



## Vicki Tripp

November 16, 1957 - June 5, 2017

Mrs. Vicki Tripp, 59, of Porum, passed away Monday, June 5, 2017 at St. Francis Hospital in Muskogee. She was born on November 16, 1957 at Muskogee, Oklahoma to Joe and Barbara (Norwood) Baker. She grew up at Porum where she graduated from High School. She continued her education at Connors State College. Vicki married Bobby Tripp on August 7, 1980 at Stigler, Oklahoma and they made their home in Porum and where they raised their family. . Vicki enjoyed her dogs, chickens and horses.

Her working career included a diverse range of occupations before her health forced her into early retirement. She was an avid reader, she always enjoyed being behind a great book. She was the biggest fan of her kids and grandkids and loved watching her grandkids play sports whether it was a Baseball, Basketball, Football game or whatever they were involved in. Her family was her life and she loved family gatherings. She always liked to keep in style with the latest trends (as many know her nails, clothes and tanning). She survived many hardships before the Lord called her home. She stood by Bobby's side through thick and thin; Emus, Ostriches or whatever crazy venture they embarked on and she enjoyed her dogs, chickens and horses. She'll be missed by everyone who loved and knew her.

Vicki is survived by her husband, Bobby Tripp of the home; her son, Trampas Tripp and wife Brooke of Porum; her five grandchildren, Carlee Jo Tucker, Bobby Tripp III, Memphis Tripp, Keegan Tripp, Xander Tripp; her brother, Don Atkinson of Porum; her three sisters, Debbie Enloe of Tulsa, Connie Ivey of Broken Arrow, Twyla Tanner of Porum; numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Vicki is preceded in death by her parents, Joe and Barbara Baker; her son, Bobby Tripp Jr.; her sister, Betty Rogers.

Funeral Services will be held 10:00 A.M. Wednesday, June 7, 2017 at The Porum First Baptist Church with Reverend Daniel Henson officiating. Pallbearers include Jason Smith, Justin Coble, Travis Thornton, Lonnie Hyslop, Larry Tripp, Larry Kash, Jason Chapman. Honorary Pallbearers are the Porum Fire Department.

Burial will follow immediately to Fields Cemetery at Porum under the direction of King & Shearwood Funeral Home of Stigler.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JUN 6. 10:00 AM - 8:30 PM (CT)

R.E. SHEARWOOD MEMORIAL CHAPEL  
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<http://KINGANDSHEARWOODFUNERALHOME.COM>

## SERVICE

JUN 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

PORUM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

# Tribute Wall

DE

“ I left such a long and heartfelt message here and I guess it's lost in cyber-land it did however make me feel better by saying it there are way too many memories so let me just say a Kinder sweeter woman I have never known

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**Debbie** - June 09, 2017 at 12:54 AM

DE

“ Debbie sent a virtual gift in memory of Vicki Tripp



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**Debbie** - June 08, 2017 at 11:25 PM

“Where would I begin? I have not lived one single day of my life without my sister who was one year and 12 days older than me. We have always been friends, allies, teammates, sisters and again friends. We wore the same clothes, shared very special laughs, and had surprisingly few arguments. She had a memory that I still don't understand and I would often call her to ask about something that happened 30 years ago and she would detail it for me. After watching her go through so many sad times accidents I just assumed she would always be here. She was stronger than strong. She loved her family with an amazing quiet strength that I always envied. When my daughter was born she had me make her a shirt that said Serena's Aunt on the back. She read me *Gone with the Wind* many years ago with a street light for the only light. There were times growing up that we would never admitted to anyone how frightened we were. And there are times that no one would believe laughter was shared. She asked my advice with everything and even called me to tell on Bob the first time and one of the very few times they had an argument. She loved one man to his very core with all her heart. Our family meant some to her and she loved her grandchildren so much, spending many joyful day sitting in the hot sun watching them play ball just as she had done for her boys. She used to love to cook and made the best homemade bread ever. When the boys were young she learnt how to make homemade suckers raise money at the concession stands. There were so many memories that these four trips made in that small little house with the huge walls that so so much love. She loved her son's friends as she did her own and would call them her other sons. She did indeed have the Kindest Heart and sweetest smile. Oh there were times I was aggravated with her and her with me but they never mattered. I have always been envious of the amount of friends and people that loved her. She was the perfect small Town woman who was involved in everything, took the time to know about everyone and their problems and to reach out to them when needed. She always had a smile for anybody and a story for anybody that would listen. I have stood by her bedside with Bob on many occasions and been told she would not live. Each time she proved them wrong and God gave her a little more spirit. She found her church family and was very very proud to let me know she was a Baptist and loved it. Those are one of the last things that she told me. When she became ill and she knew she was tired we asked God to take her quickly and He did that. As I watch her family struggle to say goodbye I am so very proud of you Vicki Jo Tripp and the life that you led. All all the things that were thrown your way to deter your smile could not begin to fade it. And still I ask myself how do I begin to process the many memories that we have shared.. they will come to me when I least expect them as easy as the sun sets each day. And I will welcome them with joy in the same way we enjoy the Sun rise each morning. Go fly high Sisto and receive your mansion.

