



## Susan Hanes

February 19, 1957 - January 1, 2023

Susan Annette (Lawrence) Hanes was born on Tuesday, February 19, 1957, Tulsa, Oklahoma, the daughter of Glen Arthur and Carolyn Annette (Stumpff) Lawrence. She passed this life on Sunday, January 1, 2023 at St. Francis Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She was 65 years of age.

Susan was a 1975 graduate of Will Rogers High School in Tulsa. She received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Resources from East Central University in Ada, Oklahoma with the class of 1980. Susan was married to Stephen Wayne Hanes on September 8, 1989 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She was employed with Oral Roberts University as a Benefits Specialist before retiring.

According to her husband, Steve, "Susie had such a great love of life. What made her joy even more so, was the people she loved. Susie also had a heart for giving, whether it was to some missionaries overseas, or someone in need. Susie had the best laugh I ever heard. And many people especially enjoyed the way she would say Aaammmeennnn. Two of her greatest joys were her two sons, Joshua and Jonathan. I always told my wife that she was such an awesome mom, that I wished I were one of her sons. We'd always have a laugh over that.

Susie was one of those who was a stickler when it came to good grammar.

Trust me, I was always being corrected, but we loved every second of it. I can't help but remember a time when the Dallas Cowboys had won the Super Bowl. I said to my wife, "how 'bout them cowboys?" She corrected me by saying, no, it's how about those Cowboys? It wasn't 10 seconds later that the sports channel we had on, displayed in bold text on the screen that said, how 'bout them Cowboys? I said Susie, look. After she read it she said I don't care, it's still, how about those Cowboys? We had the best laugh over it.

Susie was a woman of strong faith and heartfelt prayers. Sometimes, early in the morning, she would wake me up, because I could hear her pray. I always felt secure around my wife because I knew the Lord heard her prayers. She always tried to have more healthy meals than unhealthy. I believe that was passed on to her by her mother, whom she loved dearly. She would stay active by taking a walk and also by walking her dog. Susie loved to read the Holy Bible. That was one of her greatest loves.

Another one of her great loves was having a YouTube Ministry Channel. She would be the one to answer most of the comments. She got to meet a lot of people there.

Susie and I had our ups and downs, but the love between us was awesome. I always called her my Susie, and many times I called her my Susie Sweetheart. I loved my wife more than my next breath, and she loved me the exact same way.

I sorely miss my Susie Sweetheart, but a smile came over my face when I had the thought that the next time I see her, she'll be wearing white—brilliant white. And I know that will be a day of great rejoicing. I love you Susie!"

She is survived by,

Her Husband, Stephen Hanes

Sons, Joshua and wife Danielle Hanes, Broken Arrow, OK  
Jonathan and wife Grecia Hanes, Collinsville, OK

Step Daughter, Becca and husband Eric Sharp,

Grandchildren, Damian Hanes and Destiny Sharp

Mother, Carolyn Lawrence

Sisters, Leanne Ball  
Sally Miller

Brother, Larry Lawrence

Nieces, Kayla Miller  
Carolyn Sitter

and Nephews, Larry Lahmeyer  
Winston Ball  
Tristan Ball

Susan was preceded in death by, her father, Glen Arthur Lawrence and a  
Brother, Scott Charles Lawrence.

Donations may be made in Susan's name at <https://gofund.me/b9637d5a>

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart,  
and lean not on your own understanding;  
In all your ways acknowledge Him,

and He shall direct your Paths."

Proverbs 3:5-6

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home  
1660 South Elm Place  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012  
(918) 258-9623  
[hayhurstfuneralhome@gmail.com](mailto:hayhurstfuneralhome@gmail.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Hayhurst Funeral Home created a Funeral Service in memory of Susan Hanes*



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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - January 10, 2023 at 04:44 PM



“ *Susan Hanes*

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October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *I met Susan on the campus of East Central University in Ada, OK. She started a study in the book of John and thru that study, I met the Lord Jesus Christ and repented of my many sins and surrendered my life in a big way to Him. We attended Abundant Life Tabernacle together as sisters in Christ. Later, I was so thrilled to find her again on Facebook and we connected there. I got to thank her for bringing me to salvation. May God comfort all who knew her.*

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**Betsy Bowers Aldridge** - September 13, 2023 at 09:24 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Pictorial Video Tribute



Hayhurst Funeral Home - January 06, 2023 at 02:57 PM



*She will be missed, I even cried because she has had an impact in my life, you are in my thoughts and prayers, I feel like we're family, love in christ wesley phillips*

Wesley Phillips - January 08, 2023 at 06:01 PM



*Thank-you for what you do*

Wesley Phillips - January 08, 2023 at 06:03 PM



*I'm so sad 😭 and miss Susie's beautiful smile already. God loves her with an everlasting love now and forever. If I didn't know the Lord I would be lost. Pastor Steve, my deepest condolences and keep doing the Lords work. Amen and Maranatha ❤️*

Nella Maiorana - January 08, 2023 at 10:26 PM



*I only just found you guys, thought how beautiful Susie was, + seemed to have a gentle yet strong spirit, cant believe she has passed. I've just seen her large as life. Seek in Yeshua even more earnestly Steve + family, He is all you need, let Him comfort + embrace you all*

Mary - Ellen Anderson - January 10, 2023 at 01:39 AM



*My love and condolences to family. God Be with you and comfort you until you reunite again with Susan in the glorious kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!*

Robin Gustaveson - January 18, 2023 at 12:33 AM

SH

“ SHIRLEY lit a candle in memory of Susan Hanes



SHIRLEY - January 06, 2023 at 01:41 PM

SH

*My heartfelt sympathy goes out to the Hanes Family...Such a wonderful and encouraging channel that points us all to Jesus Christ..I pray that Jesus Christ provides the Hanes family with love,peace and strength during this difficult time. I am so excited see her in heaven soon.. Sister Shirley (Born Again Believer in Jesus Christ )..*

SHIRLEY - January 06, 2023 at 01:47 PM

JT

“ I really enjoy the Hanes ministry YouTube channel. Will miss Susie saying, Hi Family. We will all see her soon. She was a blessing. My condolence to Steve and sons. Please continue to bless us with your ministry.

june talley - January 06, 2023 at 12:36 PM

SF

“ Remembering always Susans Precious smile and her Love for the Lord as she and Pastor Steve shared videos and demonstrated the Lord's Love and Encouragement to all who embraced God's Goodness.Thank-you Susan. We will miss you but will see you again. 🌹



Sherry Futrell - January 06, 2023 at 11:20 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.* ”



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January 05, 2023 at 05:04 PM



“ *Terry, Bennie, Becky, & Dottie purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Susan Hanes.* ”



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**Terry, Bennie, Becky, & Dottie** - January 05, 2023 at 01:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.* ”



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January 05, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.* ”



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January 05, 2023 at 10:23 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 05, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *My heart goes out to Steve and the family of Susie. I remember the day I found your ministry on YouTube. I truly believe Father God brought all these brothers and sisters in Christ together to love and encourage in these last days. So many from many YouTube channels have united and come to know one another, even tho we have never met in person, I still love you as a family should! I look forward to being together for eternity praising our Lord and Savior, worshiping, laughing, and serving. Rest in pease sister. God comfort my brother and his family. Come Lord Jesus Come.*

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**lee anne Omavuohrerhe** - January 05, 2023 at 10:06 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 05, 2023 at 10:00 AM

BR

“ Brandon purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Susan Hanes.



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**Brandon** - January 05, 2023 at 09:42 AM

KP

“ A recall a story Steve told online, how when they met all he had was a box, and how she took him in. How they loved each other all those years. This is only a temporary separation. *MARANATHA* 🌈💕💕



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**Kim Petree** - January 05, 2023 at 09:33 AM

NE

“ Nicole Evangelista lit a candle in memory of Susan Hanes



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**Nicole Evangelista** - January 05, 2023 at 09:28 AM

JR

“ Jeff & Kim Radel lit a candle in memory of Susan Hanes



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**Jeff & Kim Radel** - January 05, 2023 at 06:52 AM

KB

“ My condolences to the family. The Lord lead me to this channel About a year ago thank you lord. It's has been such an encouraging time for me. I loved all the Hanes videos but the most one of all was Susan talking about the Angels. She loved the lord I know she smiling now. She will missed but we will be joining her soon. Praying for the family that God gives peace of understanding in Jesus name amen 🙏 love you family ❤️ 🗳️ 🙏 🙏 🎺 ✈️

kisha Bussell - January 05, 2023 at 06:02 AM

KB

*Be missed... sorry*

kisha Bussell - January 05, 2023 at 06:05 AM

AN

*My condolences to the family. What a beautiful lady and what an example you both were watching together for Jesus and encouraging all of us who are your Hanes Ministry channel family. We will keep watching together and waiting for our blessed hope . We know God has a reason for calling her home as He did. I look forward to meeting her in heaven. What a sweet soul.*

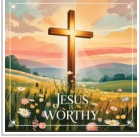
Andreablessedhope - January 06, 2023 at 01:40 PM

JR

“ Judith Rohner sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan Hanes



Judith Rohner - January 05, 2023 at 03:09 AM



“ When I was at my worst this beautiful couple helped me by sharing their love, support, hope and grace that only comes from God. I thank God for helping me when I came across their ministry that truly is a blessing. I can't believe that just..... dear Susan Hanes is not with us, and I say it with the most respect to Pastor Steve and family. But may our comfort be that she is now in the presence of our God. For Pastor Steve and the Hanes family, Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13  
With all respect, Judy Villa

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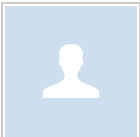
**Judith Villa** - January 05, 2023 at 01:49 AM

BV

“ *"Jesus Wept" - one of the shortest verses in the Bible - reminds us that Jesus knows and feels our hurt and pain in the loss of loved ones. May the Lord comfort and bless all of Susie's loved ones. May the many seeds Susie planted bear much fruit for The Father's glory. In Jesus Name.*

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**Brother Victor** - January 04, 2023 at 11:57 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 04, 2023 at 10:05 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 04, 2023 at 06:28 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 04, 2023 at 02:50 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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January 04, 2023 at 02:45 PM



“ *WATCHWOMAN65, LISA BOYCE purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Susan Hanes.*



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**WATCHWOMAN65, LISA BOYCE** - January 04, 2023 at 12:41 PM

DP

“ We loved that laugh too! Only our Susie had that precious laugh reflecting the joy in her soul! Her eyes, heart, and life were filled with the light and love of her Lord. Steve’s and her prayers which saw us through some very dark times, and their always sure Word from Scripture, came from their strong faith and love for God, His Word, and His people. Our great grief at losing her is starting to give way to a sense of the joy in heaven for, and with, Susie! We love you Steve and Susie. We thank God for you both, even as we share tears with you Steve and family of pain and joy.

“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. 2 In My Father’s house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. 4 And where I go you know, and the way you know.” John 14:1-4, NKJV. AMEN.

*Gary and Debbie Pearcy*

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**Debbie Pearcy** - January 03, 2023 at 10:22 PM

WB

“ Susan Hanes blessed my life. She and Stephen attended the church I pastored for several years. When I think of Susan, I think of my very favorite phrase in scripture from Ephesians 1:6 ' . . . you are accepted in the beloved.' Sue gave me that acceptance, love, and belief as she gave all who were in her life. Heaven will be brighter with Susan as we miss her dearly.

*Pastor Bill Burgess*

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**William Burgess** - January 03, 2023 at 09:20 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.



January 03, 2023 at 01:50 PM



“ *Dear Susan, as you sit at the Lord’s banquet table, “Go, eat your bread with joy, And drink your wine with a merry heart; For God has already accepted your works.” (Ecclesiastes 9:7) Celebrate Jesus as you dance with Miriam and David, and all the saints and heaven’s hosts! Blessings, dear friend! We look forward to seeing you in heaven. Karen & Leeman Adams*

**Karen Adam** - January 03, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Susan Hanes.



January 03, 2023 at 12:58 PM



“ *Karen & Leeman Adams purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet* for the family of Susan Hanes.



**Karen & Leeman Adams** - January 03, 2023 at 12:51 PM



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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - January 02, 2023 at 02:33 PM

SB

*Susie was a light to me and shared the hope of glory through the precious blood of Jesus Christ.*

*Now my sweet sister is there and dancing with our beloved Jesus who she longed to be with!! We will see you soon in those clouds of Glory, and what a beautiful day that will be*

*“Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.”*

*Hebrews 12:1-2 NKJV*

*We will see you soon Susie!!*

*We love you and thank you for being a light in this world!*

*❤️ Marc and Shelly Becvar*

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**shelly Becvar** - January 03, 2023 at 01:56 PM

MC

*Prayers being sent for comfort over the loss of dear Susan, so glad to have found your channel it is such a blessing to me. God bless and keep you all dear Hanes family. Margo Czajkowski.*

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**Margo Czajkowski** - January 05, 2023 at 10:55 AM



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



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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - January 02, 2023 at 11:04 AM