



## Doris Colleen Healan

November 2, 1924 - September 12, 2011

Funeral services for Doris Colleen Healan will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, September 16, 2011 at the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) with Rev. Ron Pingelton officiating. Interment will be in the Alva Municipal Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

Doris Colleen Healan, daughter of the late Cecil and Mary (Clark) Greenwood, was born November 2, 1924, at Byron, Oklahoma, and passed away September 12, 2011, at Enid, Oklahoma, at the age of 86 years, 10 months, and 10 days.

Doris graduated from Byron High School. During World War II she worked as a riveter on the pressure cabins of B-29 Bombers. Doris tried out and made the All American Redheads which barnstormed across America. However, instead of the basketball team, she decided to marry Ray Edmond "Doc? Doctor on November 8, 1947. They lived several places while he worked as a seismologist for Shell Oil Company. In 1958, she completed Beauty College and worked as a hairdresser in Alva until her retirement. On September 24, 1994, she was united in marriage to Burnill Buford "Bud? Healan in Alva where they made their home.

Doris was a member of the Alva First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the Moose Lodge. She really enjoyed bowling and traveled to many state and national tournaments with her team. She loved attending the Ranger and the Goldbug basketball games and enjoyed watching the Oklahoma City Thunder. She also enjoyed sewing.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Doc; her husband, Bud; one daughter, Diana Sue Higginbotham; one brother, Jack Greenwood, and one sister, Coleta Hein.

Doris is survived by her son, Doug Doctor and wife, Sharon, of Alva; one brother, Jim Greenwood of Kiowa, Kansas; one sister, Norma Jean Short of Kiowa, Kansas; three grandchildren, Brooke Bow and husband, Wade, of Norman, Oklahoma, Rhett Bouziden and wife, Becky, of Ashland, Kansas, and Leslie Buchanan and husband, Randall, of Hays, Kansas; six great grandchildren, Caleb, Bethany, Eden and Sadie Bouziden of Ashland, Kansas, and Eli and Isabella Buchanan of Hayes, Kansas; other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to the Northwestern Ranger basketball teams or the Alva Goldbug basketball teams.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Colleen Healan*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *I have some fond memories of Aunt Doris. I wish I had more, I think we would have been good friends as well as relatives. Grandma (Betty Greenwood) really wanted to come down for the funeral, but was unable due to health concerns.*

**Brandy Lovell--Jack&s Granddaughter** - September 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *doug and family, i&ve known your mom for many years since doug and i grew up together, in alva when we were younger. doris would crack me up when she got on doug for something he had done he was a very ornery kid. doris loved her family and her basketball games along with her sewing and hairdressing. she was good at everything she did. raised 2 kids during really hard times. she was a great lady and i am so thankful i had the opportunity to know her in my lifetime. she and my dad would visit when dad was able to. she will be missed by her family and friends. i think she thought i was the 1 getting doug in trouble most of the time, but it wasn't me. may she rest in peace and rejoice with her family members that passed before her. your family are in my thoughts and my heart through this very difficult time kim and family*

**kim anderson** - September 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Doug & Sharon,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time.*

**David & Roberta Hein** - September 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Well what can I say? Doris was a wonderful person and always my mothers best friend ever. My moms name is Mary McKinney and during the war years they roomed together in Wichita and both worked at Boeing. My dad grew up in Alva and my mom in Capron. My dad&s name is Howard and mom, Doris and Doc were all very good friends. I&m very sorry to here about Doris and I&ll bet the 4 of them are having a good time in Heaven today. Mom met Doris playing basketball she played for Capron.  
Good Bless You All, Keith, Karla and Jake McKinney

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**Keith McKinney** - September 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ So sorry to hear about Doris, Our sympathy to the family. Wayne and Lois Guffy Byron, OK

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**Lois Guffy** - September 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I know that you all will miss her as will many other people. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Donnette Stauffer** - September 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ Dear Doug & family, I remember quite fondly your family and your mother when you lived across from us on Locust. She was always so nice to say hi. My thoughts & prayers are with all of you..

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**Ann (Reynolds) Jester** - September 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“Doris will be missed by many who knew and loved her. We will miss seeing her, on Sunday&s, drive up to church, with the top down on her little convertible. May special memories warm your hearts with comfort during this time, and days to come.

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**Dale & Vaughna Schmidt** - September 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LL

“I have many good memories of Doris. She made a Cinderella jacket for my granddaughter and she absolutely loved it. She also made many baby blankets for my grandchildren. She was such a thoughtful person. Sorry for your loss, but know her suffering is over. She had already decided she would not be able to go to basketball games this year, and that was such an important part of her life. We will miss her.

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**Lyn Lyon** - September 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM