



Kay Borovetz

November 3, 1944 - September 6, 2025

Kay Borovetz, 80 years young, peacefully left this earth on September 6, 2025. Kay was born to Jim and Lois Morris on November 3, 1944, in Chickasha, where she grew up. She met and married her high school sweetheart, Melvin White. Kay and Melvin had two children, Steve and Cyndi, and moved to Oklahoma City and later to Muskogee to raise their family. They were members of the Muskogee Chapter of Jaycees and were very active in community services.

Kay worked as an executive secretary at Clark Electric, Rickett's Construction, and Muskogee Environmental Conservation Co. When she found out about a party store for sale, she jumped at the chance to have a business of her own and she bought Stuff N Such on East Side Boulevard. She loved helping people with decorations and planning for their celebrations and we always had fancy napkins at home. The biggest bonus was that she could have her grandsons with her at work, and they quickly became the mascots and frequently appeared in newspaper ads for the store.

You never worked alone when Kay was around, whether it was helping with dishes, yardwork, laundry, or any other task. She was an excellent homemaker and cook. She rearranged the furniture in her living room more than we thought normal and was a very tasteful decorator, but her home was always comfortable and everyone was welcome. She loved having her family

together and making sure everyone had infinite snacks and beverages, always topping it off with that fancy napkin.

Melvin passed away in 1986 and Kay later married Frank Borovetz, Jr. They traveled a lot and were active in Civitan and members of First Lutheran Church. They were very happy together and lived a good life. They were a power couple.

Kay leaves behind many loved ones and friends who will miss her, including her new friends at the Courtyards of Claremore, where she lived for almost six months and where she took her last breath. They made her feel very special and loved her fiercely in the short time she was there.

Other survivors include son, Steve White and wife Kathy, Ft. Gibson, OK; daughter, Cyndi Larimer and husband Mike, Claremore, OK; sister, Kathy Hall, Dallas, TX; Aunt Betty Heald, Chickasha, OK; grandchildren, Stephanie White and Mandie Hankins, Claremore, Amber Melton, Ft. Gibson, Meghan Thompson, Muskogee, Hunter White, Muskogee, Sam Larimer, Claremore, eight great-grandchildren, and many beloved cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents, Lois and Jim Morris, two husbands, Melvin and Frankie, her nephew, Matt Hall; and her lifelong best friend, Pat King, who went to be with the Lord two days before Kay.

A service honoring Kay will be held Tuesday, September 9, 2025, at 11:00 a.m., at Cornerstone Funeral Home in Muskogee, OK. with Pastor Sam Dunn officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *I remember so many float trips and parties! I'm sure there's a great one going on in heaven right now.*

Kittie Killian Guerra

Kittie Killian-Guerra - November 09, 2025 at 04:02 PM



You know it!

Cyndi Larimer - January 15 at 03:37 PM

SG

“ *Cyndi, Steve, and all who loved this wonderful woman: Kay was one of the sweetest people on Earth. She was genuine, had a great sense of humor and above all loved her family. She and Frankie were so kind to take our mom to Connor basketball games and share other events with her. I know Sam will miss her tremendously as those two were very close. My siblings and I loved visiting with her when we went back to Muskogee. It won't be the same without her. My deepest sympathies to all of you.*



Shelley Giodman - October 23, 2025 at 12:11 AM

PB

“ *My sincere condolences to the White family. Dr. B was fortunate to have her and share the latter years of their lives together.*

Pete Carson, Borovetz-Carson - September 19, 2025 at 07:21 PM

LS

“ Kay was such a beautiful and classy lady. I will treasure my memories made with her. May your special memories you shared give you peace and comfort. Deepest condolences to all who were blessed knowing her and especially to her family. You have been in my thoughts and prayers.

