



Wanda Sue Nail

February 20, 1952 - March 9, 2016

On March 9, 2016 Wanda Sue Nail lost her long battle with cancer. She was born on February 20, 1952, to Mary and Lonnie Roberts. Having graduated high school in Watsonville, CA, Wanda enlisted in the United States Army in 1970, working as a radiologic technologist at Fort Sill, OK. While there she met and married Milo Nelson. Together, they brought their daughter, Sue Ann Nelson, into the world. A few years later, Wanda and Sue moved back to Oklahoma, where Wanda began her long and fulfilling career at the VA hospital in Muskogee. She advanced in position, ultimately becoming a supervisor, where her imaging team received recognition for excellence. In 1991, Wanda met and married the love of her life, Rocky Nail. Over the next 25 years, the two were inseparable, sharing both a love of each other and family. Always continuing to improve upon herself, Wanda additionally attended college at Northeastern State University, earning her Bachelor's of Science Degree in 1996 at the age of 44. During the aftermath of the Murrah Federal Building bombing, Wanda volunteered her services for over a week in Oklahoma City. Later in her career, Wanda transitioned to information technology, ultimately becoming a system specialist in imaging software for the VA system nationally. Wanda retired in April of 2011 after 31 years of service.

Wanda is survived by her loving husband, Rocky Nail, daughter, Sue Ann Mullican and son-in-law George Mullican, son, Doug Nail and daughter-in-law Nicole Nail; grandsons, Jordan and Grant Mullican, Jake and Jaxon Nail, as

well as twins, Liam and Owen Dakin. Wanda had but one granddaughter, Taylor Grace Nail. Wanda is also survived by her mother, Mary Elliott, and siblings, Mollye Thrasher, Corbett Davidson, Rebecca Howard, Marilla and spouse Patricia May, David Elliott, and Dennis and spouse Sheila Elliott. She was preceded in death by her father, Lonnie Roberts, brother, Jake Roberts, and daughter, Sarah Nail Dakin. Wanda's devotion to family was best exemplified during Sarah's long fight against cancer, where Wanda retired early to stay by Sarah's side nearly constantly up until the time of Sarah's passing.

Wanda was liked by all who met her, respected by her many peers, and adored by her family. For Wanda, family always came first. Her love was shown in many ways, to include the quilts she made for each of her children, family campouts where extended family remained close, and many a fine meal cooked by Wanda's hand. In 1998, Wanda and Rocky built their dream home on ten acres in Porter, Oklahoma. While she hosted many family gatherings there, some of Wanda's favorite moments were sitting on the back porch, looking at the pond with her great love and best friend Rocky. Through the many chapters of their lives, Wanda and Sue's relationship continued to mature and deepen. As the daughter became wife and mother, Sue and Wanda's mutual love and admiration formed a bond that defined both of their lives. After retirement, Wanda became an avid camper and joined a ladies camping organization, where she and Sue met and came to love and admire ladies of great character from all across the United States. Wanda's dear friend, Carloyn Cundiff O'Neal enjoyed these sister adventures and helped the family in countless ways. Wanda's battle with cancer was a testimony to her character in life, for she always remained optimistic, and never did a complaint pass her lips. She wore a constant smile and enjoyed to the fullest the precious time left to her. Wanda will never be forgotten by those who were fortunate to call her Wife, Momma, Nana, sister, daughter, family or friend. In lieu of flowers, Wanda would like her friends to "pay it forward" and do something nice for someone else.

A celebration of Wanda's life will be 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, March 15, 2016 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Larry Rogers officiating. A private family interment will follow with Bob West, Ronnie Jones, Patti May, Mike O'Neal, Jordan Gray Mullican, and Dusty Nail serving as pallbearers.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

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MAR 13. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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MAR 14. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Service

MAR 15. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Wanda Sue Nail*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Miss my momma every day. She was my best friend my whole life!*

Sue Mullican - July 09, 2016 at 03:36 PM



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Sue Mullican - July 09, 2016 at 03:36 PM



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Lori Ross - April 07, 2016 at 09:03 AM



The happiest, kindest woman I ever knew. I will miss you, Wanda. God bless Rocky, Susie, and everyone who was lucky enough to know and love her.

Lori Ross

Lori Ross - April 07, 2016 at 09:09 AM

LS

“ We are so sad to hear of your loss, Marilla. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your entire family. God bless you all. We are sending you love and prayers for peace and comfort. Much love, Lesa & Sunny



Lesa & Sunny - March 15, 2016 at 10:12 AM

CC

“ Carolyn Carmichael lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail



Carolyn Carmichael - March 14, 2016 at 10:42 PM

CC

So sorry for your loss Rocky, worked with You and Wanda at the VA for many years, I know you will miss her. God Bless you and the family.

Carolyn Carmichael - March 14, 2016 at 10:43 PM

SM

“ I met Wanda when she became a member of the Clin 3 HPS Team. She was a very sweet woman and enjoyed working with her. Prayers to all of her family. She was a special woman.

Susan Moody - March 14, 2016 at 07:47 AM

ST

“ Sue and Rocky my heart aches for you. Jake and I send our love and prayers to you and the rest of the family. We are so sorry we have to miss the service but please know we will be thinking of you. Wanda was such a beautiful spirit and she lived a life we should all admire. We love you all, Jake and Susan Travis

Susan and Jake Travis - March 13, 2016 at 07:36 PM

SS

“ Sharon (Howell) Syfrett lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail



Sharon (Howell) Syfrett - March 12, 2016 at 10:43 PM

SS

Wanda was a special friend from years ago with sweet memories of working together and out dancing too. She said it like it was but always with a smile. I know she is in the arms of the angels. Peace to Rocky and Susan

Sharon (Howell) Syfrett - March 12, 2016 at 10:48 PM

GS

“ G Stone lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail



G Stone - March 11, 2016 at 11:02 PM

GS

Wanda was indeed a special woman... Praying for everyone that knew her...

G Stone - March 11, 2016 at 11:04 PM

BW

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Bob West - March 11, 2016 at 08:54 PM

BW

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Bob West - March 11, 2016 at 08:47 PM

DC

“ *Marilla and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of Wanda Sue as well as all of you, and wish I knew the words to comfort each of you during this trying time. Rocky, what a lucky man you are to have shared these past years with such a wonderful woman. Her kindness and acceptance of all whom she touched will surely live on. Dea Calvert*

Dea Calvert - March 11, 2016 at 07:47 PM

MW

“ *My sincere condolences to the family. I met Wanda when I first started pursuing my radiology degree in 1993. Being a Veteran, she hired me as a tech/student radiographer in her department at the VA. She gave me an advantage for getting my degree, provided me with valuable experiences, and ALWAYS treated me with the utmost respect and fairness. Wanda definitely made a difference in my life and who I've become. God Bless.*

Mark Westbrook - March 11, 2016 at 07:30 PM

MF

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Margie Fields - March 11, 2016 at 01:19 PM

JB

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Jamie Gilder Bayley - March 11, 2016 at 10:44 AM

JB

“ *Jamie Gilder Bayley lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail*



Jamie Gilder Bayley - March 11, 2016 at 10:39 AM

JB

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Jamie Gilder Bayley - March 11, 2016 at 10:38 AM

MT

“ *Mary Brown Tholen sent a virtual gift in memory of Wanda Sue Nail*



Mary Brown Tholen - March 11, 2016 at 07:42 AM

JD

“ *Wanda was a lovely kind woman who will be missed. Prayers for peace to Rocky and family.*
Jill and Chris Dakin

jill dakin - March 10, 2016 at 06:11 PM

CS

“ *Cynt Simon lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail*



Cynt Simon - March 10, 2016 at 03:18 PM

CS

Please accept my deepest condolences for your loss. Wanda was a wonderful and beautiful woman, full of goodness inside and out. She will truly be missed.

Cynt Simon - March 10, 2016 at 03:23 PM

LJ

I met Wanda at a campout in Claremore two years ago, she was a very sweet lady.

Linda Johnson - March 10, 2016 at 06:12 PM

SG

“ *Sharon Gainey lit a candle in memory of Wanda Sue Nail*



Sharon Gainey - March 10, 2016 at 03:17 PM