



Rachael Lois Miller

February 23, 1934 - May 16, 2017

Rachael Lois Merten Miller, 83, of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away Tuesday, May 16, 2017. She was born February 23, 1934 to Lloyd W. and Margaret E. (DeKlyn) Merten in Great Bend, Kansas.

Following graduation from Great Bend Public Schools, she furthered her education at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, Texas. She then worked as an accountant for Walt Disney. In 1997, she retired from the newspaper in Yucca Valley, California.

Those closest to her will always remember her as "Rae". She loved baking cookies for all whom she knew. Her family recalls that Rae felt her purpose was to take care of others. One of her favorite pastimes was reading. She was of the Protestant faith.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lloyd W. and Margaret E. (DeKlyn) Merten; and the father of her son, Oren Miller.

Rachael is survived by her son, Geoff Miller and wife Sarah Miller of Muskogee, OK; grandson, Brandon Miller and wife Dara of Muskogee, OK; great grandchildren, Cody, Kaylen, and Brooklyn Miller of Muskogee, OK; brother, Robert Merten and wife Carol of Lakewood, CO; sister, Mary Ann Mull of Colorado Springs, CO; along with numerous nieces, nephews, and other family members that will miss her dearly.

A celebration of Rachael's life will be at 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, May 24, 2017 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Chaplain Tony Hodgson officiating.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **22.** 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

MAY **23.** 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Memorial Service

MAY **24.** 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rachael Lois Miller*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



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Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - May 23, 2017 at 09:30 AM



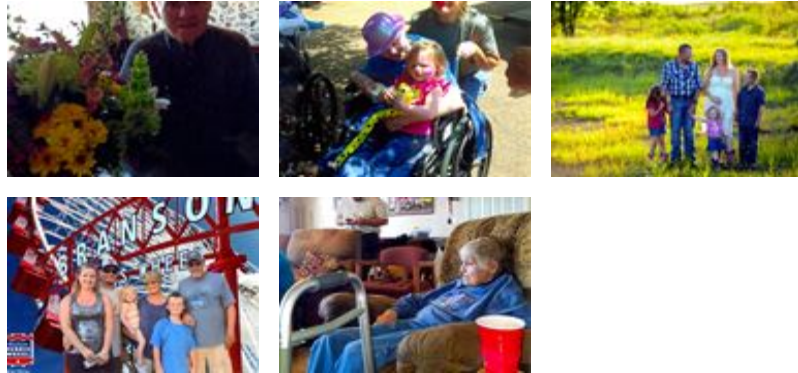
“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rachael Lois Miller.*



May 22, 2017 at 11:33 PM



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Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - May 22, 2017 at 04:00 PM



“ *Bob Mull purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Rachael Lois Miller.*



Bob Mull - May 20, 2017 at 06:42 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rachael Lois Miller.*



May 19, 2017 at 01:27 PM

JM

“ I remember driving with you out to L.A. when you moved from Denver. When we reached the desert, it was 102° F and only 10% humidity. We stopped to fill up the car, but the gas hose and the gas cap were too hot to touch. We had to find some paper towels to get the car filled and you taught me some new words. (They weren't new to me, but I didn't think my Aunt would know them.) We got back in the car to continue the trip and it seemed as if the desert went on forever. And then... we topped over the hill and could see "L.A." stretched out in front of us. When we got to the freeway system ... one on top of the other in all directions, your comment, in a very loud voice was "I've never seen so many God ##### roads in my life!!! Makes Denver look like a "cow town"!!" I almost drove off the road. One because of the cussing and two because of the image passing through my head of cows walking in downtown Denver! I loved that trip with you. We talked about so many things. I didn't want you to leave Denver. I enjoyed having you there. You were so open and laughed a lot. That is the Aunt I will keep in my heart and in my memories. I love you and I have missed you. Jacob

P.S. Dad still gets squared-jawed if we mention your Mashed Potato Salad. ;)

Jacob Merten - May 18, 2017 at 05:33 PM

CP

Rachael always welcomed my husband, Rich & I into her home very warmly. She always felt like one of the family, we were friends of Geoff & Sarah so we saw her quite often. Always kind & loved her antics! You will be missed Rachael, God Bless💕💕

Chi-Chi Pierce-Pettit - May 22, 2017 at 04:22 PM

SM

Aunt Rachael helped us with our fixer upper house. She taught me so much about painting. Great memories!

Sandy Mull - May 23, 2017 at 02:07 PM