



## Arleeta Marie Whitmire

October 25, 1937 - August 12, 2013

Arleeta Marie Whitmire was born October 25, 1937 in Folsom, Oklahoma to Rome Lee and Thelma Effie (Hartwick) Nelson. Arleeta went home to be with her Lord and Savior on August 12, 2013 at the age of 75 years 9 months and 17 days.

Arleeta and R.L. Whitmire were united in marriage on November 4, 1954 and spent many years together until his passing on December 18, 2011. Arleeta was a house wife and mother and she enjoyed music, sewing, quilting, fishing, camping, wood working, painting, yard work, and anything outdoors. She was a member of the Hopewell Freewill Baptist Church, and she will be greatly missed by many people that knew her.

Arleeta was preceded in death by her parents, Rome and Thelma; husband, R.L. Whitmire; son, William Lee Whitmire; daughter, Linda Dawn Whitmire; grandson, Ross Lee Whitmire.

She is survived by her daughter Vickie Marie (Whitmire) Gould and husband Kenny of Rose Hill, Kansas; son Roger Lynn Whitmire and wife Annie of Coleman, OK; sisters Erma Lee Stanley of Folsom, OK, Thelma Louise Mitchell of Moore, OK and Dora Ann Richardson and husband Bobby of Harrah, OK; brother Connie Earl Nelson and wife Lilly of McAlester, OK; grandchildren Shawna Goodwin and husband Philip of Stillwater, OK, Michael Rich of Rose Hill, KS, Jamie Sissell and husband Brian of Wichita, KS and Sharon Whitmire of Sherman, TX. eight great grandchildren and one on the way.

Funeral Service will be Sunday, August 18, 2013 at 2:00 PM at Hopewell Freewill Baptist Church. Bro. Randy Tadlock and Bro. Mark White will be officiating with interment at Center Hill Cemetery. Family Hour will be Saturday, August 17, 2013 from 6-8 pm at Brown's Funeral Service. Pallbearers will be William Richardson, Johnny Moore, Ronald Stanley, Marion Stanley, Travis Nelson, Philip Goodwin and Michael Rich. Honorary pallbearers will be Buster Renfro and Delton Dean. Arrangements are under the direction of Brown's Funeral Service, Durant. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.brownsfuneralservice.com](http://www.brownsfuneralservice.com).

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# Previous Events

## Family Hour

AUG 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brown's Funeral Service - Durant  
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Durant, OK 74701  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Arleeta Marie Whitmire*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *I am not a family member or friend, but my heart goes out to this family, especially her son Roger, tears in my eyes I can't imagine how your dealing with losing them both on the same day, I am praying for you and your family.*

**Margaret** - August 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heart goes out to all of you. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you all!*

**Janell Nelson McCammon** - August 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Arleeta, I know you're in heaven with R.L making that beautiful music, that still lives in my heart n always will. I loved you dearly n you will always be in my mind.*

**Ruth n Phil Perkins** - August 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *We all loved and adored Aunt Leedy...I will miss her laughter and her heart. She was an amazing person and a great cook and loved her hugs and affection. She was an amazing woman, and I love her dearly! I miss you Aunt Leedy, glad you are with Uncle L now and may you rest in peace.*

**Brandon Welborn** - August 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Christina, Mike & Alex** - August 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM