



## Darlene Howdeshell

August 25, 1933 - May 28, 2016

Darlene (Eller) Howdeshell, 82, of Warner, Oklahoma entered Heaven's Gates on Saturday, May 28, 2016. She was born August 25, 1933 to James A. Eller and Corrine (Holden) Eller in Muskogee, Oklahoma. She grew up attending Muskogee Public Schools and graduated from Muskogee Central High School with the class of 1951.

Shortly after graduating from high school, Darlene married the love of her life Leonard Howdeshell on December 8, 1951 at Boston Avenue Baptist Church in Muskogee, Oklahoma. They shared 63 years of a happy life and marriage together working side by side on the family farm.

Darlene was a member of Warner First Baptist Church and taught Sunday school for many years. She enjoyed making arts and crafts, going bowling, and working in her flower garden. Darlene was an excellent cook and loved baking for her family and friends. She loved her family very much and loved being "Nannie" to all her grandchildren and "Nannie Roo" to all her great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. Darlene will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James A. Eller and Corrine Eller; husband, Leonard Howdeshell; sisters, Foyce Johnston and Jane Mullen; brothers, Royce Eller, Junior Eller, Dutch Eller, and Ronnie Eller; brothers-in-law, Clarence Paris, Jack Hobbs, and Ken Parker.

Darlene is survived by her daughters, Cindy Rich of Collinsville, OK and Denise Stroud and her husband Jerry of Warner, OK; grandchildren that knew

and loved her as “Nannie”, Kristi Guthrie and her husband Randy, Shawn Hogner and his wife Martha all of Muskogee, OK, Patrick Hewitt and his wife Amanda of Oklahoma City, OK, Jason Stroud, and Julie Miller and her husband Daniel all of Warner, OK; great grandchildren that knew and loved her as “Nannie Roo”, Dale Guthrie and his wife Tiffany, Beth Frazier and her husband David all of Checotah, OK, Sarah Milligan and her husband Ronnie, Dawson Hogner all of Muskogee, OK, Hailey & Beth Hewitt of Oklahoma City, OK, Justin Stroud, Caleb, Case, and Caden Miller all of Warner, OK; great great grandchildren, Jaylynn, Olivia, and Wyatt Guthrie, Kaisley Frazier, Jaylen and Eli Milligan; sisters, Mildred Paris, Dessie Hobbs, and Sandra Parker all of Muskogee, OK; brother, Jim Eller and his wife Sandra of Muskogee, OK; sisters-in-law, Maygene Eller, Joyce Eller, Bennie Eller, and Cookie Eller; brother-in-law, Wayne Mullen; and many nieces, nephews, other family members, and friends.

Darlene’s family will receive visitors 5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M., Thursday, June 2, 2016 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel.

A celebration of Darlene’s life will be 10:00 A.M., Friday, June 3, 2016 at Warner First Baptist Church with Bill Crow and Rev. Sam Dunn officiating. Interment will follow at Brushy Mountain Cemetery with Shawn Hogner, Randy Guthrie, Jason Stroud, Daniel Miller, Patrick Hewitt, Dale Guthrie, Dawson Hogner, and Justin Stroud serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be Caleb Miller, Case Miller, Caden Miller, Wyatt Guthrie, and Eli Milligan.

# Cemetery Details

**Brushy Mountain Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

JUN 1. 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel  
1830 N. York St.  
Muskogee, OK 74403

### Visitation

JUN 2. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel  
1830 N. York St.  
Muskogee, OK 74403

### Family Visitation

JUN 2. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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

## Service

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JUN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

Warner First Baptist Church  
810 2nd Ave  
Warner, OK 74469

# Tribute Wall



“ *Darlene Howdeshell*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



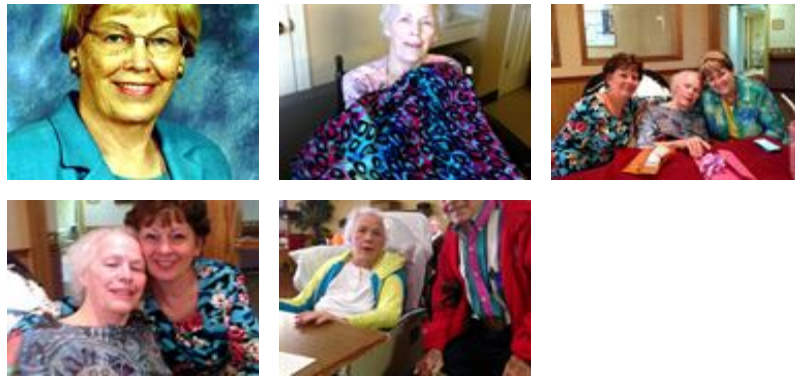
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“ *Very sorry for your loss. Your Dad and Mom were very special to Tyler and I. When Tyler was deployed during the Iraq war your parents mailed regular packages to him. He loved and looked forward to each package. They were great people. With Love, Tyler and Vickey Ward*

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**Vickey Ward** - June 02, 2016 at 01:06 PM

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“ *Cindy and Denise, so sorry for your loss. Your Mom was an awesome lady, cherish your memories of her. You are in my thots and prayers.*  
*Lori Clark Gordon*

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**Lori Gordon** - May 31, 2016 at 08:47 AM