



Gloria L Sellers

February 16, 1934 - May 3, 2020

Gloria Loretta (Davy) Sellers was called home by her Lord and Savior on Sunday, May 3, 2020 at the age of 86 years. She was born February 16, 1934 on the Indian Reservation in Anadarko, Caddo County, Oklahoma to Charles Frank and Patsy Nellie (Taylor) Davy.

During the Great Depression, the Davy family struggled to make ends meet before deciding to travel to California where Gloria's uncles had moved. They got as far as Albuquerque, New Mexico before the family ran out of money. For a few years Gloria lived with her older sister, Fern, and her parents in Albuquerque before her parents divorced. When she was 12 years old, Gloria moved to Argonia, Kansas with her father and sister. The two young girls were put in charge of the kitchen and cooking meals for the small family of three. This is when Gloria perfected her cooking skills for which she later became known as an excellent cook. Gloria graduated from Argonia High School in 1951. After High School, she secured a job as a cashier at Dillons Grocery in Wichita, Kansas. It was at Dillons that she met the love of her life, Arlo Loyal Sellers. They were united in marriage on November 30, 1952 in Argonia, Kansas during a once-every-50-year ice storm. The couple remained married for 66 years until Arlo's death in 2019. The family originally made their home in Wichita and were blessed with three sons. In 1973 they built a home in Augusta, Kansas. In Augusta, Gloria worked several different jobs at the Augusta Dillons Grocery while Arlo was the store manager. Upon Arlo's retirement, the couple moved to the North Shore of Hawaii, where they lived in Haleiwa, Hawaii in 1986 and 1987. After a couple of years in Tucson, Arizona, they moved to Broken Arrow, Oklahoma in 1989 where they lived until 2014 when they moved to Kentucky to live with their middle son. In 2020, Gloria moved back to Broken Arrow to be close to her oldest and youngest sons.

Throughout her career, Gloria was a homemaker, a floral designer at Dillons, a secretary and office manager at Tulsa Tech. While she was the office manager at Tulsa Tech, she wrote a check to purchase a 727 airplane! Gloria was very family-oriented and loved cooking for her family. Gloria's chocolate pies were known far and wide and her "earthquake" birthday cakes were famous as well. Gloria also enjoyed the outdoors and

adventures with her husband and family. After becoming a Christian in 1965, Gloria was very actively involved in the Church throughout the rest of her life.

She is survived by her three sons, Greg Sellers and wife Christi of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, Jeff Sellers and wife Laura of Harrodsburg, Kentucky, and Theo Sellers and wife Patty of Tulsa, Oklahoma; six grandchildren, Joshua Sellers of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, Grant Sellers of Lexington, Kentucky, Lynette Sellers of Harrodsburg, Kentucky, Joel Sellers of Harrodsburg, Kentucky, Zachary Sellers and wife Sara of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, and Kayla Urizar and husband Ivan of Tulsa, Oklahoma; four great-grandchildren, Braden, Isabelle and Abigail Sellers of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma and Leila Urizar of Tulsa, Oklahoma; and one half-sister, Beverly Kelly of Albuquerque, New Mexico. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arlo Sellers; father, Charles Davy; mother, Patsy Emberty; sister, Fern Peterson; half-sister, Louise Navarro; half-brother, Paul Emberty and great-grandson, Kaysen Sellers.

Gloria will be missed by a host of family and Christian friends.

Events

JUN **Memorial Service** 11:00AM
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Catoosa Hills Christian Church
18415 E Admiral Pl, Catoosa, OK, US, 74015

Comments



“ Gloria was a good mother-in-law. She was sensitive and compassionate regarding our similar childhoods. She helped me pay my wedding dress off. Her reliance on God as her strength and joy was very evident. She made sure all of us always had cards and/or gifts in time to open for all of our birthdays and holidays, even though we were/are half way across the nation. She was a very kindred spirit, she let her Light shine for Jesus, and is sorely missed. I'm thankful she was a Christian so we will see each other again someday and laugh about some very challenging times.

Laura - June 07 at 03:36 PM



“ By the time I met Gloria, her health had declined and she was no longer able to walk. Our "visits" took place on Sunday mornings at church. Her son Jeff faithfully brought her to services, and made certain she was fashionably dressed and wearing jewelry. I so admire the loving care he extended to her during this time of her decline. And I so enjoyed being able to speak with her and see a smile light up her eyes and face. These short times together touched my heart. I felt, even at this stage of her life, I was in the presence of a woman who knew and loved her Savior. It brings me peace and comfort to realize she is now free from the limitations she once experienced. I pray her family shares in this peace and comfort as well, and I will uphold you in prayer at this time of loss.

Mary Hollis - May 05 at 04:03 PM