



Donna Jean Clarkson

April 15, 1939 - March 13, 2025

Donna Jean (Stumbo) Clarkson, age 85, passed to her heavenly home on Thursday, March 13, 2025 in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Donna was born April 15, 1939 to Michael and Violet Stumbo in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

She grew up in Dawson Township in Tulsa County with her mother and stepfather, Spencer "Bud" Hunt, and younger sister Sandra. She attended Cherokee Elementary and Jr. High, where she was crowned Jr. High's Indian Princess. She graduated from Central High school in 1957.

Donna was united in marriage to Richard Clarkson Jr. on June 22, 1956. They were blessed with two children; daughter Robin, and son Russell. In addition to being a homemaker, Donna worked part time as a florist at Flowers by Sally Ann and also earned a cosmetology degree.

Donna enjoyed square dancing, family vacations, bunco, cooking, and attending craft shows. She was a very talented painter and was a member of the Tulsa Town Toler. Donna's true passion was reading. She was baptized at the age of 8 in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Community of Christ), where she remained an active member throughout her life.

For Donna, family was her greatest joy. Donna was a very involved grandmother and loved her grandchildren dearly. She was always helping with school projects, spending time in the playhouse, or being a listening ear. She had three grandchildren, Blake, Brooke, and Christopher, as well as two great-grandchildren, Blakely and Parker.

Donna is survived by her daughter Robin Buchman, son Russell (Florence) Clarkson, granddaughter Brooke (Josiah) Lund, grandson Christopher Clarkson, great-grandchildren Blakely and Parker; Sister Sandra MacKool; Niece Amber MacKool (David Dowland), Niece Teresa McGinnis, Nephew Sean MacKool and numerous other loving family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Richard Clarkson Jr., son-in-law Steve Buchman, and grandson Blake Buchman.

To honor Donna, a celebration of life will be held on Thursday, March 20, at 10:00 a.m. at Hayhurst Funeral Home in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Donna will be laid to rest at Floral Haven Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, March 19 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. The family will greet visitors from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Little Light House.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 19. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
1660 South Elm Place
Broken Arrow, OK 74012
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Visitation

MAR 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

MAR 20. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

MAR **20**. 11:30 AM (CT)

Floral Haven Memorial Gardens
6500 S. 129th E. Ave.
Tulsa, OK 74012
(918) 252-2518

Tribute Wall



“ Hayhurst Funeral Home created a Funeral Service in memory of Donna Jean Clarkson



Hayhurst Funeral Home - March 20, 2025 at 03:01 PM

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“ Donna and Richard were the perfect neighbors. I will miss them so much. I looked out for Donna because I knew Richard would have looked out for me had John died. I pray that they both are in God's loving hands together. May they rest in peace.

Debbie Phillips - March 21, 2025 at 12:53 PM

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“ Robin and family so sorry for your loss !She was a wonderful lady !

Debbie Egnor - March 20, 2025 at 10:32 AM

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“ Ashley Sebree Rush & Shelby Moses purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donna Jean Clarkson.



Ashley Sebree Rush & Shelby Moses - March 19, 2025 at 03:58 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Donna Jean Clarkson.*



March 19, 2025 at 10:25 AM



“ *Robin, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Your Mom was so sweet, and the key to you and your Mother being such wonderful friends to Tawna, and our family.*

Marcella Pense

Marcella Pense - March 19, 2025 at 02:50 AM



I will always remember Donna and the fun times staying at her house, during the summers of my childhood. I hope her and my mom are having a grand ole time in Heaven. Thinking of you and Rusty during this difficult time.

vicki Henderson Klucking - March 25, 2025 at 12:48 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Photos*



Hayhurst Funeral Home - March 17, 2025 at 12:01 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donna Jean Clarkson.*



March 17, 2025 at 10:06 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Donna Clarkson.

March 17, 2025 at 10:06 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Donna Jean Clarkson.*



March 15, 2025 at 10:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Donna Clarkson.

March 15, 2025 at 10:48 PM



“ *Richard and Billie Wade purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Donna Jean Clarkson.*



Richard and Billie Wade - March 15, 2025 at 06:42 PM

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“ It is our honor and privilege to serve the Clarkson family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Donna.



Hayhurst Funeral Home - March 15, 2025 at 11:21 AM