



Patricia D. Turner

June 21, 1950 - September 28, 2016

A celebration of the life of Patricia Darlene Turner will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, October 1, 2016 at Elmore City Cemetery. Patricia passed away on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 at the age of 66.

Patricia was born on June 21, 1950 in Hutchison, Kansas to Willis and Betty (Morris) Pitts. She graduated from high school in Buhler, Kansas and went on to earn a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education and a Master's degree in Reading. Patricia was only 9 hours away from completing her doctorate degree. Patricia was an elementary and special education teacher at Wilburton schools. She loved children and she was an excellent teacher.

On July 3, 1968 Patricia married Wiley Turner in a Gainesville, Texas wedding ceremony. Their union was blessed with three children and endured more than 48 years. Patricia was a wonderful wife, mother and grandmother. She adored her family and loved spending time with them.

Patricia work with children and in education didn't stop at the classroom door. She also helped with 74 international students, volunteered at the library, and helped write the certification updates for state teachers. Patricia also helped write a Special Education text book and was a member of National Education Association and the Oklahoma Education Association. In her free time, Patricia enjoyed quilting and crafting treasured keepsakes for her family. She

also loved reading murder mysteries.

Memorials to reflect Patricia's love of reading and education may be made to your local library.

Patricia is survived by,

Husband, Wiley Turner, Talihina, OK

Children, Rodney Turner and wife Stacie, Broken Arrow, OK

Shari Newcomb, McAlester, OK

Grandchildren, Alyx Turner, Jessica Perkins, Jon and Lenea Newcomb,

Kendal Newcomb

Sisters, Janine Hynson, Excelsior Spring, MO

Joyce Welch, Temple, TX

Debbie Corral, Hutchinson, KS

Brothers, Bill Pitts, Hutchinson, KS

Tom Pitts, Hutchinson, KS

Sam Pitts, Hutchinson, KS

Jason Pitts, Hutchinson, KS

Patricia was preceded in death by her parents and son Jeremy Don Turner.

Cemetery Details

Elmore City Cemetery

Hwy 29 & North County Rd. 3130
Elmore City, OK 73433

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia D. Turner*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



September 30, 2016 at 11:32 AM



“ *With deepest sympathy, Billye and Jeff Beach purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



With deepest sympathy, Billye and Jeff Beach - September 30, 2016 at 10:56 AM



“ *Sincerely, Mike and Julie Fraley purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



Sincerely, Mike and Julie Fraley - September 30, 2016 at 08:39 AM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



September 29, 2016 at 07:04 PM



“ *My family would like to send sincere condolences to the Turner family for the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and hope from the bible promise at Isaiah 25:8. Pray constantly avoid isolation and lean on God as we cope during this most difficult time.*

Richardson Family - September 29, 2016 at 06:37 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



September 29, 2016 at 05:44 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Patricia D. Turner.*



September 29, 2016 at 03:19 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Patricia D. Turner.* ”



September 29, 2016 at 02:48 PM



“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Turner family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Patricia Turner.* ”



Hayhurst Funeral Home - September 28, 2016 at 04:20 PM



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Stacie Turner - September 28, 2016 at 12:27 PM