



## Lorene V. Devery

July 1, 1911 - February 25, 2010

Funeral services for Lorene Virginia Devery will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, March 6, 2010, at Marshall Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Terry Martindale, pastor of the Alva First United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Sacred Heart Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

Lorene Virginia Devery, daughter of the late Benton Clint and Ora May (Goodhue) Carlton, was born July 1, 1911, at Lahoma, Oklahoma, and passed away February 25, 2010, at the age of 98 years, 7 months, and 24 days. Lorene attended grade school and high school in Lahoma. After graduating from high school in 1929 she attended Phillips University. She received a teaching certificate and taught several years in rural schools in Garfield County. On August 23, 1934, she was united in marriage to James Theodore Devery at Enid, Oklahoma.

In 1945 they moved to Alva where they founded, owned and operated Devery Implement Company where she worked for many years. After moving to Alva, Lorene graduated from Northwestern State College with a degree in Elementary Education. She taught at Waynoka and Enid. She also worked at the Alva City Library from 1970 to 1976.

Lorene was a member of the Alva First United Methodist Church, Chapter C of PEO, and Daughters of the American Revolution. She enjoyed playing bridge with the ladies.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Jim, on April

8, 1963; her daughter, Ruth Ann VanLandingham, on August 28, 1991, her son-in-law, Ted VanLandingham on August 4, 2000; her brother, Heyward Carlton; and an infant brother, Dale; and one sister, Dorothy Knapp.

Lorene is survived by three grandchildren, Mark VanLandingham and wife, Christal, of Edmond, Michael VanLandingham and wife, Kim, of Alva, and Susan Wagner and husband, Curt, of Edmond; twelve great grandchildren, Bentley, Nicholas, Devery, Saraben, and Chandler VanLandingham, Alaina and Abby Hurst, Jack, Ryan, and Luke Wagner; and Benjamin and Caden VanLandingham; her nephew, Tom Devery and wife, Phyllis, of Alva; other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to the Northwestern Oklahoma State University Foundation.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lorene V. Devery*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *I remember Lorene well, tho I last saw her in 1976. She was so sweet and kind to me when I was a child and my father (Boyd) worked for Devery Implement. She had a gentle caring soul and I&m sure will be missed by all who knew and loved her. My condolences to the family.*

**Diana Glasgow** - March 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so glad we had the pleasure of meeting your Grandmother, she was a wonderful woman, always so kind and considerate of others. She made us feel perfectly comfortable and welcome. I know you all will miss her dearly. Jesus bless each of you and give you strength, peace and comfort now and in the days to come. Tammy & Eric Wagner and family*

**Tammy & Eric Wagner** - March 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *I always enjoyed Mrs. Devery when she came in the restaurant "Beelers" to eat. I remember how she loved coconut cream pie. She was always kind and very pleasant to wait on. I know you will miss her. She was so spunky.*  
*Bill and Linda*

**Bill and Linda Beeler** - February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Vanlandingham Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren, it was a pleasure knowing your grandma/great-grandma. She always knew us anywhere she saw us. I (Roger) enjoyed working for Devery Impl. for 20 some years. Mrs. Devery was such a sweet, pleasant lady. She will be missed. Our prayers are with you for comfort during this sad time.

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**Roger & Sharon Miller** - February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ I always enjoyed visiting Aunt Lorene. She was one of the sweetest ladies I ever met. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Cindy Edwards Rice** - February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mike, Susan, and Mark: So sorry to hear about Grandma Devery, she was such a spunky little lady. She was so proud of all you kids and her great grand kids. We will pray for comfort for you and your families.

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**David, Rinda, Megan and Emilee** - February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Mrs. Devery will be missed by all saff and friends. We loved her.  
Jane Gaskill

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**Jane Gaskill** - February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM