



Zereta Lois Travis Thompson

February 26, 1939 - September 26, 2024

Zereta Lois Travis Thompson, 85, a lifetime resident of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed from this life on Thursday, September 26, 2024. She was born February 26, 1939, in Muskogee to Walter Jefferson and Florence Beatrice (Rowbottam) Adams.

Zereta graduated from Warner High School in 1957 and received her bachelor's degree in accounting from NSU in 1971.

She was married to Jack Travis for 33 years and James Thompson for 15 years.

One of her greatest loves was spending time with her grandchildren and supporting them by attending as many of their activities as possible. She also enjoyed bowling with her sisters and for years participated in local and national tournaments. After she retired, she traveled extensively with her husband, Jim, in a travel trailer and ultimately visited all 50 states.

Zereta's passing will leave a void in the many lives she touched.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Walter and Florence Adams; husband, Jack Travis and James Thompson; siblings, Charlie Adams, Linley Adams, Doyle Adams, Adaina Riley, Pete Adams, and Harold Adams.

Zereta is survived by her sons, Jack Travis Jr. (Maria), and Dirk Travis; grandchildren, Mitchell Furr, Deborah Carter, David Travis, Waylon Travis, NeCole Travis, Cole Travis, Shana Travis, and Miles Travis; six great-grandchildren, siblings, Wanda Lingle and Ina Nogalski; sisters-in-law, Pat Adams and Faye Adams; along with many other family members and friends.

The family would like to express a very special "Thank you" to her caretakers: Sheila Shanks, Jennifer Callie, Valarie Baird, NeCole Travis, Larissa Beebe, Tarra Carter, Shawnee Livers, and Sara Groover.

Funeral services for Zereta will be at 10AM, Monday, October 7, 2024, at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Mr. Tony Blumenberg officiating. Interment will follow at Tahlequah Cemetery with Tom Adams, Mitchell Furr, David Travis, Waylon Travis, Cole Travis, and Miles Travis serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be Colton Dillon, Jaxson Furr, and Logan Dardar.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests a donation be made to the Oklahoma ALS Association in Zereta's memory.

Cemetery Details

Tahlequah City Cemetery

1251 West Fox Street
Tahlequah, OK 74464

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

OCT 6. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Service

OCT 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brooklyn dardar lit a candle in memory of Zereta Travis Thompson* ”



Brooklyn dardar - March 20, 2025 at 01:53 PM



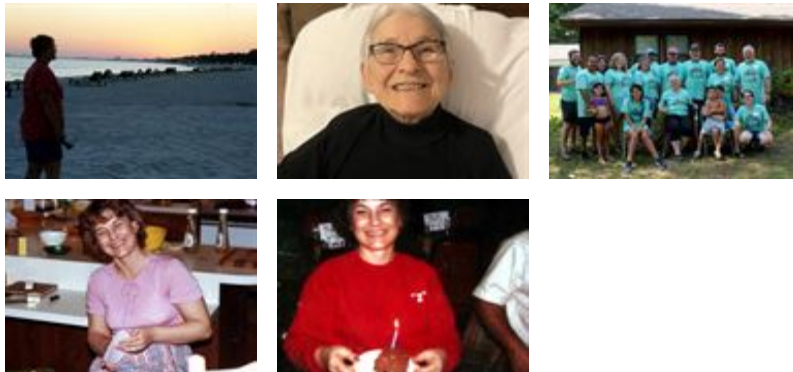
“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Zereta Lois Travis Thompson.* ”



October 03, 2024 at 06:52 PM



“ *81 files added to the album LifeTributes* ”



Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - October 03, 2024 at 03:03 PM

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“ Alex & Jalissa Lauderdale planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zereta Lois Travis Thompson.

Alex & Jalissa Lauderdale - October 02, 2024 at 09:46 PM

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“ Alex & Jalissa Lauderdale purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Zereta Lois Travis Thompson.



Alex & Jalissa Lauderdale - October 02, 2024 at 09:46 PM

WS

“ Zereta was a beautiful woman inside and out. I worked for Zereta when I was attending Connor's State college and could not make up my mind as what to major in. She helped me make that decision. I received my Associates and Bachelors degrees in Business and Accounting. She would have me come to here office when she worked as James Leake's accountant and let me shadow her working. Rest in PEACE Zereta!!!

Wendy Scott - October 02, 2024 at 12:47 PM

SB

Larry and I were privileged to know both Zereta and Jim as part of the small group we led many years ago. They were both a joy to know! Larry was with them when Jim passed over into Heaven. We have been unable to see Zereta much since that time but have always felt her warmth and love. She was a beautiful, godly woman, and her presence will be missed! We are thankful to know she is with Jesus forever.

Sandra Beattie - October 02, 2024 at 04:30 PM