



Jo Marie Stotts

March 5, 1944 - February 25, 2025

Jo Marie Pitman Stotts passed away peacefully on February 25th, 2025, 8 days before her 81st birthday. She was the oldest of two children born March 5th 1944, to Joseph Edward Pitman and Opal Marie Kelly. Her father was in construction so the family traveled but upon her request to a dad who couldn't refuse her, he agreed, without telling his wife, to stay in Muskogee so she could graduate high school. Like her Dad, she married a construction man, David George, and moved around to Houston, Little Rock and Dallas but eventually returned home to raise their only daughter and be near family. She obtained a real estate license and was successful at selling but in order to provide a consistent income for her family, she started a new career as an appraiser. It was in this field that she became friends with Evalene Jenkins, whom set her up on a blind date with her brother, Thurmon Stotts who she married in 1983. Jo again proved herself a successful business woman and started and operated Stotts Appraisal Company for many years. Jo Marie and Thurmon were married 25 years and were active in the Muskogee Shriners. She served as Lady Jo at his side on the Divan and as a member of the Civitan Club.

For 16 years following his passing, she was quietly in the shadows serving as a companion and daily caretaker to her widowed mother.

Jo is preceded in death by her husband; brother, Ronald Lee Pitman; and her parents.

She is survived by daughter, Donna Eidson and her husband Ron; son, Steve

Stotts and wife Kim; daughter, Diane Wiseley and husband Scott; along with many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Jo's life will be remembered at 10am, Saturday, March 1, 2025 at Memorial Park Cemetery Mausoleum.

Services provided by Cornerstone Funeral Home, 1830 N York St, Muskogee, OK. Condolences can be made to the family at www.cornerstoneofmuskogee.com.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Mausoleum

Muskogee, OK

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

MAR 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

Memorial Park Cemetery Mausoleum
7600 Old Taft Rd
Muskogee, OK 74401

Tribute Wall

RS

“ Donna, We are so sorry for your loss of your mother. We had many fond memories of your mother and the family through the years. Thoughts and prayers to you and your family. With much love, Rita Solis, Sharon Gifford and the family. (wsushockers1968gmail.com)

Rita Solis - March 01, 2025 at 08:51 AM



“ Forever Our Angel Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jo Marie Stotts.



February 28, 2025 at 02:45 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jo Marie Stotts.

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“ Much Love, Lon and Stephanie Martin purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Jo Marie Stotts.



Much Love, Lon and Stephanie Martin - February 28, 2025 at 10:09 AM

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“ *Much Love, Lon and Stephanie Martin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jo Marie Stotts.*

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PC

“ *PLEASANT VALLEY HEALTH CARE CENTER lit a candle in memory of Jo Stotts*



PLEASANT VALLEY HEALTH CARE CENTER - February 27, 2025 at 03:38 PM

FA

“ *From The Jains, Michelle, Manish, et al purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jo Marie Stotts.*



From The Jains, Michelle, Manish, et al - February 27, 2025 at 01:39 PM

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“ *Randy and Kara Applegate purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jo Marie Stotts.*



Randy and Kara Applegate - February 26, 2025 at 08:32 PM