



Julia Marie Gurley

October 13, 1942 - October 20, 2021

Julia Marie Gurley, 79, of Dewey, died Wednesday in Bartlesville. She joins her beloved husband Gene and Christ her Lord and Savior for all eternity.

Julia - or Judy as she was known - was born the daughter of Harold and Rachel (Bowling) Carpenter on October 13, 1942, in Bartlesville. She was a lifelong resident of Washington County. Judy grew up on their family farm where her father raised show horses and Judy and her sister Carol took on many of the daily chores.

While shopping at Bills Supermarket Judy met the love of her life Robert "Gene" Gurley. They quickly fell in love and were united in marriage on March 3, 1962. The young couple made their home in Bartlesville before moving to Dewey in 1999. Judy worked at the U.S. Bureau of Mines for several years. Gene preceded her in death on April 27, 2019, after 57 years of loving marriage.

Judy and Gene thoroughly enjoyed each other's company and relished taking drives together, going to the lake or visiting family in Colorado. Gene loved to drive and carry on a conversation, and Judy was happy to listen. Judy loved the Lord and was active in the ministries of their home church First Baptist in Bartlesville. She faithfully ran the nursery for many years and was a Sunday School teacher. She liked staying busy so she used her God-given talents to

crochet and sew, selling her creations at craft fairs and giving away many to her family and friends. Judy was a loving and caring wife, mother and grandmother, often times caring and raising her grandchildren who loved her dearly.

Judy is survived by her grandchildren, Robert Hicks and wife Pam of Dewey, and Julia Queen and husband Jordan of Dewey; and five great grandchildren, Natalye, McKinzie, Aria, Dominick and Corvus. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Gene, daughter Lisa Lea and sister Carol Cochran.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 25, from 10-8, at the Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel.

Graveside services will be held 10 a.m. on Tuesday, at Memorial Park Cemetery, with Chaplin Peggy Nix 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.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery Bartlesville

4200 Nowata Road
Bartlesville, OK 74006

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel
113 S Osage Ave
Dewey, OK 74029
(918) 534-3030
davisfamilyfuneralhome@gmail.com

Graveside Service

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Memorial Park Cemetery Bartlesville
4200 Nowata Road
Bartlesville, OK 74006

Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Julia Marie Gurley*



Davis Family Funeral Home - October 22, 2021 at 03:00 PM

DA

“ *I have such fond memories of the times my brother and I spent as youngsters in Aunt Judy's home. And of the good times spent with cousins. So very grateful for the times we had. I look forward to giving you a hug again in heaven!*

Much love, David

David - October 24, 2021 at 09:47 PM

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“ *Don, David, & Kent Cochran purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Julia Marie Gurley.*



Don, David, & Kent Cochran - October 24, 2021 at 09:42 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Julia Marie Gurley.*



October 23, 2021 at 02:25 AM



“ *JUDY WAS THE kindest, sweetest, loving person a woman could have as a friend. Judy was so easy to love, she just had that personality. Years ago we would visit for hours and it would only seem like a few minutes. Judy I know you are with Jesus, you have so much peace now. I will always cherish the friendship we had. Still love you my friend.*

Linda Stimson, and Gen

LINDA STIMSON - October 22, 2021 at 04:10 PM