



Adene Kathryn Goines

January 8, 1923 - July 6, 2011

ADENE KATHRYN GOINES was born January 8, 1923, to Gartha and Cecil Goines, in Muskogee, Oklahoma. She was born in her home, with her Grandmother and Grandfather Goines present. She had two older siblings: Adell Goines Simmons, and Wandell Eugene Goines to welcome her into her new family when she was born, and later she welcomed a little sister, Virnnie Delores Hogan, into the family. She and Virnnie made their home together for 76 years. They both have been residents of Brentwood Extended Care and Rehab for the last two years. She passed away, after a lengthy illness, Wednesday, July 6, 2011. Adene attended grade school at Sequoyah Elementary School, which is now being used for our Muskogee Little Theater. Their special treat every Friday was to get to slide down the fire escape. She then went to Central High School.

Adene was very much a self-taught person, who loved to read. She wrote lots of poetry about her friends and loved ones, could quote whole chapters of her favorite scriptures of the Bible, and could sing all four stanzas of a hymn by memory. She loved gospel music, and attended lots of gospel singing conventions, and yes, sung the old fashioned shape-note music.

She worked for Weddle's Grocery Store, Hunt's Department Store, and was co-owner of The Lunch Box Restaurant. She also worked in the Book Store and Snack Bar at Bacone College, before retiring. Some of her happiest times

was teaching her Sunday School Classes, which involved all ages, at Boston Avenue Baptist Church, Timothy Baptist Church, and Wainwright Baptist Church. She became a Christian at the age of 5 years old. She is a member of Meadowbrook Baptist Church, where her nephew, Darrel Simmons, is the pastor.

Adene was a champion cook. She entered many entries in the Oklahoma Free State Fair and won lots of 'blue ribbons'. She also won a National Fleishman's Yeast contest for her Breakfast Tea Ring. Everyone loved her chocolate pies and big 3-layer cakes.

She will be missed for her wit and fun loving ways. Those of her loved ones who are waiting for her in Heaven are: her mother, step-dad (Virnie K. Hogan), grandparents, brother and sister-in-law, Wandell 'Gene' and Mary Louise Goines; sister and brother-in-law, Adell and Jewel Simmons.

She is survived by: sister, Virnie Hogan; niece and her husband, Jewel and Joe Perry, of Derby, Kansas; nephews and wives, Darrel and Carol Simmons; and Cruce and Terri Simmons; great-nieces, Sonya Gordon and Darla Rogers, and great-nephews, Darrin Simmons and Rick Perry; great-great nephews, Clay, Clint, Kaleb, Matthew, and Nathan. A very special extended family: Mike, Marcella, Jessi Lynn, Dusty, and Shyann Bynum, Marion Graves, Joy and Kelly Payne, and many, many friends and loved ones who helped her have such a beautiful and happy 88 years of life. We also want to thank Kim, Tiffany, Shannon, David, and Janie, who took such good care of her through Good Shepherd Hospice. She considered all of the family at Brentwood her family. She loved every one of them in all departments.

Her funeral service will be under the direction of Cornerstone Funeral Home with Kelly Payne officiating, assisted by Marion Graves and Darrel Simmons. The services will be 11:00 a.m., Monday, July 11, 2011 at Timothy Baptist

Church. Visitation will be at the Cornerstone Funeral Home from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, July 10, 2011. Her pallbearers are: Vernon McKee, Michael Bynum, Curt Summers, Cruce Simmons, Darrin Simmons, and Darrel Simmons.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested any memorials be sent to Meadowbrook Baptist Church, 2421 Elizabeth Avenue, Muskogee, Oklahoma 74401.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

7600 Old Taft Rd.
Muskogee, OK 74401

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

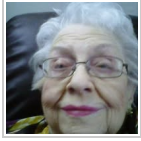
Cornerstone Funeral Home & Crematory
1830 North York Street
Muskogee, OK 74403
(918) 682-1500

Service

JUL 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

Timothy Baptist Church
5530 W Okmulgee
Muskogee, OK 74401

Tribute Wall



“ *Virnnie Hogan lit a candle in memory of Adene Goines* ”



Virnnie Hogan - September 06, 2025 at 02:39 AM



“ *Adene Kathryn Goines* ”

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM

NH

“ Dear Virnnie,
My thoughts and prayers are with you. Adene was soooo loved. I have so many memories of her gifts of poetry and wit all around me. My fondest memory of her was a valuable learning experience for me. I was disputing her wanting to give me something one day. She shook that forefinger at me and flat told me " Don't you rob me of my blessing!" I will never forget that. One of my favorite gifts was at Christmas time, she had torn a piece of wallpaper and wrote this poem on it. I framed it and get a chuckle everytime I pause to read it: The grocer wants his money
The landlord wants his rent
and here it's almost Christmas
and I ain't got a cent

But not to send you greetings,
just wouldn't do at all
So to wish you Merry Christmas
I got this off the wall.
I love you Virnnie and I will see you soon, Norma

Norma Holdridge - July 21, 2011 at 02:24 AM

VH

Thanks, Norma, I did not have a copy of this little poem, but I remember her getting a roll of old looking wall paper out at Walls, and she tore those little pieces and put one of those poems in each Christmas Card we sent out that year.
I love you and appreciate all the many things you have done for us through the years.
Virnnie Hogan

Virnnie Hogan - July 23, 2011 at 10:15 PM

VH

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Virnnie Hogan - July 17, 2011 at 07:54 PM

SC

“ *Adene was a wonderful Christian lady. I shall always remember her warm smile, her words of encouragement and her willingness to pray for others. She is heavens gain and our loss. But soon, we who believe on the Lord Jesus Christ will join her around the Throne of God singing praises to our wonderful Lord. I loved her dearly.*

Sulene (Watkins) Craven

Sulene Craven - July 15, 2011 at 03:10 PM

JW

“ *Dear Virnnie, So many years have past and you and Adene hold a special place in our memories as we were learning to sing our beloved "shape notes". We pray God's blessings on you and all the family. Love, Carol Sue*

Jerry and Carol Sue Willcutt - July 11, 2011 at 10:51 PM

FB

“ *We have known Adene for many years and attended many gospel singing conventions with her. She was a sweet and lovely lady. Pray that God will comfort Virnnie and all the family.*

Frank and Buena Mae Beller

Frank and Buena Mae Beller - July 09, 2011 at 08:11 PM

VH

“ *Virnnie Hogan lit a candle in memory of Adene Kathryn Goines*



Virnnie Hogan - July 09, 2011 at 02:13 PM

VH

“ *Virnnie Hogan sent a virtual gift in memory of Adene Kathryn Goines*



Virnnie Hogan - July 09, 2011 at 02:12 PM

GW

“ *May God bless all of you in the passing of this beloved member of the family.*

Gary Workman, Mesquite, Texas

Gary Workman - July 09, 2011 at 11:52 AM

JG

“ *Adene was a wonderfful Christian Lady We loved her very much and I know Virnnie will surley miss her so very much.I know she will be in a better place with all the Angles Bless her ,Our best to Virnnie We love you dear God be with you and keep you in his care. Our Love In Christ Jim. and Mary Gilbert , Santa Clara ,Ca.*



Jim. and Mary Gilbert - July 08, 2011 at 12:03 PM



*Thank you Mary and Jim. Adene and I love you very much.
Wish you were still here in Muskogee.
Virnie*

Virnie Hogan - July 09, 2011 at 02:08 PM