



## Mildred Maxine Moore

November 5, 1930 - May 22, 2024

Mildred Maxine Moore, a beloved member of the community, passed away peacefully on May 22, 2024. Born on November 5, 1930, in Bokoshe, Oklahoma, Mildred was the daughter of Newton and Cora Evans. She was a graduate of Bokoshe High School, where her skills on the basketball court earned her admiration and respect.

Embarking on her professional journey, Mildred found success as a Tupperware manager, excelling so greatly that Tupperware rewarded her with a car, a testament to her dedication and proficiency. She furthered her education, earning a Bachelor of Science in Education from Eastern Oklahoma State College and a Master of Science in Special Education from Northeastern State University.

Mildred's passion for education led her to a fulfilling career as an elementary special education teacher in Kinta and Stigler schools before transitioning to vocational services at Indian Capital Area Vo Tech School in Muskogee, where she retired in 1986. She remained a member of the Oklahoma Retired Educators Association.

Faith played a central role in Mildred's life. She was a devout believer in the Lord, finding solace and strength in prayer and the study of the Bible. Her favorite verse, Psalms 91:11, reflected her unwavering trust in God's

protection. Mildred was a dedicated member of the Red Bird Church of Christ, where her faith community provided her with love and support.

Beyond her professional and spiritual pursuits, Mildred was a woman of many talents. She possessed a gift for cooking and baking, delighting her family with meals made from scratch. Her skills extended to sewing, where she showcased her creativity as an amateur clothing designer and knitter of gorgeous sweaters. Mildred's green thumb was evident in her flourishing gardens, which bloomed with both flowers and vegetables. She held a keen interest in organic foods and natural medicine, embodying a holistic approach to health and wellness.

Mildred traversed the landscapes of both Hawaii and Alaska, with travel also taking her to several other states. She had an eclectic taste in music, enjoying everything from old gospel hymns to contemporary artists like Jon Batiste and her daughter's band, Gerle Haggard. Among her cherished memories was witnessing the legendary Carol Channing's captivating portrayal in "Hello, Dolly!" and also one of Mikhail Baryshnikov's dance performances.

Mildred was preceded in death by her parents, Newton and Cora Evans, her first husband Rabon Williams, her husband Johnnie H. Moore Sr., her longtime companion Van R. Jones, her sister Edna Paddock, and her brothers Ray Evans, JC Evans, Leo Evans, and Floyd Evans. She is survived by her daughter, Dr. Salisa Williams (and her life partner Jim Turner), her bonus son Marc Jones, her beloved dog Ginger, and a host of other relatives and friends who will cherish her memory.

The family extends their heartfelt gratitude to Mildred's champions, Jennifer Kirkendoll, Roosevelt Roy Jr., and Shannon Kelly, as well as the compassionate staff of Emerald Hospice and Azalea Gardens for their unwavering support and care.

A visitation will be held on Sunday, June 2, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, at Cornerstone Funeral Home in Muskogee. Mildred's funeral service will take place on Monday, June 3, at 10:00 AM, also at Cornerstone Funeral Home, followed by a graveside service at 2:00 PM at Old Bokoshe Cemetery in Bokoshe, Oklahoma.

In honoring Mildred's memory, let us celebrate the richness of her life and the profound impact she had on those around her. She will be dearly missed and fondly remembered always.

# Previous Events

## Family to greet friends

JUN 2. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

JUN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

## Interment

JUN 3. 2:00 PM.

Old Bokoshe Cemetery  
Bokoshe, OK

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - June 04, 2024 at 05:58 PM

MW

“ Mildred was an incredible lady with a sweet soul and precious smile. She was always welcoming anytime you visited and was an amazing cook. She will be missed but, I know she's dancing in heaven now! Love you Mildred.

Melissa Wells - June 02, 2024 at 07:47 PM

DR

“ David Robertson purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



David Robertson - June 01, 2024 at 11:44 AM

SE

“ I mowed for Mildred and grew close to her and we became close and I'd set and listen to her about all kinds of things from home remedies to how much she loved her daughter and she was so sweet And she will be missed buy never forgotten. Till I see you again I'll keep you in ,y heart . I love you Mildred

Steve Elsey - May 31, 2024 at 09:51 PM

SE

“ Steve Elsey lit a candle in memory of Mildred Moore



Steve Elsey - May 31, 2024 at 09:41 PM

DF

“ Dyer & Brinck Family purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



Dyer & Brinck Family - May 31, 2024 at 05:10 PM

TF

“ Tom and Linda Evans & family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



Tom and Linda Evans & family - May 31, 2024 at 02:14 PM

TE

“ We send our love and prayers at this time of loss but celebration of Aunt Mildreds life. Thank you for sharing all the wonderful family memories of the Evans family. They are all joined together in a great heavenly reunion. I'm thankful we saw her a few years ago and another time she fixed us some delicious taco soup! Love, Tom and Linda Evans

Thomas & Linda Evans - May 31, 2024 at 01:57 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.*



May 31, 2024 at 12:37 PM

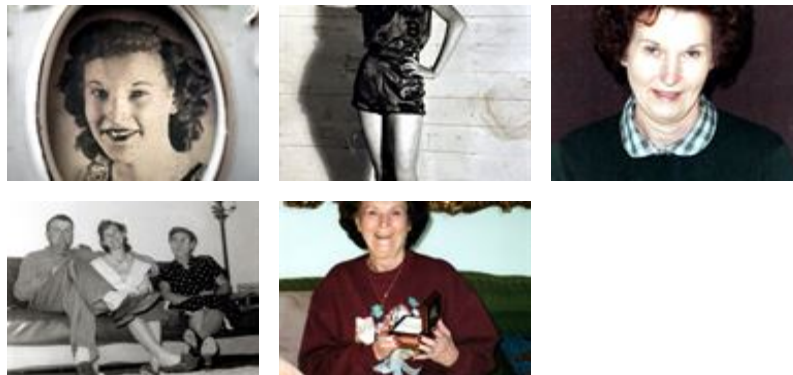


“ *Reed Wood planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mildred Maxine Moore.*

Reed Wood - May 31, 2024 at 12:37 PM



“ *105 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - May 31, 2024 at 12:01 PM

SF

“ Sue Littlefield and Shawn Foroughi purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



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**Sue Littlefield and Shawn Foroughi** - May 30, 2024 at 11:38 AM

WP

“ With sympathy, Thomas and Wendy Piwonka purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



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**With sympathy, Thomas and Wendy Piwonka** - May 30, 2024 at 11:28 AM

WP

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**With sympathy, Thomas and Wendy Piwonka** - May 30, 2024 at 11:28 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



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May 30, 2024 at 10:54 AM

BD

“ My condolences to Mrs Moore and her family.....



Bryan Dorn - May 29, 2024 at 10:13 PM

LP

“ Lee and Penelope purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Mildred Maxine Moore.



Lee and Penelope - May 29, 2024 at 02:09 PM

BM

“ Rest in Peace Aunt Mildred with all your beloved family to greet you 🕊️ Wish we had a relationship sooner in life . My first memory of you is when Salisa and I picked corn across from your mothers when I was little. I'm thankful for the moments we did get to share !Love you ☐



Becky Mewmaw - May 28, 2024 at 06:40 PM

DI

“ Best Aunt in the world. She always had time for me and my family. Can't believe she is no longer here. Diana

Diana - May 28, 2024 at 04:21 PM

DA

“ *Wow, What a great woman! I always believed she had faith in me. An encourager. She fed me more than just great food! - David Horlick*

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**David** - May 28, 2024 at 03:25 PM