



## Dixie Lee Reynolds

September 25, 1930 - July 25, 2022

Dixie Lee Reynolds, 91, of Copan, Oklahoma, died Monday in Bartlesville.

Dixie was born the daughter of Claude and Leonna (Essley) Brown on September 25, 1930, in San Francisco, California. SF was always her favorite place to live and remained dear to her heart. Dixie was the oldest of five siblings and being the oldest she had more responsibility looking after her younger siblings while her mother worked.

Dixie raised her five children mostly in San Francisco, though the family did move to Girard, Kansas, for a few years where they operated dog kennels, raising and training bird dogs and greyhounds. Dixie's career spanned many years and she was most proud of her work at Pacific Bell in San Francisco and MID in Modesto, CA. After the death of beloved husband Ray Delmas she moved to Idaho to be near her sons William (Bill) and Raymond Brower. This included care for Raymond who had health problems. Bill and wife Carol assisted her in the purchase of a home which she had for over 13 years. In Idaho she met and married Henry Reynolds. Upon Henry's death, she moved to Ohio to be near her son Wade. When Wade and Jeanette decided to move to Tennessee, she moved to Copan temporarily till living quarters in Tennessee were ready. Dixie was loved by all of us and her family was everything to her.

Dixie loved the Lord and served Him in the various ministries of the church, especially as a Sunday School teacher focusing on children's ministry. A special trip to the Holy Land was a highlight in her Christian faith. She sought to love all of God's children and spent time crocheting baby blankets to give away. Dixie was also talented in the kitchen and always ready to welcome someone in for a bite (or two or three) to eat. She definitely lived up to her nickname, although she didn't quite like it in later years. We love you, mom.

Dixie is survived by a brother Dick Brown, her children, Rick (Ann) Brower, William (Carol) Brower, Gail (Phil) Kruis and Wade (Jeanette) Brower; 18 grandchildren, Robin, Chris, Carrie, Shelly, James, Angie, Lori, John, Alicia, Rebekah, Lacie, Andrew, Tiffany, Stacey, Dustin and Desirae; and numerous great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, husbands, siblings Dolly, Carol and Claudia, son Raymond Brower, daughter in law, Diane Brower, grandsons Jason Brower, Seth Heffron, and great grandson Daylon Sleight.

Services will be held 10 a.m. on Friday, August 5, at the Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel, with her son Pastor Wade Brower officiating. Services are under the direction of Carter Davis and the Davis Family Funeral Home – Dewey Chapel. Online condolences and remembrances may be shared at [www.DavisFamilyFuneralHome.com](http://www.DavisFamilyFuneralHome.com).

# Previous Events

## Service

AUG 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel

113 S Osage Ave

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dixie Lee Reynolds*



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**Davis Family Funeral Home** - August 02, 2022 at 04:43 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Carter Davis** - August 08, 2022 at 05:11 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Dixie Lee Reynolds.*



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August 04, 2022 at 01:47 PM



“ *Rocky Point Chapel purchased the Serene Retre at for the family of Dixie Lee Reynolds.*



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**Rocky Point Chapel** - August 02, 2022 at 11:30 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dixie Lee Reynolds.*



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July 31, 2022 at 02:21 AM

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“ Remembering you crocheting beautiful doilies and rocking in the rocking chair. Sitting at the kitchen table sipping on your coffee. Hoping I could get a sip. Drawing a freckled kid’s face for me, when I asked.

*I remember your hands. Soft and delicate with trim nails. I remember your smell, unique only to you.*

*Every night you put up your hair in pin curls. Two Bobby pins, criss crossed over each little twist of hair. After you completed the regimen of pinning, you circled a scarf around your pin curls and tied it in the front. Put moisturizer, most often Vaseline, on your clean face and went to bed.*

*I remember those days of you reciting The Lords Prayer with all five kids at bedtime. I remember you hanging out laundry on the clothesline. I remember riding to church with you after you finally learned to drive at age 30.*

*You loved to tell a good story. You loved digging in deep to the Bible. You knew it well.*

*I don’t think you ever fully recovered from your marriage to Dad, but you found new love and were finally treated with love and respect. You did your best. That’s all any of us can do. Your best influenced lots of people. Your faith and ability to tell stories, led many kids to Christ. Your love, nurturing and humor lives on into the next generations.*

*When I hear my kids say things to their kids that I remember hearing you say, I realize I’ve repeated those words unconsciously. You live on Mom, with each of us and with Christ. We will meet you soon. I love you.*

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**Gail Kruis** - July 31, 2022 at 02:10 AM