



Okla Marie Stewart

December 15, 1912 - May 21, 2009

Okla Marie Stewart, age 96, of Bolivar, Missouri passed away at 1:15pm, Thursday, May 21, 2009 at Citizens Memorial Healthcare Facility in Bolivar, Missouri after a long illness.

She was born December 15, 1912 in Polk, Missouri to Lon C. Hawkins and Myrtle Whaley Hawkins.

Okla married Oles C. Stewart on February 17, 1928 in Polk, Missouri. She was a wonderful homemaker and enjoyed quilting whenever possible. She loved her family and enjoyed them whenever they would come to see her.

She was a member of the Halfway Missionary Baptist Church in Halfway, Missouri.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Oles C. Stewart on July 8, 1995, two brothers, Eldon Hawkins, Cleo Hawkins, and two grandsons, Dale Stewart and Wendell Stewart.

Okla is survived by her son, Estal Stewart and his wife Bonnie of Bolivar, Missouri, three daughters, Imogene Morris of Brighton, Missouri, Nadean Ashlock and her husband Derrell of Bolivar, Missouri, Shirley Brown of Dunnegan, Missouri, 9 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and 6 great

great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00pm, Sunday, May 24, 2009 at the Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar, Missouri with Bro. Ron Erven officiating. The obituary will be read by Chuck Brown and a poem will be read by Kristen Ashlock. Musical selections will be Amazing Grace, Praise God Hes Still Living and I Know Who Holds Tomorrow by Dan McKnight and Andrew McKnight. Pallbearers will be Kenneth Ashlock, Wayne Ashlock, Lendell Stewart, Leslie Morris, Chuck Brown and Jason Doke. Burial will follow at Crestview Memorial Gardens in Bolivar under the care and direction of the Butler Funeral Home of Bolivar. Visitation will be from 6-7pm, Saturday evening, May 23, 2009 at Funeral Home.

The family suggests contributions to the Citizens Memorial Hospice Program, 1500 N. Oakland Avenue, Bolivar, Missouri 65613.

Friends and family may sign the guest book or send private condolences at www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Tribute Wall



“ *Okla Marie Stewart*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Okla Marie Stewart*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of your loss. I have happy memories of visiting her house with Kahlie. She was always happy to see us and fun to visit.*

Carrie Kallenbach Gordon - May 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *The pain and grief of losing a loved one can be unbearable, but the hope that we have of seeing them again can bring us great joy. "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming when all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out..."(John 5:28,29). When this happens "No resident will say I am sick."(Isaiah 33:24) We can have complete confidence in God's promise because "God cannot lie."(Hebrews 6:18)*

Please accept my deep and sincere condolence in your loss.

Lynette Willis - May 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Okla was loved and admired by all who met her, including me. I will sincerely miss her and her sweet voice.*

Gary L. Gardner - May 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ My memories of Okla are very precious. She was a "second mother" to me in my youth. I especially remember on the morning that I was saved as how mom prayed on one side of me and Olka was praying on the other side. I know she is greatly missed and I send my sympathy to you all.

Richard Crain - May 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Okla was a joy to know. She was always thanking you for the most simple things you done for her. I will never forget her. I got to take care of her at cmhcf and spend the last hours with her. Okla go rest high on that mountain. Because your work here on earth is done and we dearly love you. To the family im sorry for you loss your mom, grandma, great grandma aunt etc, brought lots of joy to any of our lives that she touched. Thanks for sharing her with us...

Kim Thurman - May 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Our deepest sympathy.

Dannie & Mary Jane Hubbert - May 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Okla was one of the sweetest women I ever had the priveledge of knowing. She lived at Butterfield when I worked there and brightened my day any time I would see her. Her independence, even with her blindness, was amazing. She was one of a kind and I will always hold her sweet spirit as a jewel in my memory

Sarah Hatfield - May 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM