



## Helen Ann Greer

November 5, 1938 - July 28, 2020

Helen Ann Wright Greer, age 81, passed away on Tuesday, July 28, 2020, at home in Muskogee, Oklahoma. She was born November 5, 1938, in Muskogee, Oklahoma to Eddie and Ada Ruth Wright. She attended Muskogee Central High School and graduated with the class of 1957.

On June 7, 1958, Helen Ann married Mahylon Greer at Boulevard Christian Church in Muskogee, Oklahoma. She raised her children in Grandview and resided there for 52 years. She, joyfully, was the neighborhood mom from sleepovers to cooking to carpooling. She never missed an event in her children's lives. Helen Ann started working for the Oklahoma Department of Corrections at Eddie Warrior Correctional Center in 1989. For 31 years, she was the Receptionist and Customer Service Representative, being the first to greet anyone visiting the facility. Her co-workers even became her second family. She made the decision to retire and it was to be final Friday, July 31, 2020, on which date she was to receive a drive-by retirement parade, due to Covid-19. Instead, she received her parade through the pearly gates, a much greater reward.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Eddie Wright and Ada Ruth (Sanborn) Wright; sisters, Josephine Elizabeth and Mary Ruth; husband, Mahylon Greer.

Helen Ann is survived by her daughter, Vickie Berner and husband Brett, son Kenneth Greer and wife Traci; grandchildren, Ashlee Nicole Berner, Jack Mahylon Lee and Sally Ann Greer; a host of cousins, nieces, and nephews;

and special friend, Chandler Jackson.

Helen Ann was born, raised, and married at Boulevard Christian Church. The Sunday School class was exceptionally precious to her as she looked forward, each week, to their fellowship.

Helen Ann was loved and adored. She will be remembered for her cooking, entertaining at holidays, her smile, her love for her family, and mostly her love for Jesus. She will be greatly missed by all.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Helen's memory to Boulevard Christian Church, 1700 W Shawnee, Muskogee, OK 74401.

The family will receive friends 2:00pm-4:00pm Sunday, August 2, 2020 at Cornerstone Funeral Home.

A celebration of Helen's life will be 11:00am Monday, August 3, 2020 at Boulevard Christian Church with James McCracken officiating. Interment will follow at Memorial Park Cemetery with Bret Smith, Greg Payton, Chuck Garrett, Tody Etchison, Patrick Cale, and Chandler Jackson serving as Pallbearers.

Funeral services are under the direction of Cornerstone Funeral Home, 1830 North York St, Muskogee, Oklahoma. Condolences may be made to the family online at <http://www.cornerstoneofmuskogee.com>.

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

7600 Old Taft Rd.  
Muskogee, OK 74401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 30. 1:00 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

JUL 31. 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

AUG 1. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

AUG 2. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

## Family to greet friends

AUG 2. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

AUG 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

Boulevard Christian Church  
1700 W. Shawnee  
Muskogee, OK 74401

# Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Ann Greer*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Oh Helen Ann I am gonna miss you .Since last Tuesday my daily thoughts have been of you. I couldn't go to the funeral home, I just couldn't. I went to your service and was thankful for the mask that absorbed my tears. You called me a month ago but I was at work and couldn't talk long. We always took jabs at one another. We shared the bad girl table(we called it that) in Sunday school for quite awhile. You called me your secretary as I wrote down our class prayer requests. for you. " Oh honey" you'd say to me whenever we talked. I loved the glimmer in your eyes as we discussed the condition our condition was in. I loved your bossiness- you reminded me of, well me! I loved when you talked of people's needs and hurts, you could hear your heart as your voice trembled with emotion and tears fell. You loved the youth of the church, and would support them by hiring them to do odd jobs so they could earn money for events. I loved so many things about you. Gonna miss you girl. Sunday School class won't be the same without you.*

**Hadee Wood** - August 04, 2020 at 06:37 AM



*So sorry to hear of Helen's passing we were just a few months apart in age and graduated from high school the same year. Sending condolences to your family, and may you rest in heavenly peace forever.*

