



## Ruby Kolline Whitley

January 6, 1932 - October 16, 2017

Ruby “Kolline” Whitley entered this life on January 06, 1932 in Albany , OK , born to David and Francis (Routt) Burns. Kolline went home to be with her Lord and Savior on October 16, 2017 in Durant , OK at the age of 85 years, 9 months and 10 days.

Kolline attended schools in Utica , OK . She married the late Weldon Willard Whitley in Albany , OK on March 29 1952. Kolline worked on the assembly line for Texas Instruments for many years. She was of the Baptist faith and was Baptized in the Blue River . Kolline enjoyed playing bingo and was also known to be an avid shopper at garage sales, but most of all she loved her family. She will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Preceding her in death are her parents, David and Francis (Routt) Burns, husband, Weldon Whitley, brother, Jimmy Burns, sisters, Mary Blain, Kay Hughes, Joyce Amblin, Luicil Morris, Juanita Burns.

Kolline is survived by her loving children, son, Danny and wife Tina Whitley of Durant, OK, daughter, Tammy Whitley of Durant, OK; sisters, Faye Kelsy of Bonham, TX, Stella Stewart and husband Raymond of Bonham, TX, Jeanette Pickerill and husband David of Wills Point, TX; brother, Wayne Burns and wife Pat of Bailey, TX; sister in law, Virginia Burns of Trenton, TX; grand children, Dustin Ray Whitley, Cynder Jean Lawson and husband Douglas of Durant,

OK; 5 great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces and nephews, friends and loved ones.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Friday, October 20, 2017 at Brown's Funeral Service Chapel in Durant , OK with Pastor Vowel Posey officiating. Family will receive friends on Thursday, October, 19, 2017 in the Brown's Funeral Service Chapel from 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM for Family Hour. Jim Nunlley, Ronnie Richardson, John Kegley, Brian Perdue, Dustin Whitley and Doug Lawson will be serving as Pall Bearers. There will be a Pot Luck lunch served in the Brown's Funeral Service Community Room immediately following the burial. Please, feel free to bring a dish or dessert. The family would like to thank Aleshia Cole and the Victory Life food Bank for all of their service and support during this immense time of sadness.

Online Condolences can be made to the family at [www.brownsfuneralservice.com](http://www.brownsfuneralservice.com)

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

# Cemetery Details

## **Silo Restland Cemetery**

W. Bourne St.  
Silo, OK 74701

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruby Kolline Whitley*

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“ *I met Kolline through Geni Moses, we both worked for Geni at Tax season, Tammy as well. In my 57 years on this earth I never met a Person with a servants heart like Kolline. She had a Heart of Gold. Sorry I didnt know of her transition lost contact with her about a year ago , my condolences to the Family. I know she is missed now a Treasure of Heaven, Both Her and Geni Moses* 💙💙💙



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