



Malinda Jane Whitley

February 2, 1952 - August 2, 2025

In Loving Memory of Malinda Jane Whitley
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Malinda Jane Whitley, 73, of Colbert, Oklahoma, passed away peacefully on Saturday, August 2, 2025, surrounded by her family. She was born on Saturday, February 2, 1952, in Durant, Oklahoma to TJ Duke and Mary Helen Wright. Malinda lived a life full of love, faith, and unwavering devotion to her family.

Malinda was a beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and friend. Her warm spirit and kind heart left an everlasting mark on all who knew her. She enjoyed spending time with her family, crafting, and attending church—where her faith was a guiding light in her life.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Gene Allen Whitley, and son Gene Anthony Whitley.

She is survived by her daughter, Stasha Burrola and husband Frank; granddaughters Danica Olguin, Alexis Weatherford and husband Joshua; and great-grandson Greyson Weatherford; daughter-in-law Leiann Whitley; granddaughters Jessica Whitley, Baylee Lemmones and husband Kobay; her sister Tammy Reynolds and husband Randy; brothers Cecil Duke and wife

Lori, James Duke and Michael Duke; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Malinda's legacy is one of love and faith. Her family and friends will forever cherish the memories of her warm embrace, thoughtful words, and the special moments shared.

Memorial services to celebrate her life will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, August 9, 2025 at Brown's Funeral Home chapel in Durant. Bro. Joe Beshirs will officiate.

She will be dearly missed but never forgotten.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.brownsfuneralservice.com.

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/TK8MSH37PRR8WB6Q>

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

AUG **9**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Brown's Funeral Chapel
4900 West US Hwy 70
Durant, OK 74701

Tribute Wall



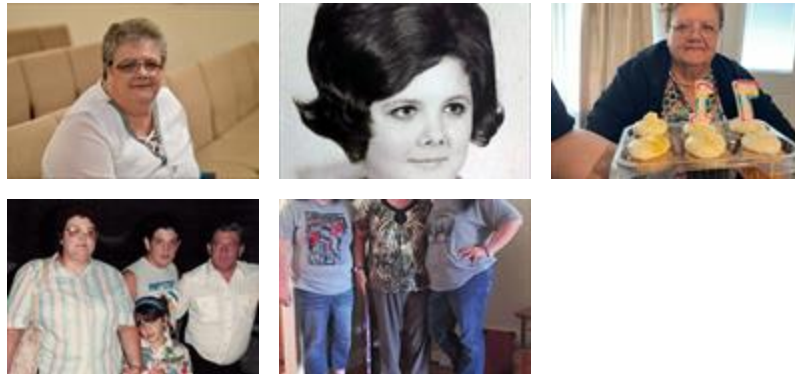
“ *Brown's Durant Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Malinda Jane Whitley*



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - August 08, 2025 at 11:25 AM



“ *68 files added to the album Gallery of Pictures*



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - August 08, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Malinda Jane Whitley.*

August 07, 2025 at 02:51 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Malinda Jane Whitley.*



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“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Malinda Jane Whitley.*



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“ *Shawna Rice purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Malinda Jane Whitley.*



Shawna Rice - August 06, 2025 at 02:39 PM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*
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Regina Nankivil - August 05, 2025 at 12:51 PM