DS

“ Sorry for your loss. David and Dena Stilwell



Dena Stilwell - June 07, 2017 at 11:16 AM

Sarah  
Townsend

“ I met Vicki when I was 12 yrs . We rode horses together( Mr Clyde ) Alot of good memories I definitely will miss her



Sarah Townsend - June 07, 2017 at 09:14 AM

AM

“ You will be dearly missed... Always in our hearts. Sincerely  
The Mendenhall Family !!!



Amanda Mendenhall - June 06, 2017 at 10:50 PM

LH

“ Lois Mendenhall Hill lit a candle in memory of Vicki Tripp



lois mendenhall hill - June 06, 2017 at 09:03 PM

LH

to family I'm very sorry hear of her passing ,,she hard battle,,know she be miss ..but heven has new star in sky,,call vicki pray for family ,,god be with in hard time ,,no word I say to help pain,,,reach out to jesus he only comfort ,you fine god be all a friend lois hill

lois mendenhall hill - June 06, 2017 at 09:09 PM

KS

“ Vicki was more than a classmate. She was a precious and dear lifelong friend. We shared many good and not so good trials which teenagers experience during high school. We even shared a few "chewings-out" by a coach who will remain unnamed, which bound us even closer. Vicki, Bobby and their beautiful family have always been active supporters of the town and schools of Porum. They have always stepped up to the plate when needed above and beyond. Vicki has been a true Blessing in my life, who I will sorely miss. I'll be keeping you all in my prayers. I love you.

Karen Spradlin-Kinsey - June 06, 2017 at 03:32 PM

SF

“ Stilwell Family lit a candle in memory of Vicki Tripp



Stilwell family - June 06, 2017 at 01:29 PM

MB

“ A Beautiful Rose has went to Heaven God needed that Rose. RIP Vickie Baker Tripp. You will be missed and u are loved. Fly High my friend.



Marion Bicknell - June 06, 2017 at 10:03 AM



“ Connie Ivey sent a virtual gift in memory of Vicki Tripp



Connie Ivey - June 06, 2017 at 09:22 AM



*I miss my sister already! But I know she's strolling the streets of Gold, singing praises to God, pain free and whole again!!*

Connie Ivey - June 06, 2017 at 09:24 AM

BT

“ Beverly Fisher Templeton lit a candle in memory of Vicki Tripp



Beverly Fisher Templeton - June 06, 2017 at 09:18 AM

CF

“ Casinger Family lit a candle in memory of Vicki Tripp



Casinger Family - June 05, 2017 at 10:04 PM

RP

“ Richard Leon Potts lit a candle in memory of Vicki Tripp



Richard Leon Potts - June 05, 2017 at 09:55 PM

CI

“ I miss you so much already sis. I know we didn't see each other as much as we should or even talk on then phone as much as we should have, but you were my little sister and I loved you so much! I have so many memories of when you were little and I babysat the three of you (me still only a child myself!) and then when you were older and came to my house in the summer to stay. You loved my kids, Shelly Stillwell, Rickey Carter, and Jonathon Ivey. You were just a beautiful person to everyone who knew you! You're flying high now, walking the streets of gold with Little Bobby, Momma, Betty, your Daddy and all of the others who have gone before you. See ya soon sister! I love you!



Connie Ivey - June 05, 2017 at 07:29 PM

DD

“ *Trampass and Family - Sorry to learn of your loss. Your in thoughts and prayers.*

*Darrel Dominick  
Stillwater*

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**Darrel Dominick** - June 05, 2017 at 06:35 PM



*Thank you for the prayers Darrel.*

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**Trampas Tripp** - June 06, 2017 at 10:05 PM

DB

“ *I wouldn't know where to start. So many good memories. From late night talks, painting your finger nails, helping you do physical therapy, trips to Walmart or the casino, watching soaps on TV, and much more. You took me in when nobody else would and I will never be able to thank you and uncle bobby enough for everything you have done for me. I love and miss you already Aunt Vicki. Fly high...*



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**Destiny Birdtail** - June 05, 2017 at 06:28 PM

SS

“ *I used to love being with my Aunt Vicki when I was a kid. Some of my earliest memories were of her and Aunt Debbie and how excited I would be to see them either when we went to visit at Grandma's or they came to stay at our house. I remember the summer we lived in Porum and I went to Dr visits with her to help with little Bobby when she was pregnant with Trampas. As a nurse I saw her recover when medical professionals declared she would not. Her spirit was and is inspiring. I am honored to call her "Aunt" and excited to think of her no longer physically limited by her earthly body.*

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**Shelly Stilwell** - June 05, 2017 at 06:21 PM