



## Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland

November 25, 1967 - July 19, 2022

Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland, 54, of Fort Gibson, was born on November 25, 1967, in Los Angeles, CA to Ron and Carolyn Sue (Osborne) Fischer and passed away Tuesday, July 19, 2022, at her home with her loving family by her side.

Erin lived in California until the age of 13 and received her formal education in California, Tahlequah and Muskogee. After graduation, she went on to college for three years. Erin was employed with Cherokee Nation as a Clerk III for nine years. She dearly loved her work family.

Erin met, fell in love with and later married her best friend, Douglas Gilleland on October 9, 1987, in Muskogee, OK. Together they shared 34 years, nine months and ten days making precious memories.

She loved to cook and having family get-togethers. Erin always looked forward to going shopping with her daughter, Spencer. She enjoyed a good game of cards, working puzzles and sitting down and reading a good book. Erin enjoyed the outdoors and riding her side-by-side with family and friends, and she loved going out for a ride on their boat. She loved her fur babies unconditionally. One of her greatest joys was teasing her grandchildren, whom she loved very much. You always knew where you stood with Erin as she spoke her mind freely. She was a faithful member of her home church, Valley View Full Gospel. Erin is loved by many and will be missed.

She is lovingly survived by her husband, Douglas Gilleland of the home; daughter, Spencer Disney and husband, Charlie of Fort Gibson; sons, Derek

Gilleland of Fort Gibson and Randy Gilleland and wife, Toni of Siloam Springs; adopted daughter, Ashley Carman of Fort Gibson; adopted son, L.D. Gilleland of Fort Gibson; grandchildren, Bryar, Harper Suzanne, Shaun, Maria and Olivia; sisters, Cathy Woods and husband, Doyle and Jamie Bartlett; brothers, Billy Fischer and wife, Kelly, Kenny Fischer and John Price; aunt, Rosemary Mclaughlin; uncle, Leon of Edmond; mother-in-law, Pat and Leroy Smith of Fort Gibson; brothers-in-law, Lonnie Gilleland, Mark Smith and Marvin Smith; sisters-in-law, Janice Lewis and Sheila Brosz; nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Erin was preceded in death by her mother, Carolyn Slivis; father, Ron Fischer; sister, Jamie Bartlett; maternal and paternal grandparents; and father-in-law, W.K. Gilleland.

A visitation with family receiving friends will be held 5PM-7PM Monday, July 25, 2022, at Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home in Fort Gibson.

Erin's celebration of life will be held 11AM Tuesday, July 26, 2022, at Community Gospel Center in Fort Gibson with Pastor John Overton and Pastor Don Rhyne officiating. Committal prayers and interment will follow at Citizens Cemetery with Charlie Disney, Lonnie Gilleland, II, Doyle Woods, Caleb Woods, Derek Gilleland and Randy Gilleland serving as casket bearers. Honorary casket bearers are Bryar Disney, Justin Gilleland and Jacob Bailey. The family of Erin Suzanne Gilleland has entrusted her care, service and burial to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home, Fort Gibson. 918-478-2555. Online condolences may be left for the family at [clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com](http://clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Citizens Cemetery

Fort Gibson, OK 74434

# Previous Events

## Visitation with Family to Greet Friends

JUL **25.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home (Fort Gibson)  
1224 E Poplar St  
Fort Gibson, OK 74434  
(918) 478-2555

## Celebration of Life

JUL **26.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Community Gospel Center  
1632 Highway 62 East  
FORT GIBSON, OK 74434

# Tribute Wall



“ Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ I am so so sorry for your loss..I just saw this..She was such a very sweet person..I am her crazy flower friend from the Borovetz-Carson greenhouse. I enjoyed her company when she helped me get my referrals at 3 Rivers Clinic. And would bring her a special "Pink Pointsetti " every year. One of the good ones. I will miss her. Proud to have met her..Peace be with her family... Susan Hogle ❤️

Susan Hogle - August 03, 2022 at 05:34 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Aunt Ruth and Uncle Jack

Ruth Ashmore - July 28, 2022 at 05:36 PM



“ Jennings's Family lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland



Jennings's Family - July 24, 2022 at 04:39 PM

SU

“ Erin was my caseworker at Cherokee Nation Three Rivers. I first knew her at the Radiology and then at Contract health. I just wanted to tell you guys she was one of the kindest and sweetest people I've dealt with at the clinic. Erin truly did love her job. She was concerned about the patients she dealt with there at the clinic. She helped me and my family on more than one occasion. I am so sorry for your loss but she truly left your family with a loving legacy. I know that she will truly be missed.



Suzanne - July 22, 2022 at 02:55 PM

SD

Thank you so much for you kind words. She really loved to help people!!

Spencer Disney - July 25, 2022 at 12:20 PM

SD

Thank you so much for your kind words!!! She definitely left a legacy.

Spencer Disney - July 25, 2022 at 12:21 PM

JH

“ James Harris lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland



James Harris - July 21, 2022 at 07:45 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland.*



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July 21, 2022 at 07:35 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*



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**DON C LNDSEY** - July 21, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *I knew when she was still in high school and just dating Doug. I am so sorry to hear of her passing . Erin was a very Sweet person prayers to you all .*



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**Connie Dobson** - July 20, 2022 at 08:35 PM



“ *Karen Cullison lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



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**Karen Cullison** - July 20, 2022 at 07:34 PM

JL

“ *Janiece Lewis lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



Janiece lewis - July 20, 2022 at 07:28 PM

JL

“ *Janiece Lewis lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



Janiece lewis - July 20, 2022 at 07:24 PM

BH

“ *Berry And Beverly Harris lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



Berry and Beverly Harris - July 20, 2022 at 04:05 PM

BC

“ *Bonnie Coy lit a candle in memory of Erin Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



Bonnie Coy - July 20, 2022 at 02:49 PM

LE

“ *Lora Eggers lit a candle in memory of Erin  
Suzanne (Fischer) Gilleland*



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**Lora Eggers** - July 20, 2022 at 01:32 PM