



Roberta Faye Henderson

January 21, 1933 - February 10, 2016

Roberta Faye Henderson, 83, of Fort Gibson, OK went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, February 10, 2016 at St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa OK. Roberta was born on January 21, 1933 in Shattuck, OK to Jerry and Opal Knowles of Arnett, OK. Roberta attended school in Arnett and graduated from Oklahoma A&M University where she met, fell in love with and later married her husband Ed Henderson on January 28, 1956, a marriage that lasted 60 years.

Roberta taught home economics at Ft. Gibson High School for 20 years before retiring in 1991. She will be missed by the members of United Methodist Women (UMW) and the congregation of Ft. Gibson First United Methodist Church. She will be greatly missed by all.

Roberta loved visiting and playing cards with grandkids. Never missing a sporting event. And always attending the kid's livestock shows. She was a big Oklahoma State football and baseball fan. She also loved family reunions at Tenkiller Lake. On sunny days, Roberta could be found on her porch enjoying watching the highway traffic and counting the orange cars.

The family would like to extend a special Thank You to Butch and Carol Cook. Roberta was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers Frank and Jack and sister Gayle.

She is survived by her husband Ed of Ft. Gibson, sons Larry, of Bixby, Jerry (Susan), of Ardmore and Terry (Beth), of Atlanta IN, daughter Rhonda (Jeff), of Fairmount IN. Grandchildren Amy, Kayla, Bekah, Oliver, Amelia, Schuyler,

Jeremy, Jacob and Jonah.

A visitation will be held Friday, February 12, 2016 in the Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home in Fort Gibson with family receiving friends 5PM-7PM.

Funeral services will be held at Ft. Gibson First United Methodist Church on February 13, 2016 at 10 AM, with Reverend Barry Collins officiating.

Committal Service and interment will follow at 2:00 PM in the Bixby Cemetery in Bixby, OK with Reverend Ray Crawford officiating. With Monty McMurphy, Keith Griffith, Scott Henderson, Martin McMurphy, Bob Henderson, Glen Blackman serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers are Randall Cargill, Chester Hendrix and John Moffit. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Roberta's name to the Gideon's International PO Box 204 Muskogee, OK 74402-0204 and/or Ft. Gibson First United Methodist Church 302 Beauregard/PO Box 370 Fort Gibson, OK 74434.

The family of Roberta Faye Henderson has entrusted her services and burial to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home 1224 E Poplar/PO Box 1973 Fort Gibson, OK 918-478-2555.

Online condolences may be left at clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com

Cemetery Details

Bixby Cemetery

Highway 67
Bixby, OK 74008

Previous Events

Service

FEB 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church Fort Gibson
302 Beauregard St
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Committal Service

FEB 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

Bixby Cemetery
Highway 67
Bixby, OK 74008

Tribute Wall



“ *Roberta Faye Henderson*

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Great example of an outstanding woman! Strong, faithful, beautiful!*

Lavon Chouteau - February 13, 2016 at 03:48 PM



“ *Enjoyed her friendship along with her teaching skills that I use today. She always had smile along with hard work in church she be greatly missed. Are prayers go out the family.*

*Joyce Galloway
Michelle Galloway- Manly*

Michelle Manly - February 13, 2016 at 10:54 AM



“ *Roberta was an inspiration to me. She showed the world a true walk with Christ. She will be missed by many! UMW will not be the same without her*

My prayers go out to her family I send angles to surround them giving them comfort strength and peace



carol harriman - February 13, 2016 at 09:44 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 13, 2016 at 08:50 AM



“ *We will always remember Roberta as a kind, compassionate and loving mother, teacher and friend. She was a genuine and beloved servant to others in countless ways. A generous giver in deeds unknown to many, she was often seen in and out of the kitchen preparing and sharing her delicious food at UM church and beyond. We think of her with great admiration and respect as we know she always gave the best of herself to her family, community, church etc. We benefited greatly and were graced by her life work ethics and hope that somehow her family and friends can be comforted often and fondly by her wonderful legacy and memories of such a talented, caring and loving mentor. With love and heartfelt condolences, Belle Cahoon family*

bob watts - February 12, 2016 at 03:39 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 12, 2016 at 02:04 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 12, 2016 at 11:09 AM



“ *Gift of Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 12, 2016 at 08:45 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 11, 2016 at 07:20 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roberta Faye Henderson.*



February 11, 2016 at 07:16 PM



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Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home - February 11, 2016 at 05:03 PM