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Naomi Jean Bickel (Allen), 84, passed peacefully from this earth to her heavenly home, Wednesday, March 25, 2020 in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. She was born July 21, 1935 to Lewis Marion and Esther Earlabough in Sparks, Oklahoma, the youngest of two daughters. Jean was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 26 years, Otho L.C. Allen; her sister Dorothy Bickel; and her late husband of 3 years, Louis Bickel. She was a faithful member of Eastland Assembly of God, where she served for 31 dedicated years as secretary. Eastland was a place she loved and cherished. She enjoyed the many genuine friendships and connections she made throughout the years, and was always willing to help her brothers and sisters in Christ. She had a true servant's heart, and it showed in the warmth of her smile, and her selflessness and generosity toward all. Jean was a devoted mother to her three children Alan Allen (Donna) of Pearland, TX, Marcia Bruce (Randy) of Tulsa, OK, and Jeanna Newton of Tulsa, OK. She loved to be with her family, and throughout the years, you could regularly find everyone gathered around her dinner table. She was the gentle leader and heart of her home. She was a loving Nanny to Lyndsay Harris (Brandon), Lauren Attaway (Kurt), Kalen Bruce (Sarah), Eric Bruce (Brandy), and Brittany Murillo (Jesus), and aunt to numerous nieces and nephews. Nanny also had the delight of loving 14 wonderful great grandchildren: Sawyer, Eli, Madison, Canten, Emersen, Jaden, McKinley, Beckett, Pierce, Kohen, Kennedy, Micaela, Camila, and another great grandbaby she had the joy of knowing is on the way. Jean was strong and independent, showing perseverance and grace in the face of life's hardships. She was an example to many in the ways that she generously loved, served, and lived with gratitude. Though we grieve her loss here on earth, we do grieve with the hope of seeing her again in our promised home, heaven. Jean lived her life clinging to Jesus and we rejoice that she is with Him now, face to face. The funeral and graveside



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services will be held Monday, March 30, 2020 at 12:30pm for immediate family members only.

Live stream of the service will be available to extended family and friends via the following link:
http://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed_viewer/26667"

We thank the many who wish to pay their respects, and hope to do that together at a future date



Events


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Webcasting Service

 **Monday**, March 30, 2020

 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM CT

 **Floral Haven Funeral Home**
6500 S. 129th E. Ave., Broken Arrow OK 74012





Tribute Wall

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Jeanna Newton posted:

I miss you momma!! Can't wait to see you again in heaven!! I Love you!!

February 1 at 6:41 AM



Jeanna Newton posted:

I love you, your my beautiful momma forever! When you thought I wasn't listening, I was. Thank you for just being you. Until we meet again in heaven, your forever in my heart! I love you, Jeanna

March 30 at 3:39 PM



Marcia Bruce posted:

Mom Thank you for being the example of how to love and trust God. You were not only my Mom but my best friend. I will always cherish eating lunch and shopping every Saturday for more years that I can remember. You will for sure be missed. I love you with all my heart! I know you are at peace in the presence of God. Love you! Marcia

March 29 at 6:40 PM



Ida Bruce posted:

I met Jean in 1957. we had just moved to Tulsa and my twin sister was going to Lewis Ave Assembly church so I decided to go there . The first Sunday I had to take Randy to the nurse , he was 5 months old and Jean came in with Alan who was a few months older than Randy. She ask me whose baby I was holding. She could hardly believe when I told her he was mine. She thought I was Pearl my twin sister. After she moved in with Randy and Marcia she came with them when they would come down. I asked her if she ever thought she would be living with that baby she met so long ago. She just smiled that beautiful smile and never said a word. I will miss her every time Marcia and Randy come to visit. Rest in Peace , Jean, Ida Bruce.

March 29 at 2:39 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bickel family.



March 29 at 2:22 PM



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GP

Glenda Pitezel posted:

I loved talking to Jean and laughing as we talked. Her smile was just beautiful, as she herself was. She encouraged me and made me feel like I was her best friend. She had the knack of making everyone feel that way. We will miss her so much. Buddy and Glenda Pitezel

March 28 at 5:57 PM

MM

Mark McNutt posted:

Our condolences to all your family Mark and Kathy McNutt

March 28 at 3:48 PM

TC

Tara Castellon lit a candle in honor of Naomi.



March 28 at 2:43 PM

TC

Tara Castellon posted:

Jean truly had a way of making you always feel so special and so loved. She helped me through so many trying times just with a kindness about her nobody else has. She will be truly missed and will always be so loved ❤️👤

March 28 at 2:41 PM

PF

Pamela Fuller posted:

Jean was always friendly & kind to me. I have great memories of her & lots of laughter when I was around her. Our world needs to have more of the attributes that she displayed in her lifetime. Heaven is richer with her. Much prayers for her precious family.

March 28 at 1:10 PM

RB

Randy Bruce shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Her smile was here main form of communication for the last few months and she never lost it.



March 28 at 11:16 AM



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EF

Eastland Pastors, Staff & Friends sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Bickel family.



March 28 at 7:52 AM

SW

Sandra & Londos Winn posted:

Jean & I worked side by side for about 15 years as secretaries at Eastland Assembly. We had a great relationship & we tried to keep up with everything we needed to do! The last time Londos & I stopped by the church she took us on a tour of the updated facilities at Eastland followed by us sharing a lot of memories. I'll always remember her for her kindness & love for her God, family & church. We will miss you Jean but know we will see you again!

March 28 at 7:13 AM



Media

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Randy Bruce shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

March 28 at 11:16 AM



The Smile



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Naomi by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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