Joy Lea McLaughlin

December 27, 1927 - July 11, 2016

Services for Joy McLaughlin have been scheduled for 2:00 PM, Friday, July 15, 2016 at Memorial Park Cemetery Chapel in Tulsa, Oklahoma under the direction of Hayhurst Funeral Home. Rev. Warren “Dan” Haase will officiate. Friends may visit Hayhurst Funeral Home in Broken Arrow for viewing on Thursday from 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM and Friday from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

Joy Lea McLaughlin was born on Tuesday, December 27, 1927 in Shawnee, Oklahoma the daughter of Carl and Martha (Blevins) Reid. Joy died on Monday, July 11, 2016 in Broken Arrow surrounded by her family.

Joy was a 1945 graduate of Cushing High School and went on to attend Draughon School of Business in Tulsa. She worked as a finance and accounting clerk for the Army Corps of Engineers in Tulsa. Joy was married to Sterling McLaughlin and they were blessed with three children. She cherished spending time with her family, especially their trips to New Mexico. Joy was a member of New Bethel Assembly of God Church in Broken Arrow. She enjoyed making crafts and floral arrangements and decorating for holidays and events at her church and the Broken Arrow Senior Center.

Memorials in honor of Joy’s grandson, Joshua Bougie, may be made to The Little Light House https://www.classy.org/joshuab2016 or mailed to 120 E.

36th St., Tulsa, OK 74135.

Joy is survived by,

Children, Stan and wife Jayme McLaughlin, Norman, OK
Steve and wife Brenda McLaughlin, Barnsdall, OK
Jill and husband Larry Bougie, Broken Arrow, OK

Grandchildren, Rachael Swanson, Jennifer and husband Greg Sutherland, Mike and wife Ryan McLaughlin, Kirsten and husband Justin Howell, Justin and wife Katy McLaughlin, Drew and wife Liz McLaughlin, Bryce Smith, Caleb Bougie, Joshua Bougie

Great Grandchildren, Amanda Hall, Karl Swanson, Britton and Gracelyn Howell, Markie and Audrie McLaughlin, Ema Lee, Sam, and Gabe Jones, Scott and Aimee Sutherland, Connor, Henry, Lucy Belle, Andrew Jr., Matthew and Molly McLaughlin

Great Great Grandson, Joshua Hall

Sister-in-law, Lucy Robinson, Stillwater, OK

Niece, Deb Graves, other nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Joy was preceded in death by her parents, former husband, sister Joyce Graves, and great granddaughter Ellie Kate McLaughlin.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

5111 S. Memorial Dr.
Tulsa, OK 74145
(918) 627-0220
http://memorialparktulsa.com

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL **14**. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home
1660 South Elm Place
Broken Arrow, OK 74012
(918) 258-9623
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Funeral Service

JUL **15**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

Joy Lea McLaughlin

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM

TM

Mama Joy, the things I remember about you are your being ornery, funny and full of joy. You always had me laughing. It cracked me up seeing you flirt with the male nurse in the hospital. He was a cutie and you made him blush. Thank you for letting me come over to your house for sleepovers when Jill and I were in JH and HS. Jill got kind of loud when I was there, while I tried to quietly make her stop tickling me. Ahem. You put up with a lot but always had your Jesus joy. See you later Mama Joy! I love you! Tosha

Tosha McDugle - July 18, 2016 at 06:56 PM

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Hayhurst Funeral Home - July 18, 2016 at 01:03 PM

JB

Some memories I have about my mom: I was grounded one time in grade school, and my best friend from out of state came into town and mom let me defer my grounding time in order to spend the day with her. That was the last time I ever saw my friend. Mom was big on nuturing friendships over the years and I thought that she showed great compassion for me that day.

My mom and I were a lot alike which caused some friction between us over the years. But I always knew that she loved me uncondtionally and with all her heart. She never gave up on me during tough times and was my best friend in the later years.

I consider it an honor to be her daughter first and caretaker in her later years. I loved her deeply and will miss her like crazy. I will miss our daily private conversations and her uplifting cheers that kept me going.

I know you are where you have wanted to be for a long time and this time I am glad to be able to let you go into the arms of Jesus so he can love on you now.

Thank you for the Christian life that you lived that showed all your children the right path to take in life. You truly have a legacy to be proud of and we will each honor your life in our own way throughout the years to come

Jill Bougie - July 16, 2016 at 11:14 AM

JM

Joy always greeted Stan with a huge smile and would say, "HI honey." Her eyes lit up and she was so happy to see her baby boy.

Jayme McLaughlin - July 13, 2016 at 03:47 PM

I rmember mom was always in a good mood. I think her best quality was that how she made you feel. When she saw me, or anyone, she would give them a full-faced smile that said I am glad to see you! I will always remember her smile!

There was never a doubt about her faith. She was always talking about a Christian show that she had just watched and how it impacted her.

And, I never got tired of watching her hug and kiss my kids and grandkids! Mom, I miss seeing your face, but will always have our memories together!

Stan Mclaughlin - July 13, 2016 at 02:47 PM

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It is our honor and privilege to serve the McLaughlin family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Joy McLaughlin

Hayhurst Funeral Home - July 12, 2016 at 11:56 AM