



## Dessie Lee Reed

January 5, 1936 - September 1, 2018

Dessie Lee Reed was born January 5, 1936, in McLean, Texas, to Clyde Taylor Ware and Blanche Viona Lloyd. She died Saturday, September 1, 2018, in Owasso, Oklahoma, at the age of 82 years. Dessie was reared and educated in Wheatland/Grady, New Mexico, and graduated with the Grady High School Class of 1954. She continued her education at Amarillo College in Amarillo, Texas. Dessie was married June 13, 1953, in Clovis, New Mexico, to Paul Franklin Reed. She spent much of her working life with Southwestern Public Service in Amarillo, starting in the mail room and working her way up to executive secretary. She and Paul have made their home in Owasso, Oklahoma, since 2005. They have been faithful members of Bible Church of Owasso. She enjoyed a variety of pastimes including sewing and painting.

Those she leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

Her husband; Paul, of the home

Son and daughter-in-law; Ken and Carol Reed, of Owasso

Daughter; Sharon Turnbough, of Jennings, Oklahoma

Seven grandchildren;

Matt Turnbough and wife Christy, of Fort Wayne, Indiana

Janna Hackett and husband Daniel, of Clovis, New Mexico

Robert Turnbough and wife Mariola, of Portales, New Mexico

Kirstyn Turnbough, of Jennings, Oklahoma

Erik Reed and wife Jamie, of Shoreline, Washington

Keith Reed, of Oologah, Oklahoma

Robert Malone and wife Nikki, of Collinsville, Oklahoma

Nine great grandchildren; Donovan, Savannah, Mason, Corban, R.J., Kaleah, Landon, Levi, and Sadie

Two brothers, Marion Ware and Bob Ware, both of Clovis, New Mexico

Three sisters; Lois Hale, of Clovis, New Mexico

Edna Gorman, of Norco, California

Elsie Hightower and husband Willie, of Chico, California

She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters, Echo Mackechnie and Georgie Corbin, and one brother, Dale Ware.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 5, 2018, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Thursday, September 6, 2018, at Bible Church of Owasso with Pastor Ted Johnson officiating. Committal service and interment will follow at Green Acres Memorial Gardens in rural Owasso. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 5. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service  
9110 N. Garnett Rd.  
Owasso, OK 74055  
(918) 272-6244  
<https://www.moweryfs.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ Rick Romero lit a candle in memory of Dessie Lee Reed



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**Rick Romero** - March 11, 2021 at 10:28 PM

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“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy to family and friends. May all of your good memories be greater than your sadness during this difficult time. (Isaiah 25:8)

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“ Uncle Paul, Kenneth, Carol, and all of Aunt Dessie's loved ones, our thoughts and prayers are with you all in this time of sorrow. Aunt Dessie will be so very much missed.

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**Marvin & Judy Reed** - September 03, 2018 at 04:29 PM

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“ Marvin & Judy Reed lit a candle in memory of Dessie Lee Reed



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**Marvin & Judy Reed** - September 03, 2018 at 04:26 PM



“ *Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant was purchased for the family of Dessie Lee Reed.* ”



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September 02, 2018 at 08:38 PM