



Retta Ann Woolley

January 5, 1917 - July 18, 2012

Graveside services for Retta Ann Woolley will be 1:00 p.m. Saturday, July 21, 2012, at the Waynoka Municipal Cemetery with Rev. Ken Higgins officiating. Interment is under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Waynoka, LLC. Retta Ann Woolley, daughter of the late Charlie and Mildred (Sweargin) Trammell, was born January 5, 1917, in Woods County, Oklahoma, and passed away July 18, 2012, at Waynoka, Oklahoma, at the age of 95 years, 6 months, and 13 days.

Retta attended rural schools near Waynoka. On December 22, 1934, she was united in marriage to Ralph Floyd Woolley at Waynoka, Oklahoma. She worked as a telephone operator during and after World War II. She then worked at the Waynoka School Cafeteria and Rexall Drug Store until her retirement in 1970.

She was a member of the Waynoka Church of God, the Waynoka Saddle Club, and the Waynoka Senior Citizens. She enjoyed dancing, collecting antique dishes, and spending time with her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph; four brothers, Robert, Roy, Lee, and Edsel Trammell; and four sisters, Rosa Lebow, Ruby Milledge, Viola Alexander, and her twin, Reta Snyder.

Retta is survived by two sons, Veldon Woolley of Waynoka; and Verlin Woolley and wife, Shirley, of Blanchard; three grandchildren, Rhonda Bridwell and husband, Frank, of Grapevine, Texas, Michelle Godeaux of Portland,

Oregon, and Kimberly Woolley of San Diego, California; two great grandchildren, Shelly Bridwell and Venita Godeaux; other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to Waynoka Church of God.

Tribute Wall



“ *Retta Ann Woolley*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *Dear Veldon, Verlin & Families, Long time, no see. This is your cousin, Rickie Trammell Greenwood. I want to tell you all how very sorry I am for your loss. Aunt Retta was a very special lady to me. Gary had met Aunt Retta & had been around her at several family reunions & he thought she was a lovely lady, too. I loved her very much & over the years was always happy to see her & to visit with her. I&m so sorry we weren&t able to make it to the service, but due to health problems & the heat, we just weren&t able to. I hope all of you are doing well. You all are in our thoughts & prayers. Love, Rickie & Gary Greenwood*

Rickie Trammell Greenwood - August 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry that I could not be with you during this time of sadness. Retta was an amazing woman, she was a tribute to family values. Women like Retta are rare and you were blessed to have her as a Mother and Grandmother. I know you have so many wonderful memories that will last your lifetime.*

Judy Ferguson - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Prayers to the family and friends. I am so very sorry to hear about the passing of Mrs. Woolley.*

Lori King Brown - July 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ To the family of Reta: It is with respect and dignity that your mother lived a beautiful life. She worked some with me at the grocery store in Waynoka and I enjoyed her kind and helpful personality. We are slightly related, as her sister Ruby married my Great Uncle Andrew Milledge. Because of a previous committment, I won&t be able to attend the service Saturday, but would like to send sincerest sympathy to your families.

Darrell Phillips - July 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ Veldon, Verlin and families, I am so sorry for your loss. Retta was a joy to know. Even when she was so sick, she would have a smile when I spoke to her. You were a great blessing in her life. I know you will miss her so very much. May God bless you with all the good memories.

Sandie Olson - July 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Veldon, was saddened to hear of Reta&s passing. I enjoyed taking care of her in the nursing home when I worked there. May God comfort you and the family during your loss.

Debra Gilreath - July 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ Veldon, sorry to hear about Reta. she was such a sweet person - I always enjoyed visiting with her. Prayers for the family.

Annette & Nelson Ralston - July 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM