



## Mrs. Virginia Mae Burton

May 10, 1923 - November 14, 2015

### VIRGINIA MAE BURTON

Virginia Mae Burton, 92, resident of Bartlesville, died at 11:10 AM, Saturday in Bartlesville.

Memorial services will be held at 1:00 P.M., Saturday in the Stumpff Funeral Home Chapel.

Virginia Mae Burton was born on May 10, 1923 at Sand Springs the daughter of Ted Earl and Ella Mae (Park) Dodd. She was raised in Oklahoma mainly around the Delaware, Nowata County areas. She graduated from Delaware High School in 1940 and went to work as a telephone operator. She was married to Paul Collins on Nov. 21, 1942 at Corpus Christy, Texas she later married Mike Burton on June 4, 1957 at Clovis, New Mexico. And they lived in War Acres and then Pawhuska where they lived until his death in 1998. She then moved to Bartlesville. She had worked for Bell Telephone Company as a switchboard operator. She was a member of the Church of God and was baptized in a creek near Alluwe. Although she was very active in church activities at several other church throughout her life she never joined any other church.

Virginia is survived by her son Michael Burton and his wife Kathy, one

daughter, Lorita Hollis of Dewey four grandchildren, Sheryl Nichols, David Nichols, Stephen Burton and Courtney Graham, three great grandchildren, Baker Heath, Alexis Burton and January Heath.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Virginia Mae Burton*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *Mrs. Virginia Mae Burton*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I knew Virginia through her son Michael since the seventies. She played the piano and would sing at the Osage Indian baptist church. She was a very strong and wonderful woman. When I married Michael in 2000 she welcomed me with open arms and was like a mother to me since then . I love you and will miss you very much .*



**Kathy Burton** - November 21, 2015 at 01:24 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mrs. Virginia Mae Burton.*



November 19, 2015 at 09:36 PM

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“ Mike, our thoughts and prayers are with you, Lorita and your families. We pray for peace and comfort that only God can give.  
Love,  
Glen and Debbie

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**Debbie Ferguson** - November 19, 2015 at 06:24 PM

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“ Sheryl and family -  
I am so sorry for your loss. I remember Grandma Burton's warmth, openness, and her hugs!! My thoughts are with you.  
Kelly Huntsman

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**Kelly Huntsman** - November 18, 2015 at 12:11 PM

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“ My sympathies to Virginia's family. She and Lorita lived next door to me and my family in Delaware in the late '40's and '50's. I was so happy that she and Mr. Burton (our basketball coach at Delaware) found each other and married. Thoughts and prayers are with her family.  
Marilyn Gibson Harris

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**Marilyn Gibson Harris** - November 18, 2015 at 10:41 AM