



Terry Elaine Wade Collins

November 22, 1955 - September 10, 2024

Terry Elaine (Wade) Collins, passed away from this life on Tuesday, September 10th, 2024. Terry was a beloved daughter, mother, sister, grandmother, and friend, whose presence brightened the lives of all who knew her. Her legacy of kindness, love, and unwavering support will forever remain in our hearts.

Terry was born on November 22nd, 1955, in Pawhuska, Oklahoma, to Turk and Betty Wade. Growing up in Pawhuska, she was an active and engaged member of the community. Terry's boundless energy and passion for life were evident in her involvement in various activities, including the Girl Scouts, the National Honor Society, the high school band, and the High School Newspaper. She thrived on learning new things and embraced every opportunity that came her way.

In 1980, Terry began a new chapter in her life when she married Matt Collins. Together, they raised two loving sons, Casey and Owen, whom she supported and encouraged every step of the way. Terry took immense pride in her role as a mother, always cheering on her sons and providing unwavering love and guidance. Her selflessness and dedication to her family knew no bounds, and her impact on their lives will resonate for generations to come.

Becoming a grandmother in 2008 brought Terry immeasurable joy, and she

embraced her new role as "GIGI" with all the love and enthusiasm in her heart. Holidays and traditions took on new meaning as she shared her cherished moments with her grandchildren, creating lasting memories filled with love and laughter. Terry's nurturing spirit and boundless affection were evident in every moment she spent with her beloved Angel (as she always called them), whom she adored beyond measure.

Terry's love extended not only to her family but also to her passion for animals, gardening, and cheering on her favorite sports team. Her energy for Christmas and the joy of bringing loved ones together during the festive season were a testament to her generous and loving nature. Despite facing physical challenges in recent years, Terry's resilience and determination to make every moment special for those she cared about exemplified her strength of character and unwavering spirit. Her family will always remember her for the over the top 4th of July gatherings.

A woman of faith, Terry's love for Jesus radiated from her in all that she did. She shared her faith with grace and compassion, touching the lives of many with her unwavering belief and love for others. Terry's legacy of kindness, compassion, and faith will continue to inspire us all.

As we mourn the loss of Terry, let us take solace in the memories we shared, the love she bestowed upon us, and the lasting impact she had on our lives. Though she may no longer be with us, Terry's spirit will forever live on in the hearts of those who were fortunate enough to know and love her. Let us hold each other close and find comfort in the love and legacy that Terry left behind.

Left behind to cherish her memory, life partner, Matt Collins; her 2 sons, Casey Collins and Owen Collins; Grandchildren, Logan Collins and Brooklyn Collins; Her Best Friend little Britches Marie; 3 Sister Carolyn Quillin (Carl), Marilyn Dorsey, and Christy Moody (Julian); and a host of nieces and

nephews she loved and cherished. Along with many other family and friends. She is proceeded in death by her Parents, Turk and Betty Wade, Brother Kelly Wade and brother-in-law Charles Dorsey.

Pallbearers will be Casey Collins, Owen Collins, Logan Collins

Honorary Pallbearers will be Shannon Watkins, Jeremy Johnson, Daniel Debroeck, Steve Yeubanks and Nick Williams.

Kathy Gott will be officiate. Flower, donation and condolences may be offered at Stumpff Skiatook Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **20**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Terry, my dear friend of many years since the 70s. You were such a brave woman to survive the struggles of recovering the last 4 or 5 yrs. I'm deeply but I'm positive the pain and suffering are gone now. Journey my loving friend. ---H

h lowe - November 08, 2024 at 07:58 PM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Terry Elaine Wade Collins.



September 28, 2024 at 09:45 AM

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“ Terry was not only a sister to me but a best friend. I am going to miss you dearly and our talks each day. I know I will see you again. You will be watching over us and sending signs. We will do our part to watch over your boys and Angels and Matt and Britches Marie. I will feel you each day. Love and miss you sweet sister.



Marilyn Dorsey (sister) - September 22, 2024 at 11:27 AM

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“ Terry was one of my best friends,, if love could have saved her she would still be here with us. She was not only my best friend but we also affectionately called each other sis. We may have not had the same blood line, but our love for each other ran deep. She would get onto me just like a big sister would do and tell me you better listen to me! She is so missed and so very loved by anyone who had the pleasure of knowing her.
I won't say goodbye to you sis. I'm just going to say see you later. I will love and cherish you forever



linda guthrie - September 20, 2024 at 05:33 PM

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“ Debbie and Gerald Butcher planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Elaine Wade Collins.

Debbie and Gerald Butcher - September 20, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Terry Elaine Wade Collins.



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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terry Elaine Wade Collins.*



September 13, 2024 at 11:14 AM



“ *Love, Your 5th Grade Football Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Elaine Wade Collins.*

Love, Your 5th Grade Football Family - September 13, 2024 at 11:14 AM