



Bessie May Kinsey Forrest

August 15, 1929 - November 5, 2020

Bessie May Kinsey Forrest, 91, of Copan, died at 10:02 A.M. on Thursday, November 5, 2020 in Bartlesville.

Graveside services will be held at 1 P.M. on Wednesday, November 11, 2020 at the Memorial Park Cemetery with Tommy Delozier officiating and directed by the Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory.

Friends who wish may call for visitation at the Stumpff Funeral Home on Tuesday evening from 5 P.M. until 8 P.M.

Bessie May Kinsey was born on August 15, 1929 in Bartlesville to William "Earl" Kinsey and Bessie May (Spalding) Kinsey. Her birth mother preceded her in death during childbirth and was raised by her step mother, Anna Marie Tucker Kinsey. Bessie grew up and received her education in the Dewey area and graduated from Dewey High School. She was married to Morris C. Forrest in 1947. She had worked as a telephone operator and then as a meat wrapper at IGA Foodliner. She had also been a homemaker and later became a Licensed Practical Nurse and was employed at the Jane Philips Medical Center for 22 years until her retirement. She has made her home at Copan for over 25 years.

Survivors include her son, Dennis Earl Forrest and wife Cathy of South Coffeyville, her brother, Bill Kinsey and wife Patricia of Vinita, 7 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren,. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Donna Forrest Chaney in 2019, her birth mother, her father and stepmother who raised her, and her husband Morris C. Forrest.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

4200 Nowata Rd
Bartlesville, OK 74006

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **10**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

NOV **11**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Bessie May Kinsey Forrest*



Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory - November 12, 2020 at 11:22 AM



“ *Bessie May Kinsey Forrest*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM

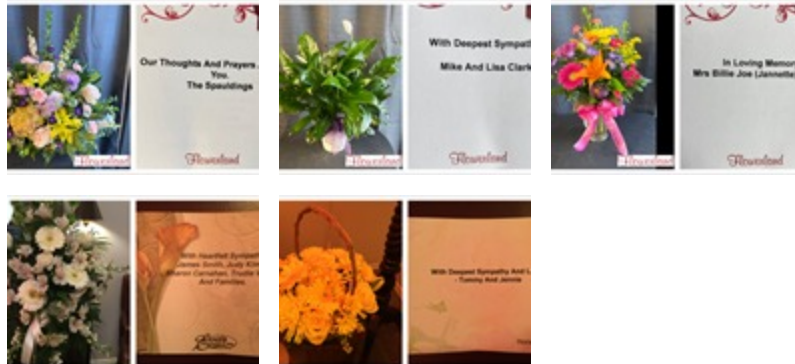


“ *Bessie May Kinsey Forrest*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *7 files added to the album Flowers*



Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory - November 12, 2020 at 10:10 AM

BB

Denny, you will know who I am. I was your step brother for a time. Your mom was always sweet to me. She took on things my own blood would not touch. I loved her and always knew that she loved and cared for me. I have missed her for years and now will miss her forever.

Billy Mike Berryhill - November 13, 2020 at 08:05 AM

KV

“ Bessie was an absolute charm. I always looked forward to our visits with her at the Copan Truck Stop diner with her daughter. She will be deeply missed.

Keith and Lisa Volm - November 09, 2020 at 01:41 PM



Elizabeth Booth

“ Elizabeth Booth lit a candle in memory of Bessie May Kinsey Forrest



Elizabeth Booth - November 09, 2020 at 10:08 AM

LB

*“ Denny, I'm sorry to hear about Bessie. When I think of her it always brings a smile to my face because I loved and adored her frankness and spunk! God bless to you and your family during this time.
Love, Leigh Ann*

Leigh Ann Bane - November 08, 2020 at 03:12 PM

DB

*“ Denny we were saddened to hear of your mothers passing. Our Condolences and prayers.
Mike and Deniece Bush*

deniece bush - November 07, 2020 at 12:32 AM