



Ruby Pearl Young

August 14, 1925 - November 26, 2025

Ruby Pearl Young (Hopkins) passed from this life on November 26, 2025, in Atoka, Oklahoma, at the age of 100. She was born on August 14, 1925, in Caney, Oklahoma, to Thomas Otto Hopkins and Dora (Wade) Hopkins.

Ruby attended Goodland Indian School near Hugo, Oklahoma. Ruby worked as a seamstress most of her life and was a homemaker. Ruby was of the Baptist faith. Ruby married Kenneth Young in Caney, Oklahoma in 1947. Together they raised seven children: Leonard, Martha, Michael, Donna, Kenny, Robby, and Tony.

Ruby was greatly loved by her family, her church families, and many, many friends. Her strong Christian faith inspired and influenced everyone who knew her. Ruby said her advice to others is to "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and he will fulfill your desires." Her last quote before her passing was, "They say your life speaks volumes. I have tried to live a good life. Tried to please the Lord. When you are happy in God, you are joyful. Let the spirit lead you!"

Ruby is preceded in death by her parents; Thomas Otto Hopkins and Dora (Wade) Hopkins, husband; Kenneth Young, children; Martha Goodwin and Michael Young, and all her siblings.

Ruby is survived by her son; Leonard Young and spouse Donna of Mead, OK,

daughter; Donna (Sug) Dickey of Mead, OK, son; Kenny Young and spouse Linda of Kyle, TX, son; Robby Young and spouse Debbie of Ardmore, OK, son; Tony Young of Caddo, OK, 25 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren, extended family, and friends.

A visitation for Ruby will be held on Monday, December 1, 2025, from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM at Brown's Funeral Service chapel in Durant, OK.

A Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday, December 2, 2025, at 10:00 AM at Brown's Funeral Service chapel in Durant, OK, with Kerry Groce officiating.

Burial will take place at Restland Cemetery in Silo, OK following the service. Serving as pallbearers are her grandsons, Jeremy Young, Jared Young, Kody Young, David Young, Ben Young, and Jack Young. Honorary pallbearers are Nathan Bryant, Charles Williams, Rusty Daniel, Mike Goodwin, Thomas Emro, Ian Cy Young, J.R. Emro, Wre Young, and Stanley Hopkins.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to any Autism Awareness Foundation.

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/YDX24Z88KG5KW234>

Cemetery Details

Silo Restland Cemetery

W. Bourne St.
Silo, OK 74701

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

DEC 2. 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 Ruby Pearl Young*



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - December 01, 2025 at 10:50 AM

DV

Ruby (memaw) you touched many lives through out your borrowed time here on earth. I'm truly blessed to have known you. A treasured Angel you were to all you met. Go sing your praises on the streets of gold. Rest in peace!

Donna Vellotti - December 01, 2025 at 08:29 PM

DW

*A beautiful video of a full life, well lived.
Dede Williams*

Dede Williams - December 02, 2025 at 05:54 PM

DD

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Donna Dickey - December 03, 2025 at 01:51 PM

KC

“ Kaileen C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruby Pearl Young.

Kaileen C. - December 02, 2025 at 02:40 PM



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



Brown's Durant Funeral Service - December 01, 2025 at 10:56 AM

JY

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Jennifer Young - November 30, 2025 at 04:23 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ruby Pearl Young.



November 30, 2025 at 03:16 PM

LM

“ Love Melanie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruby Pearl Young.

Love Melanie - November 30, 2025 at 03:16 PM

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Regina - November 28, 2025 at 08:54 PM