



## Sharon Gale Gardner

September 17, 1948 - December 25, 2019

Sharon Gale Gardner was born September 17, 1948, in Independence, Missouri, to William James and Ruth Nadine Martin Kendrick. She died Wednesday, December 25, 2019, in Owasso, Oklahoma, at the age of 71 years. Sharon attended school at Truman High School in Independence. She was married at the young age of 16 years in a little church on December 18, 1964, in Rosedale, Kansas, to Dennis Gardner. Their first child was a son they named Dennis, born June 29, 1966. Their second child, also a son, Damon was born November 27, 1970. When they were married, Dennis worked as a subcontractor in the home building industry. She and Dennis later owned and operated nursing homes. The change in their lives occurred in 1979 when they moved to Oklahoma to the small town of Owasso where they worked in the oil industry. Later together, they opened a print and sign shop, Hot Off The Press in Tulsa. They worked side by side for over 55 years. Their oldest son, Dennis, played baseball for the Owasso Rams, which started their love for sports. Damon also played baseball for Owasso and pitched for the Owasso Rams State Championship baseball team of 1987. Sharon's oldest grandson, Drake, played for the Owasso Rams team that won the Class 6A State Championship in 2013, and grandson Drew played for the State Championship team of 2015. Owasso sports and athletics were always a big part of her life. Her oldest granddaughter, Danielle played on the 2008 Owasso Volleyball State Championship team. Her youngest granddaughter, Taylor, was part of the Owasso High School Cheerleaders that won the State

Championship of 2017. Dax and Dylan are currently playing baseball and her great grandson, Dodson, is sure to follow in their tradition. Her love for her daughters-in-law, Trina and Tiffany, was unending. She enjoyed a variety of pastimes including cooking, but her biggest joy was to have all the family over for the holidays. She especially enjoyed her role of Mimi. If we were to put things in order of her life, it would be her church, her husband, Dennis, her grandkids and great grandson, her two boys and their wives. It would be easily said, her family was her life. Those she leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

Her husband of over 55 years; Dennis, of the home

Two sons; Dennis Gardner and wife Trina, of Owasso

Damon Gardner and wife Tiffany, of Owasso

Grandchildren; Danielle Gardner and fiancé Matthew Hardin, of Oklahoma City

Drake Gardner and wife Haley, of Little Elm, Texas

Drew Gardner

Taylor Gardner

Dax Gardner

Dylan Gardner

Great grandson; Dodson Gardner

Two sisters; Debbie Rockers and Edwinna Clutter

She was preceded in death by her parents, sister, Gwen Stewart, and brother, Gerald Kendrick.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Thursday, January 2, 2020, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, January 3, 2020, at Friendship Baptist Church in Owasso with Pastor Linzy Slayden officiating. Serving as casket bearers will be Drake Gardner, Drew Gardner, Dax Gardner, Dylan Gardner, Matthew Hardin, and Eric Murr. Committal service and interment will follow at Memorial Park Cemetery in Tulsa, Oklahoma. The family requests memorial contributions be made to Owasso Ram Baseball Boosters, P.O. Box 1011, Owasso, Oklahoma,

74055, or Friendship Baptist Church, 14100 East 86th Street North, Owasso, Oklahoma, 74055. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Memorial Fund

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

Owasso Ram Baseball Boosters  
P.O. Box 1011  
Owasso, OK 74055

## Memorial Fund

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

Friendship Baptist Church  
14100 East 86th Street North  
Owasso, OK 74055

## Service

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Some of my fondest memories of Owasso Baseball we're chatting with Mrs Gardner as we watched. She loved her grandchildren dearly. My thoughts are with your family.  
Chris Lang

chris - January 05, 2020 at 08:14 AM

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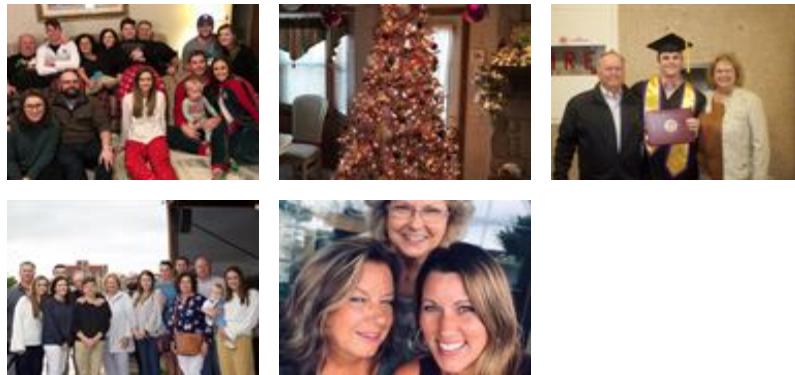
“ Amy Holmgren and Nami Tulsa purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.



Amy Holmgren and Nami Tulsa - January 02, 2020 at 06:30 PM



“ 92 files added to the album LifeTributes



Mowery Funeral Service - January 02, 2020 at 06:23 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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January 02, 2020 at 03:30 PM



“ *Sharon was such a precious soul and we are blessed to have known her! She was always thinking of others, was so friendly, with such a kind heart! Sharon's contribution to life here on this earth will live long in all our hearts! We're so thankful for the time we shared together at Friendship. Our prayers are with Dennis and all the family for God's strength and peace. We know Sharon is celebrating with her Savior and this thought leaves us comfort, in that, one day we will live with her again in God's Heaven! Until then, Sharon will truly be missed! We loved her!*

*Tom and Carol Day  
Friendship Baptist Church*

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**Carol Day** - January 02, 2020 at 01:48 PM



“ *Blessed Heart was purchased for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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January 02, 2020 at 11:23 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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December 31, 2019 at 08:31 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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December 31, 2019 at 06:30 PM



“ *Barbara, Gregg and Debbie sicka purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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**Barbara, Gregg and Debbie sicka** - December 31, 2019 at 03:57 PM



“ *Love, Steve and Edna Hardin purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Sharon Gale Gardner.*



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**Love, Steve and Edna Hardin** - December 30, 2019 at 02:13 PM