Lisa (Houston) Schmalenberger - September 15, 2025 at 12:20 PM

LS

“ Lisa (Houston) Schmalenberger lit a candle in memory of Kay Borovetz



Lisa (Houston) Schmalenberger - September 15, 2025 at 12:20 PM



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Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - September 09, 2025 at 02:12 PM

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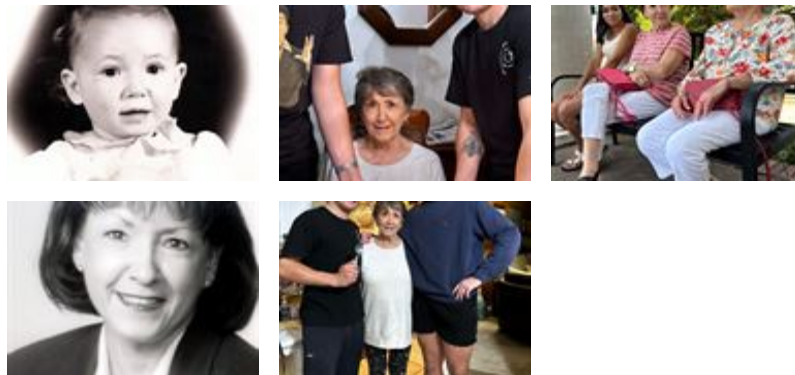
“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



amber - September 08, 2025 at 06:30 PM



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Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - September 08, 2025 at 05:49 PM

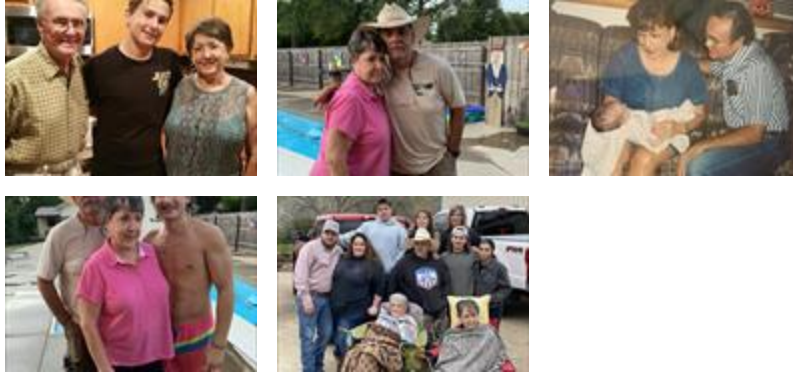
JS

“ Kayro and i grew up with one another. i spent many nights at her parents home. There was a venue next door and kay and i would set outside at night And listen to the music. she was soft spoken but very witty!! i loved it when we could get together for family gatherings. i will miss my Kayro.

jo scott - September 08, 2025 at 04:59 PM

KW

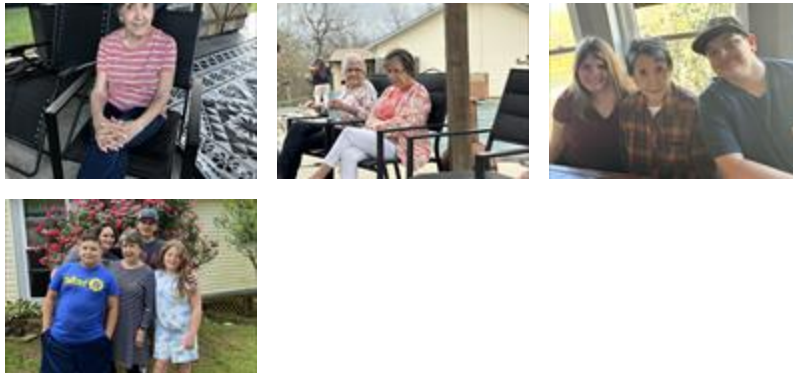
“ So thankful God gave me her to be my Mom in Law! She was one of a kind and always made me feel like I was one of her own ☐



kathy white white - September 08, 2025 at 03:09 PM

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amber melton - September 08, 2025 at 01:54 PM

YA

“ Your family at Oldcastle APG purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kay Borovetz.



Your family at Oldcastle APG - September 08, 2025 at 12:10 PM