



Retha Jean Dunlap

November 3, 1924 - September 28, 2011

Retha “Jean” Smith Dunlap, 86, of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away Wednesday, September 28, 2011 in Muskogee. She was born November 3, 1924 in Tahlequah, Oklahoma to Rev. James Oscar Smith and Naomi Lillian Rogers Smith. Jean graduated from Bagley High School in Tahlequah with honors as Salutatorian of the Class of 1941. She later met Robert Lee Dunlap and they were married June 14, 1942 in Tahlequah, Oklahoma. She was a homemaker and enjoyed flower gardening. She was an excellent cook. Her family looked so forward to each meal, especially dessert. Jean was a member of Boston Avenue Baptist Church.

She was welcomed home by her parents, Rev. James Oscar and Naomi Lillian Smith; husband, Robert Lee Dunlap; brothers, James Linden and Stanley Smith; sister, Josephine Sweet; in-laws, Stan and Veda Dunlap, Glen, Warren, Fred and Billie Jean Dunlap, Leon Johnson, and Betty Smith; and one grandson, Brent Alan Dunlap.

Jean is survived by seven children, Donna Conway of Warner, OK, Robert Dunlap and wife, Sharon of Houston, TX, Kathy Madden and husband, Chuck, Peggy Hutson, Connie Dunlap, all of Muskogee, Merry Zollars and husband, Wes of Porum, OK, and Tim Dunlap and wife, Polly of Richmond, TX; grandchildren, Jackie Conway, Jan McCarthy, Jeanne and Steve Bower, Dan and Giselle Conway, Jon Dunlap, Melissa and Michael Stafford, Jill and Scott Renfro, James Dunlap, Aimee Ross and John Zollars; great grandchildren, Tiffany Conway, Calvin McCarty, Ryan and Abby McCarthy, David, Alex, and

Matthew Bower, Krystal and Brandon Conway, Micah and Miriam Stafford, Sebastian Renfro, Cody, Blake, Dylan, and Lacy Ross; great-great grandchildren, Alexis, Jalan, and Cali; and numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

Memorials may be made to Cornerstone Hospice, 10816 E. Newton Street, Tulsa, OK 74116.

Cemetery Details

Tahlequah City Cemetery

1251 West Fox Street
Tahlequah, OK 74464

Previous Events

Service

OCT 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

Boston Avenue Baptist Church
201 S 30th St
Muskogee, OK 74401

Tribute Wall



“ *Retha Jean Dunlap*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM