cressler - March 22, 2022 at 11:41 AM

FL

“ *Felicia Lyon lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Felicia Lyon - March 22, 2022 at 11:13 AM

FL

I send my condolences to the family of Verleen.

Felicia Lyon - March 22, 2022 at 11:17 AM

FL

“ *Felicia Lyon lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Felicia Lyon - March 22, 2022 at 11:12 AM

DP

“ *Deanna Perks lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Deanna Perks - March 22, 2022 at 10:06 AM

LT

“ *Linda Toone lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Linda Toone - March 21, 2022 at 02:38 PM

JF

“ *Jason & Katie Perks & Family lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker*



Jason & Katie Perks & Family - March 21, 2022 at 02:29 PM

CE

“ *Charlotte Edwards lit a candle in memory of Verleen Baker* ”



Charlotte Edwards - March 21, 2022 at 02:06 PM