



## Patricia Joan Stewart

January 9, 1960 - February 21, 2021

Patricia Joan (Gilliam) Stewart, 61, a lifelong resident of Fort Gibson was born January 9, 1960 in Tahlequah, OK to Frank and Dorothy (Gage) Gilliam and entered Heaven's Gates on Sunday, February 21, 2021 in Tahlequah, OK. Patricia received her formal education at Fort Gibson Schools and furthered her education receiving a Bachelors Degree. Patricia married her best friend, Gary Stewart, on October 9, 1993. She enjoyed painting, drawing, and making pottery. Many of her Cherokee art paintings are on display in various businesses around the state. Patricia loved spending time with family, but her grandkids were her life. She enjoyed hunting arrowheads in various areas of Green Country and was quite good at finding them. She was well-versed in dancing, which she loved to do with her husband, Gary. Patricia will be missed by all that knew and loved her.

Patricia was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Bill Gilliam; a sister, Bobby Gilliam; and brother in laws, Bob McClellan, Dave Norfolk, and Michael Stewart.

She is lovingly survived by her husband, Gary of the home; sons, Andrew Mason and wife Cathy and Matthew Mason and girlfriend Kourtney Vann all of Fort Gibson, OK; stepdaughters, Jessica Reyes and husband Bryan of Fort Gibson, OK; Elizabeth Meissner and husband Joey of Fort Gibson, OK; and Rebecca Whitehead of Fort Gibson, OK; stepson, Adam Mason and wife Susan of Muskogee, OK; sisters, Frankie Gilliam, Peggy McClellan, June Box and husband Art, Linda Norfolk all of Fort Gibson, OK; and Donna Lenon of

Braggs, OK; a brother, Ronnie Gilliam and wife Linda of Fort Gibson, OK; sister in law, Deborah Brewer Pease of Fort Gibson, OK; nine grandkids, tons of cousins, extended family, and many friends.

A celebration of Patricia's life will be held 2PM, Wednesday, February 24, 2021 at Starnes Cemetery Pavilion with Butch Cook officiating.

The family of Patricia Joan Stewart has entrusted her care, services and cremation to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home and Cremation Service, Fort Gibson. 918-478-2555.

Online condolences may be left for the family at [clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com](http://clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Starnes Cemetery

Hwy 62  
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Fort Gibson, OK 74434

# Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Joan Stewart*

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Joy Parker lit a candle in memory of Patricia Joan Stewart*



**Joy Parker** - February 24, 2021 at 10:11 PM



“ *6 files added to the tribute wall*



**Julie Ross** - February 24, 2021 at 04:26 PM

EB

“ *Eunice Brown lit a candle in memory of Patricia Joan Stewart*



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**Eunice Brown** - February 24, 2021 at 02:56 PM

SC

“ *Pat was a special lady. Gary and family I am so sorry for your lost.*

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**Sue Campbell** - February 24, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.*



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February 24, 2021 at 10:49 AM

TF

“ *The Boyle family. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.*



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**The Boyle family.** - February 24, 2021 at 09:07 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.



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February 24, 2021 at 08:45 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.



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February 23, 2021 at 12:37 PM



“ *Scarlett Scott* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.



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**Scarlett Scott** - February 23, 2021 at 10:05 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Patricia Joan Stewart.

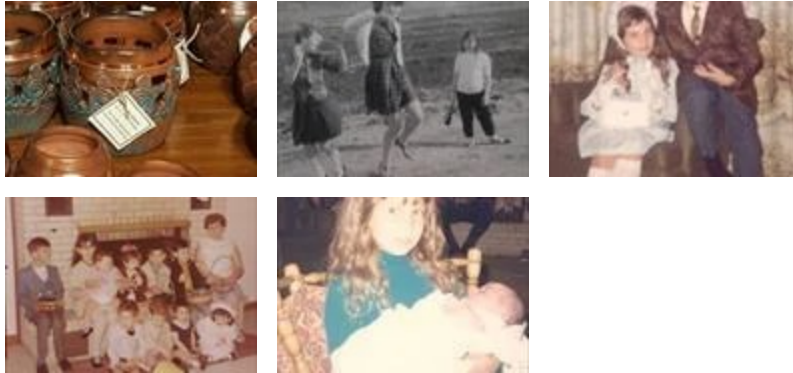


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February 23, 2021 at 08:01 AM

JR

“ 11 files added to the tribute wall



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**julie ross** - February 23, 2021 at 07:36 AM

SC

“ Sandra K Conn lit a candle in memory of Patricia Joan Stewart



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**Sandra K Conn** - February 22, 2021 at 09:47 PM

JR

“ *My Aunt Pat was like no other, she paddled her own canoe. She had Immense talent as an artist, potter and writer. She was known by all as a soft spoken lady. I think what she was most proud of was her boys, Matthew and Andrew Mason and all her grandkids. She loved Gary her husband so much. The things I'll remember most is her generous and loyal love of her parents Frank and Dorthy Gilliam. She was a caregiver to grandma and made sure all her letters, cards, flowers, were sent and so much more. Her legacy shall live on... I loved my Aunt Patty, I can't believe it, my neighbor, and my friend, is gone too early, donadagohvi.*

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**Julie Ross** - February 22, 2021 at 07:48 PM

JR

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Julie Ross - February 22, 2021 at 07:22 PM

LH

“ This beautiful and talented lady was a wonderful second Mom to my girls and a terrific grandma to our grandchildren. I couldn't have asked for a better person. She was always there to help with school art projects, weddings etc. She helped all the kids learn about their Cherokee heritage. She will be greatly missed. So sorry for your loss.

Lisa Hope

Lisa Hope - February 22, 2021 at 11:40 AM

JB

“ Jeanie Beavers lit a candle in memory of Patricia Joan Stewart



Jeanie beavers - February 21, 2021 at 10:57 PM

RS

Thank you Pat. Your pottery has been an important part of my life and is now in the hands of many people throughout the world. Your talent for art was exceptional and you will be missed by many. May God hold you close as a very special person. Ross

ross swimmer - February 23, 2021 at 08:03 AM