



## Clara 'Joyce' Kizzia

July 27, 1931 - January 10, 2023

Clara 'Joyce' Kizzia, 91, of Fort Gibson, OK passed away on Tuesday, January 10, 2023. She was born on July 27, 1931 to Robert Franklin Ashwood and Clara Lee Foreman in Muskogee, OK.

She worked as a school secretary for Fort Gibson Schools for 19 years.

Joyce served the Lord faithfully by singing in the choir and teaching Sunday School for over 44 years at First Baptist Church in Fort Gibson. Then moving to Norwood Baptist Church still singing, teaching Sunday School, and serving the Lord.

She was an avid gardener, who loved working with her flowers and feeding her birds. She spent 20 summers cooking for kids at Falls Creek Church Camp, enjoying every moment.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Edwin Kizzia.

She is survived by her daughters, Linda Kizzia (Blake) of Fort Gibson and Jana Nelson (Bill) of Jay; sons, James Kizzia Jr. (Regina) of Muskogee, Mark Allen Kizzia (Tina) of Fort Gibson, and Phillip Kizzia (Jamie) of Muskogee; sisters, Nina Wilkins (Kenneth) of Copan and Carol Boyd (Bill) of Claremore; brother, Bob Ashwood of Claremore; 15 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and a host of other family members and friends.

A celebration of Joyce's life will be 2PM, Friday, January 13, 2023 at First Baptist Church of Fort Gibson with Brother Craig Hobbs officiating. Interment to follow at Memorial Park Cemetery with Eric Salmon, Chris Kizzia, Gavin Nelson, Brian Kizzia, James Kizzia, and Jacob Kizzia all serving as

pallbearers.

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

7600 Old Taft Rd.  
Muskogee, OK 74401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 12. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

JAN 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church  
304 E Hickory Ave  
Fort Gibson , OK 74434

# Tribute Wall



“ *Clara 'Joyce' Kizzia*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Jeanne Shepherd lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



**Jeanne Foreman Shepherd** - January 13, 2023 at 10:25 AM



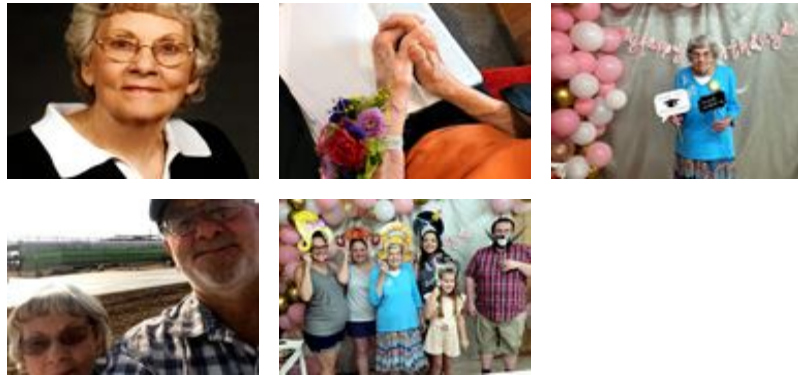
“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Family of Joyce Kizzia. Rest In Peace Joyce. You will be missed.*



**Linda French** - January 13, 2023 at 02:22 AM



“ 111 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory** - January 12, 2023 at 11:49 AM



“ *Sandra Conn lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



**Sandra Conn** - January 12, 2023 at 07:49 AM



“ *Jeanie beavers lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



**Jeanie beavers** - January 12, 2023 at 12:42 AM

MB

“ *Midge Blue lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



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**Midge Blue** - January 11, 2023 at 06:19 PM

AC

“ *Amy Clinkenbeard lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



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**Amy Clinkenbeard** - January 11, 2023 at 05:24 PM

MR

“ *Mark Reed lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



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**Mark Reed** - January 11, 2023 at 04:56 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Clara 'Joyce' Kizzia.*



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January 11, 2023 at 02:41 PM

PA

“ *pamreganall lit a candle in memory of Clara Kizzia*



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**pamreganall** - January 11, 2023 at 09:09 AM