



Helen Louise Harrell

June 7, 1946 - May 30, 2025

Helen Louise Ward-Harrell was born June 7, 1946, in Roswell, New Mexico. She passed peacefully surrounded by loved ones, on Friday, May 30, 2025, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She was preceded in death by her beloved father, Earl Ward, her devoted mother, Alberta Louise Ward, and her cherished son, Ronald T. Harrell.

Helen was a loving mother, sister, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend. She leaves behind a legacy of strength, resilience, and family values that will be treasured by all who knew her.

She is survived by her two brothers: LeeRoy Ward and his wife Sam, and Allen Ward, all of Catoosa, Oklahoma.

Her children, Alberta Oates and husband Vince Oates, of Sperry, Oklahoma, and Earl Harrell of Catoosa, Oklahoma, who will continue to carry forward her love and spirit.

Helen's greatest Joy came from her grandchildren whom she adored:

Courtney Ballard and husband Jerry, of Pryor, Oklahoma

Victoria Field and husband Chris, of Bixby, Oklahoma

Randy Harrell and wife Kayte, of Catoosa, Oklahoma

Madysen Harrell of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

Lauren Bartmier and husband Brett, of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma

Maranda Bridgeman and husband Josh, of Mounds, Oklahoma

She was also blessed with 10 great-grandchildren: Landon, Leighton, Landry, Sterling, Oaklynn, Gracelyn, Olivia, Henley, Jorgen, and Hagan, who brought her endless pride and joy.

And a host of nieces and nephews

Helen worked as devoted school bus driver for Catoosa Public Schools for over 35 years. She enjoyed a good book, a day of shopping, and most of all, spoiling her grandbabies.

Helen will be remembered for her unwavering love of family and the need to say whatever's on her mind. She leaves behind a legacy of grace and strength that will live on in all who knew and loved her.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 3, 2025, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 4, 2025, at the Mowery Funeral Service Chapel with Pastor Weston Baker officiating. Final resting place will be next to her son at Dick Duck Cemetery in Catoosa, Oklahoma. The family requests memorial contributions be made in Helen's memory to Porta Caeli House, 2440 North Harvard Avenue, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74115. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso. www.moweryfs.com

Cemetery Details

Dick Duck Cemetery

Catoosa, OK 74015

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service
9110 N Garnett Rd
Owasso, OK 74055
(918) 272-6244

Funeral Service

JUN 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Memorial Fund

JUN 4 (CT)

Porta Caeli House
2440 North Harvard Ave
Tulsa, OK 74115

Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Helen Louise Harrell.

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“ Rays of Light Spray was purchased for the family of Helen Louise Harrell.



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