**Colleen Seabolt Trickey** - August 05, 2020 at 08:50 AM

DG

“ *Kenny and Vickie. Sorry for the loss of your mom. She was very kind and helpful to me 10 to -15 years ago when I visited out at Jess Dunn with clients. She helped us have lunch more than once.*  
*David Garrett*

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**David Garrett** - August 03, 2020 at 12:24 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen Ann Greer.*



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August 01, 2020 at 08:10 PM

SR

“ *I graduated with Helen Ann Wright Greer from Muskogee Central High School, Class of 1957. I don't remember ever seeing her without that infectious smile and twinkling eyes. Blessings for her family. Rest in Peace, dear Helen!*  
*Sammye Henderson Rodden., CHS '57*

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**Sammye Henderson Rodden** - August 01, 2020 at 03:30 PM

KF

“ *Always enjoyed visiting with you One very nice Lady !!!!!*

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**Ken frazier** - July 31, 2020 at 04:01 PM



“ 5 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory** - July 31, 2020 at 02:42 PM

PH

“ This photo of Helen is truly representative of her.....always smiling. We met through the Department of Corrections, her at Eddie Warrior CC and me at the local Probation office. She was a delight and always, always, was pleasant and smiling. She will be missed. My sincere condolences to her family.

**PATTI HAYES** - July 31, 2020 at 11:31 AM

SD

“ Stacy Dunn lit a candle in memory of Helen Ann Greer



**Stacy Dunn** - July 31, 2020 at 04:16 AM

MH

“ *Helen Ann was one of my favorites my whole life!! I loved seeing her each Sunday and so enjoyed her sweet comments and insights in the women’s Sunday school class.*

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**marcie whitaker hewson** - July 30, 2020 at 10:44 PM



“ *135 files added to the album Memories Album*



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**Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory** - July 30, 2020 at 05:18 PM

GH

*Shared life and memories for many years my dear friend-I will miss our telephone conversations about our families and whatever is going on in our children's lives. Pain is no more as you rest in our Father's arms.  
Love you,*

*Gayle Crow Hendrix*

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**Gayle Crow Hendrix** - July 30, 2020 at 08:38 PM

CC

“ I will miss you my friend. There is no one to call me the little toot here anymore. There is no one to bring donuts in the morning and try to make me eat one. What do we do now that you are not in your place? My comfort is knowing that you are resting in the arms of God and you are there with my mother and grandmother. Tell them hello for me. I intend to see you again...

To the family take comfort in knowing Mama Helen was very much loved and that she is in a much better place.

I will forever love you Helen...

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**Cheri Collins** - July 30, 2020 at 04:23 PM

GF

My great and wonderful friend you will truly be missed by all who knew you and especially the memories of you bringing donuts for all of us to eat and the funny ways you loved each of us by being onery I will miss you sweet smile and your hugs and you softness for those who were hurting or the kids who needed a little extra help. You were always there.

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**Gail Fox** - July 30, 2020 at 11:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen Ann Greer.



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July 30, 2020 at 02:19 PM

CF

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. We will miss her as one of our long standing customers. She was a sweet lady. Prayers to you all. ~All of us at Cooper's Furniture



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**Cooper's Furniture** - July 30, 2020 at 12:45 PM

RW

“ Rick And Gail Ward lit a candle in memory of Helen Ann Greer



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**Rick and Gail Ward** - July 30, 2020 at 11:12 AM

KM

“ So saddened to hear this. Helen was a special lady and so many memories arise of working with her at the DOC. She was always upbeat, loved helping people, and most of all a friend. Prayers for her family and may her presence of love always remain in your hearts.

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**Katie McClain** - July 30, 2020 at 10:31 AM

RF

*She raised a great family to carry on the Greer name and legacy. Prayers for you all.*

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**Renee Fredrick** - July 30, 2020 at 07:58 PM