



Nancy Lorene Harris

April 5, 1953 - September 25, 2025

Nancy Lorene Harris, 72, of Fort Gibson, Oklahoma was born April 5, 1953 to Leonard and Joan (Goad) Griffith in Sallisaw, Oklahoma and passed away Thursday, September 25, 2025 at her home with her loving family by her bedside.

Nancy was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, who graduated high school with distinction before meeting and marrying the love of her life, Jerry Harris, on October 6, 1971, at the Old Mission Church in Fort Gibson, a cherished union that lasted 53 years, eleven months, and nineteen days. A passionate homemaker and nurturing caregiver, she selflessly took exceptional care of her family and friends, always prioritizing their comfort and happiness. Nancy had a talent for sewing and delighted in creating beautiful pieces, while also cherishing the playful moments spent with her grandkids. Her joyful spirit shone brightly during family trips to Branson, where laughter and love filled the air. An immaculate homemaker, she meticulously maintained her home and took great pride in her lush garden. Christmas was her favorite holiday, and her love for the season was evident, with a whimsical Santa Claus in every room, spreading joy and festive cheer. Nancy will be missed by many.

She is now reunited with her parents, Leonard and Joan Griffith; and her sisters, Elizabeth Griffith, and Sandy York.

Nancy is lovingly survived by her husband, Jerry Dale Harris of the home; daughter, Shawana Ann Brown and husband Kevin Brown of Salina, OK; her

sister, Carol Easley; her grandsons, Tyler and wife Morgan Brown, and Jacob and wife Brittany Orman; granddaughter, Allison and husband Josh Didlot; and her great-grandchildren, Kasen Didlot and Everleigh Orman.

A celebration of Nancy's life will be held 1PM, Monday, October 6, 2025, at First Baptist Church in Fort Gibson with Brother Bobby Harris officiating and Mr. Don Perry eulogizing.

The family would like to thank the Hospice of the Cherokees for their excellent care of Ms Nancy.

The family of Nancy Lorene Harris has entrusted her care, service, and cremation to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fort Gibson. 918-478-2555. Online condolences may be left for the Harris family at clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church
304 E Hickory
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Tribute Wall

MA

“ So so sorry to hear of Nancy’s passing. Such a good lady and a great friend. Nancy was the mother of one of my high school friends but later in life she became my friend. Always ready to cut up and always giving me an extra large tip when she and Jerry came in to eat some bbq with us at My Place. The world just feels a little cloudier today, for me, knowing Nancy’s gone on. Jerry and Shawanna, I love you guys and I’m just real sorry to see this. 💔 Praying for you.

Marcy Arnett-Colley - October 29, 2025 at 04:42 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nancy Lorene Harris.



October 02, 2025 at 06:51 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nancy Lorene Harris.

October 02, 2025 at 06:51 AM

BC

“ Bonnie Coy lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris



Bonnie Coy - October 01, 2025 at 01:22 PM

BH

“ Bobby and Melanie Harris lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris



Bobby and Melanie Harris - September 30, 2025 at 06:27 PM

MH

“ Nancy was a special lady, she enjoyed life and was always there for anybody that needed help. Nancy will be missed by many and we are praying for you Jerry and Shawana



Mary Harris - September 30, 2025 at 05:56 PM

JP

“ I'll always remember how you love to scare people and get such a kick out of it and laugh so hard, you were such a crack up and would do anything for a laugh. I love you so much and will miss you until we meet again. Rest in the arms of Jesus



Jimmy Parker - September 30, 2025 at 12:24 PM

SW

“ Sandra Huggins Worley lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris



Sandra Huggins Worley - September 30, 2025 at 12:16 AM

SB

“ *Shawana Brown lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris*



Shawana Brown - September 29, 2025 at 06:48 PM

BH

“ *Our prayers and thoughts go out to Jerry and the family, Nancy was a wonderful person.*



Berry and Beverly Harris - September 29, 2025 at 06:13 AM

JP

“ *I will remember all the fun times we had together. While Jerry was doing his basic training. That six weeks we grew close. You was a good Sister-in-law. Love you always,RIP*



Joy Parker - September 28, 2025 at 10:46 PM

BF

“ *Grew up with Nancy! We went to church at the Gospel Rescue Mission .. we always enjoyed our time at church! So sorry to hear of Nancy's passing! Prayers for Jerry and the family. 🙏 Nancy only knew me by Bobbie!*

bobbie (mckee) farmer - September 28, 2025 at 02:55 PM

CH

“ *Carla Holuby lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris*



Carla Holuby - September 28, 2025 at 08:53 AM

CE

“ *You would always bring me a pop and put it in the freezer when you got off of work from Haley's hot dog stand when I was little.. then when you moved out of the house I slept with your picture. So many things I will carry in my heart forever. My big bossy sister I'm going to miss you I will always love you*



Carol Easley - September 28, 2025 at 02:30 AM

JS

“ *Janie (Harris) Slader lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris*



Janie (Harris) Slader - September 27, 2025 at 07:05 PM

JS

“ *I will never forget all the good times we had together. Growing up you and Jerry were always there for me. You made all events and get togethers fun. Rest in peace lovely lady and know you will never be forgotten. Love you always.*

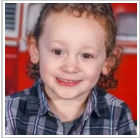
Janie (Harris) Slader - September 27, 2025 at 07:04 PM

DR

“ *Darlene Rowan lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris*



Darlene Rowan - September 27, 2025 at 12:33 AM



“ *Too many memories to list and I cherish every one of them. I love you so much and I can't believe my sassy aunt nancy has left me. I'll always cherish sitting on the porch swing just laughing and talking.*



Janie Mitchell - September 26, 2025 at 09:43 PM

JH

“ *James Harris lit a candle in memory of Nancy Harris*



James Harris - September 26, 2025 at 07:32 PM