



## Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee

May 27, 1951 - September 15, 2021

Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee was born on May 27, 1951, in England, Arkansas to Thomas Marion "Papaw" Damon and Ellen Lavell "Mamaw" Damon. She passed from this life on Wednesday, September 15, 2021, in Tulsa, Oklahoma at the age of 70 years. Pookie was educated in Stuttgart, Arkansas and graduated with the Stuttgart High School Class of 1969. She then went on to earn her associate degree as a Registered Nurse from Phillips County Community College in 1989. She spent most of her working life as a Registered Nurse and had most recently been working with Brookdale Home Health Care. Pookie enjoyed a variety of past times such as interior decorating, praying, and shopping at flea markets, but most of all she loved spending time with her family and especially her grandchildren. Those she leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

Daughter;

April McGhee and husband Clay Butler

Son;

Aaron McGhee and wife Shannon

3 Grandchildren;

Drew Mack and wife Robin

Patrick McGhee

Katelyn McGhee

Great Grandson;

A.J. Mack

Mother;

Lavell Damon

2 Sisters;

Hettie Conley

Kimberly Buffkin

She was preceded in death by her father, Thomas, brother-in-law, David Conley, and granddaughter, Mallori Mack.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **19**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service  
9110 North Garnett Road  
Owasso, OK 74055

## Funeral Service

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

Mowery Funeral Service Chapel  
9110 North Garnett Road  
Owasso, OK 74055

## Memorial Fund

SEP **20** (ET)

Grace on Wings  
2640 Cargo Drive  
Indianapolis, IN 46241

# Tribute Wall

CG

“ Carrie and Mary Grissom purchased the Mother - Angel Figurine, 8.5 in for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



Carrie and Mary Grissom - September 20, 2021 at 10:43 AM

AC

“ Amy C Cates purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



Amy C Cates - September 19, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



September 19, 2021 at 07:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



September 19, 2021 at 11:53 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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September 19, 2021 at 09:26 AM



“ *Steve and Jill Stone purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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**Steve and Jill Stone** - September 18, 2021 at 11:19 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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September 17, 2021 at 10:50 PM



“ *Donna was very good Christian. She had a special smile for everybody. Love Helen Fischer*

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**Helen Fischer** - September 17, 2021 at 08:44 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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September 17, 2021 at 06:53 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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September 17, 2021 at 06:05 PM



“ *Brookdale Home Health purchased the Pretty Ple ase for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.*



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**Brookdale Home Health** - September 17, 2021 at 11:43 AM

TB

“ When I was little and heard that Aunt Donna was coming to see the Arkansas side of the family, I remember there being such excitement in the air because we knew it was DECORATING time! I am talking, rearranging furniture a few times to change the room up, trips to Kirkland's in Little Rock, making different wreaths for the next few seasons to last until she was able to come down again, and at one point, ripping up carpet to put tile in my room! She had a knack for helping a person make their home feel more comfortable and safe when the person couldn't quite get it perfect themselves. She was the missing piece. Thank you, Aunt Donna, for everything. <3

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**Tyler B.** - September 17, 2021 at 10:47 AM

TB

“ One of my favorite memories with Aunt Donna was when I was little and heard that she was coming down from Oklahoma to Arkansas, there would be a general excitement in the air because that meant it was DECORATING time. I'm talking rearranging furniture, trips to Kirkland's in Little Rock, putting together wreaths for the door, and on one occasion, ripping up carpet in my room to put tile down! She had a knack for helping other people make their spaces feel comfortable and safe for them when they couldn't quite get it just perfect by themselves. She was the missing piece. It was a part of my childhood that I won't forget. Thank you, Aunt Donna, for everything. <3

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**Tyler Buffkin** - September 17, 2021 at 10:35 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



September 17, 2021 at 10:12 AM



“ Angela R. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



Angela R. - September 16, 2021 at 10:15 PM



“ So many wonderful childhood memories at our small church at Richwood. We grew up together. Then later shared the love of our families on Facebook. Donna was so very special. Rest in Love. Your friend Patty (Murray) Arnold



Patty (Murray) Arnold - September 16, 2021 at 09:41 PM

JC

“ Aunt Donna was always such a joy to be around, always smiling, always engaging, and full of spirit. She always made me feel welcome and loved when I was with her, from a child, to an adult, and she always kept that spirit alive. You could sit with her and talk for hours, catching up, or just talk about years ago, laughing until it hurt. Our family prays for April, Aaron, and all the grandchildren in this time of mourning. May God comfort you, bless you, and be with you during this time -  
Jason



Jason Conley - September 16, 2021 at 09:24 PM

GM

“ Gary Mackey lit a candle in memory of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee



Gary Mackey - September 16, 2021 at 08:58 PM

HF

Donna was a. Special person and a very Godly person. She was so nice happy to everybody. Helen Fischr

Helen Fischer - September 17, 2021 at 06:43 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Jean "Pookie" McGhee.



September 16, 2021 at 08:02 PM