



Mary Gwynneth "Gwen" Butts

April 12, 1918 - February 9, 2015

Mary Gwynneth "Gwen" Butts, 96, of Dewey died Monday February 9, 2015 in Bartlesville.

Mary was born the daughter of Amos and Nettie (Smith) Lamar on April 12, 1918, in Bedford, Iowa. The family moved to western Kansas and northern Missouri where her sister and brother were born. She attended Roosevelt Grade School which no longer exists. She also attended business college and took college courses through University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma State University and Ozark Bible College in Joplin, MO.

Mary was united in marriage with Denzil Eugene Burch August 24, 1939, and to this union, one daughter Norma was born. They made their home farming in Iowa and Missouri, before settling in Oklahoma in 1950. Denzil preceded her in death in 1977. She worked for Phillips Petroleum Company for 20 years in the secretary pool before retiring in 1975. Mary later married Eugene Butts, also known as Preach, who pastored Mary's church the Town and Country Christian Church. Preach preceded her in death in 1995.

Mary, a longtime member of Town and Country Christian church, was always a faithful Christian, involved in the church activities. After she broke her hip, she entered a local nursing center where she continued her faithful attendance at the church services provided to residents by her loving friends

Tom and Evie Nace.

Mary is survived by her daughter Norma Hansen and John of Bartlesville; one grandson Gregory Hansen of Bartlesville; one sister-in-law Doris Lamar of Nowata; special friends, Judy Flint, and Tom and Evie Nace. She is preceded in death by her parents, her first and second husbands, two brothers Bill and Amos Lamar, and two sisters Patricia Dale and Geraldine Lentz.

Funeral services will be held 10 a.m. Thursday, February 12, 2015, at the Davis Family Funeral Home Chapel, with Pastor Tom Nace officiating. Services are under the direction of Carter Davis and the Davis Family Funeral Home. Online condolences and

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel
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Service

FEB 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

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