



## Joye Colleen Carpenter

August 17, 1929 - June 24, 2016

Mrs Joye Colleen Carpenter 86 of Kinta passed away Friday, June 24, 2016 at her home. She was born August 17, 1929 in Kinta to Jack and Margie (Cummings) Bryant. She grew up at Kinta where she graduated in 1947.

Colleen received her Bachelor's Degree from Northeastern University in 1950, her Master's Degree from East Central in Ada. She was an Elementary School Teacher for thirty-three and a half years. She taught at Lequire, Briartown, Whitefield and with twenty-nine and a half years at Kinta. She was Teacher of the Year in Haskell County in 1981-1982

She married Ralph Carpenter, September 16, 1955 which lasted for 60 years. Colleen was a member and worker at Kinta First Baptist Church for 48 years. After her love for God and her church, came her family, which she was Extremely Dedicated.

She loved raising flowers and providing homes for birds. She will be missed by all who loved her and knew her. She was an awesome lady!

Colleen is survived by her husband Ralph Carpenter of the home; her three sons, Stanley Carpenter and wife Brandy of Kinta, Bentley Carpenter of Kinta, Bradley Carpenter and wife Heidi of Kinta; twelve grandchildren, Holly Smothers and husband Eric, Rodney Carpenter, Rachael Fisk and husband Kevin, Hailey Carpenter, Aubrey Carpenter, Jalen Carpenter, Zach Sweeten, Summer Sweeten, Hadley Carpenter, Hanna Carpenter, Rocky Sweeten, Westen Carpenter; three great grandchildren, Kameron Fisk, Adrienne Carpenter, Kylie Fisk; a brother Frank Bryant and wife Aleta; numerous family

and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Jack and Margie Bryant; a brother Jerry (Jude) Bryant.

Funeral Services will be held Monday, June 27, 2016, 2:00 P.M. at Kinta First Baptist Church with Reverend James Easley officiating. Pallbearers include Bill Wilson, Bill Carter, Mike Steele, C.B. Coplen, David Perryman, Trent Hokit. Burial will follow immediately to Sans Bois Cemetery under the direction of King & Shearwood Funeral Home of Stigler.

# Cemetery Details

**SANS BOIS CEMETERY**

## Previous Events

### **FAMILY VISITATION**

JUN **26**. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

R.E. SHEARWOOD MEMORIAL CHAPEL  
808 EAST MAIN  
STIGLER, OK  
(918) 967-0044  
kingwood4@sbcglobal.net  
<http://KINGANDSHEARWOODFUNERALHOME.COM>

### **SERVICE**

JUN **27**. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church - Kinta

# Tribute Wall

MM

“ As a small child I remember the joy, laughter shared when we would visit family in Kinta  
I am the daughter of Dewey and Barbara Bryant. My father Dewey was the brother of Jack Bryant. Colleen was always known as the prettiest girl in Kinta!  
Prayers and loving memories of you oh so many years ago!  
Blessings to all!  
Marilyn Bryant Moreno

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**Marilyn Bryant Moreno** - June 28, 2016 at 11:15 PM

CL

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family, she will be missed...Carol Leird Lamar

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**Carol Leird Lamar** - June 27, 2016 at 09:33 PM

LH

“ Lisa Kemp Hazlewood lit a candle in memory of Joye Colleen Carpenter



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**Lisa Kemp Hazlewood** - June 27, 2016 at 03:56 PM

LC

“ Lavonne Cox-Cogburn lit a candle in memory of Joye Colleen Carpenter




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**Lavonne Cox-Cogburn** - June 26, 2016 at 10:11 PM

LC

“ Co was an amazing woman, she was my Sunday school teacher when my big brother Ricky died. She was so sweet and loving to me, explaining all about heaven and death. I will never forget the love she showed me. Always a big old hug and kiss from this precious lady. There is a hole in the world that her passing has left. I know she is sitting at the feet of Jesus, now the pupil instead of the teacher. I will miss you dearly my precious friend.

Lavonne Cox-Cogburn - June 26, 2016 at 10:09 PM

 Crystal Cole

“ Crystal Cole lit a candle in memory of Joye Colleen Carpenter



Crystal Cole - June 26, 2016 at 09:56 PM

JH

“ Janice & Larry Hensley lit a candle in memory of Joye Colleen Carpenter



Janice & Larry Hensley - June 26, 2016 at 03:22 PM

DF

So sorry for the families loss, but our earthly loss is Colleen's gain!!! She was such a sweet lady and will truly be missed!!!!

Deana Falconer - June 27, 2016 at 12:33 PM

LK

“ *In case I don't make it to the funeral please know that I've thought about you all continually and my heart is there. Ralph, you and Colleen and your family helped me to grow up and have always been a part of me. I love you guys and you are in my prayers, as always.*

*Lauri Hall Koopmans*

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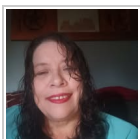
**Lauri Koopmans** - June 25, 2016 at 09:46 PM

CS

“ *My second grade teacher and I loved her!*

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**carol fowler scott** - June 25, 2016 at 06:26 PM



“ *Staci Seymour lit a candle in memory of Joye Colleen Carpenter*



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**Staci Seymour** - June 25, 2016 at 11:21 AM