



## Sylvia Birchfield Cress

August 13, 1921 - July 1, 2016

A Funeral Service for Sylvia Lorene Birchfield Cress has been scheduled for 2:00 PM, Friday, July 8th, 2016 at Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Pastor Michael Goldsmith will officiate.

Sylvia Lorene Birchfield Cress, loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great great-grandmother, and friend went to be with her Lord on Friday, July 1, 2016 in Verdigris, Oklahoma. She was 94 years of age.

Sylvia was born on Saturday, August 13, 1921 in Logan County, Arkansas to her parents George Barry Davis and Lora Brown Davis. She lived in the states of Arkansas, Oregon, and Colorado prior to moving to Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Sylvia was the 6th of 8 children and married her husband of 44 years, William Adam Birchfield, on March 21, 1940. Sylvia was widowed on August 20, 1984. In 1989, she married Dudley William Cress and was widowed on April 21, 1997.

Sylvia loved her family, friends, the Lord, the Word, and gospel music. She enjoyed sewing and cooking. She loved taking her grandchildren to church. She was a devoted member of Woodland Park Assembly of God, Glad Tidings Assembly of God, Hope Worship Center, and Garnett Assembly of God Churches.

Special thanks to the staffs of Sand Plum Assisted Living in Bixby, Oklahoma and Seasons Hospice for your kindness and care of our mother and grandmother.

Sylvia is survived by,

Son, Billy Gene Birchfield and his wife Carrie, Salina, OK

Daughters, Loretta Sue Cole, Broken Arrow, OK

Marilyn Kay Anderson and husband Robert, Verdigris, OK

Grandsons, Greg Cole, Guam

Timmy Birchfield, Bixby, OK

Tony Birchfield, Broken Arrow, OK

Granddaughters, Billie Jean Birchfield, Broken Arrow, OK

Kim Worthington and husband Bret, Bixby, OK

Gwen Baer and husband Robin, Verdigris, OK

Kandy Collins and husband Tommy, Verdigris, OK

10 Great-Grandchildren and numerous Great Great-Grandchildren.

Sylvia was preceded in death by her parents, Lora and George Davis, 7 siblings and her husbands, Bill Birchfield and Dudley Cress.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JUL 6. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

JUL 7. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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## Visitation

JUL 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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JUL 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sylvia Birchfield Cress*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Miss Sylvia and I were friends for 25+ years. Many thought she was a "grandmother" figure to me. No. She was my friend. We could laugh together. Shop together. Cry together. Pray together. I know she is rejoicing today. And I pray that comforts the family*

**Chardale** - July 07, 2016 at 06:47 PM



“ *Wilburn, Masterson & Fleury purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Sylvia Birchfield Cress.*



**Wilburn, Masterson & Fleury** - July 07, 2016 at 05:28 PM



“ *Ralph, Yonda, and Dustin Bailey - Glen McGuire purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sylvia Birchfield Cress.*



**Ralph, Yonda, and Dustin Bailey - Glen McGuire** - July 07, 2016 at 11:27 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sylvia Birchfield Cress.*



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July 06, 2016 at 04:45 PM



“ *A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Sylvia Birchfield Cress.*



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July 04, 2016 at 10:51 AM



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**Gwen Baer** - July 02, 2016 at 04:20 PM



“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Birchfield and Cress families and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Sylvia Birchfield Cress.*

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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - July 02, 2016 at 02:46 PM