



Margie Nickerson

January 16, 1948 - September 12, 2021

Margie Nickerson, 73, longtime area resident, died Sunday in Dewey with her husband Jerry by her side. She built a legacy of genuine love and leaves it to be cherished by their children, grandchildren, family and friends on earth.

Margie was born January 16, 1948, in Lubbock, Texas, the daughter of Duane and Dorris Carter. Margie was a bright and eager learner – she simply loved to learn, effortlessly excelling in her studies. She was especially proud of being the runner-up spelling bee champion of Lamb County when she was 11, misspelling her last word “Satiates.” Margie remained an avid reader through school and for the rest of her life. When their loving daughter was in her teens, the family moved to Miami, OK, and Margie graduated the third in her class from Miami High School in 1966.

One day at Hudson Creek Baptist Church, young Margie met Jerry Nickerson. The pair became high school sweethearts and tied the love knot at her parents’ home on July 29, 1966, shortly after graduating. They made their home primarily in Bartlesville, spending just one year in Houston for Jerry’s work. Margie herself worked at Reda Pump before becoming a full-time mom to her four children who were her pride and joy. Once the kids were older, she managed not one, but two laundromats in Bartlesville and Dewey and cared for children in her home.

Margie was a wonderful wife and mother who took great pleasure in caring for the home and family she was blessed with. Together with Jerry, their tight-knit family did everything together and she lovingly supported all their activities. She loved the Lord and had a servant's heart. Margie insisted on caring for her grandchildren herself so they didn't need to attend daycare. Once the grandkids were older, "Mimi" or "Memaw" ("Poppy's better half") would pick them up from school every day with a beaming face and take them to Sonic for treats. Margie's loving smile was everything, and her family will miss her dearly.

Margie is survived by her loving husband of 55 years Jerry; mother Dorris Carter; four children, Julie Richardson and fiancé Michael Lowry, Gina McCauley and Jason, Doug Nickerson and Leslie, and Dirk Nickerson; two brothers Billy Carter and Betty, and Jimmy Carter and Patricia; sister Shirley Carter; and four grandchildren, Jill Richardson, Jaycie Nickerson, Rylie Nickerson and Vincent Nickerson. She is preceded in death by her father Duane Carter.

Margie's family will receive friends at the Davis Family Funeral Home – Dewey Chapel, 918-534-3030, 113 S. Osage (Hwy. 75), Dewey, on Thursday, from 6-8 p.m. Visitation will also be held on Thursday from 10-8.

Graveside services will be held 2 p.m. on Friday, at the Fairland Cemetery in Fairland. 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

Fairland Cemetery

Fairland, OK

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 16. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Family and Friends Gathering

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Graveside Service

SEP 17. 2:00 PM.

Fairland Cemetery
Fairland, OK

Tribute Wall

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“ *Such a nice and sweet lady for the time that I knew her. My deepest sympathy to the family for your loss.*

Gannon Ropp - September 17, 2021 at 12:04 PM

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“ *I met Margie not long after moving to Bartlesville back in 1981. We became good friends right away and remained so for many years. We met often for lunch or a coke sharing our lives and families with one another. We lost touch when we started traveling in the early 2000s. Jerry, Julie, Gina and Doug, you have our deepest sympathy in your loss. Margie was a special friend. We know you will miss her tremendously. We will be praying for you in the days to come. May God hold you in His loving arms and give you some peace.*
Richard and Karen Hugo

Karen Hugo - September 16, 2021 at 12:17 PM

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“ *Ascension St John Nowata purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Margie Nickerson.*



Ascension St John Nowata - September 15, 2021 at 05:52 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Margie Nickerson.*



September 15, 2021 at 04:59 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margie Nickerson.*



September 15, 2021 at 10:54 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Margie's passing. She was a very sweet and loving lady. Will keep you all in my prayers*



Risy Nikkel Beck - September 14, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ *Jerry and family. I always thought a lot of Margie and enjoyed our times at the ball games. May God comfort you. Vickie Sigler*

vickie sigler - September 14, 2021 at 05:39 PM