



Helen "Joy" Mullins

October 26, 1927 - April 27, 2019

Helen "Joy" Mullins of Grove, Oklahoma and formerly of Durant, Oklahoma passed from this life on April 27, 2019 at her home at the age of 91. Joy was born on October 26, 1927 in Dallas, Texas to C.J. and Ollie B. (Frady) Prater.

Joy married William "Bill" Mullins on August 11, 1946 and to this union were blessed with two children, Monny and Mecky. They moved to Durant in 1956 and lived here until 1964. They returned to Durant 1969 and Joy lived in Durant until 2007 before moving to Grove. Joy worked for Durant Public Schools and retired after 26 years. At the age of 48, Joy decided to go to college and graduated with honors from Southeastern Oklahoma State University. At 53 she took flying lessons in Grove and completed her solo flight. After moving to Grove, she worked for her son in law Dr. Yandell at Grove Eye Center. She was of the Baptist Faith and she was a member of Bushnell Baptist Church. She also enjoyed attending Grace Presbyterian Church in Grove for the past 12 and a half years and treasured the friends she made there. Joy was very active when it came to spending time with her family and friends, a pastime she cherished.

Joy was preceded in death by her parents; husband and granddaughter, Misty Mullins Hall.

Joy is survived by her children, Monny Mullins and wife Stephanie of Durant,

OK and Mecky Yandell and husband Buddy of Grove, OK; grandchildren, Katie Peebles Freeman and Bynum Mullins and wife Tegan; great grandchildren, Halee Hall Grimes and husband Justin, Wade Hall, Makalee Hall, Macee Hall, Jayde Freeman and Kameron Freeman and numerous extended family and dear friends.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM. Friday, May 3, 2019 at Brown's Funeral Service Chapel. Pastor Jon Hazell will officiate. Interment will follow in Highland Cemetery with Richard Mullins, Boyd Burris, Bobby Burris and Billy Burris serving as pallbearers. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Thursday evening from 6-8 PM. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.brownsfuneralservice.com.

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

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

1620 Cemetery Rd
Durant, OK

Previous Events

Family Hour

MAY 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Helen "Joy" Mullins*

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ *I will always remember working with you and all the laughs and good times we had. Rest In Peace sweet Joy! Love you.*

Christy Wyland - May 03, 2019 at 02:11 PM



“ *Mecky and Buddy, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Joy. I sure loved that little woman. She will be missed. Tami Martin*

Tami Martin - May 03, 2019 at 01:41 PM



“ *Don and Jane Graham purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Helen "Joy" Mullins.*



Don and Jane Graham - May 02, 2019 at 01:00 PM



“ *Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant was purchased for the family of Helen "Joy" Mullins.*



May 01, 2019 at 10:14 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Helen "Joy" Mullins.*



April 30, 2019 at 06:29 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Helen "Joy" Mullins.*



April 30, 2019 at 11:15 AM



“ *Glad I was able to find Joy on Facebook and at least share a few moments with her through that medium. We put off making the effort to visit with our relatives at our own peril...*

We'll miss you, Joy.

Bill Burris - April 29, 2019 at 03:36 PM



“ *Rip Joy, I will always remember & cherish the times we spent together at the Mesquite Rodeo, visiting .
Mickey Walker
Ennis, Texas*

Trula Whatley - April 28, 2019 at 06:59 PM

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“ *My Deepest Condolences, to the family of Joy Mullins, what a sweet lady she was.*

Trula Whatley

Trula Whatley - April 28, 2019 at 06:52 PM