



Claudia Marie Loyd

December 30, 1955 - November 1, 2025

Claudia “Marie” Loyd, of Durant passed away on Saturday, November 1, 2025, in Denison, TX at the age of 69. Marie was born on December 30, 1955, in Durant, OK to Claudie Wayne Loyd and Nora Darlene (Gilbert) Loyd. She graduated from H. Grady Spruce High School in Dallas, Texas. She was a longtime resident of Durant and of the Baptist faith. Marie worked the last 18 ½ years for Choctaw Nation where she recently retired. Marie loved her grandkids, gardening, outside yard work, and cooking.

She is preceded in death by her parents Claudie and Nora Loyd, and sisters Kimberly Loyd and Doretha Partain.

Marie is survived by her sons Jason Downs and wife Angelika of Durant, OK, Bryan Downs and wife Ashley of Mead, eight grandchildren Katelynn Phifer and husband Andrew of McKinney, TX, Ashton Downs of Mead, OK, Brooke Downs of Durant, OK, Brax Downs of Mead, OK, Jaxdyn Hall of Mead, OK, Kinlee Hall of Mead, OK, Bennix Downs of Mead, OK and Collin Downs of Durant, OK, great grandchildren Kashtyn Toombs, Emma Phifer, Kreed Toombs, and Olivia Phifer.

A celebration of life will be held on Wednesday, November 5, 2025, from 4-6 PM at Brown’s Funeral Service in Durant.

Arrangements are under the direction of Brown's Durant Funeral and
Cremation Service.

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/W7273J3Z7G9KFHR7>

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV 5. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brown's Durant Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Claudia Marie Loyd*



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - November 05, 2025 at 02:57 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Claudia Marie Loyd.*



November 12, 2025 at 10:16 AM



“ *Claudia was a bright light in this world. She was always so kind! I enjoyed working with her & I will truly MISS her beautiful smile! I'm so sorry for your family's loss! Praying for you all!:)*



Becky Elrod - November 06, 2025 at 10:15 AM



“ 50 files added to the album Gallery of Pictures



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - November 05, 2025 at 03:00 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Claudia Marie Loyd.



November 05, 2025 at 09:15 AM



“ Kelly Coutee purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Claudia Marie Loyd.



Kelly Coutee - November 04, 2025 at 02:01 PM

JE

“ I worked with Claudia at the Nation and I so enjoyed talking to her. She was sure missed when she retired. My deepest condolences to all her family and friends as they navigate her passing. May you find the comfort and support you need during this most difficult time.

Julie Earls - November 03, 2025 at 04:40 PM

AD

Thank you very much! We miss her so much. She loved & she loved BIG!
We hope to see you at her service.

Ashley Downs - November 03, 2025 at 05:13 PM



Claudia was such a sweet and honest person. She was a spunky lady whom you couldn't help but love. Prayers for you all.

April Cook - November 04, 2025 at 08:31 AM

JF

She will be missed by many. Glad she was my friend.

Jennifer Fitzgerald - November 04, 2025 at 12:05 PM

DO

Claudia was such a sweet and kind person. I always enjoyed stopping by to visit and talk with her. I truly missed her after she retired and feel blessed to have called her my friend. My heart goes out to you and your family — I'm so very sorry for your loss.

Darlene Orr - November 04, 2025 at 12:20 PM