



## Vennie Louise Nantz

February 28, 1927 - May 10, 2019

Vennie Louise Ingram Nantz was born February 28, 1927, in Locust Grove, Oklahoma, to Everett and Hattie Sisco Ingram. She entered heaven May 10, 2019, in Owasso, Oklahoma at the age of 92 years. Vennie was reared and educated in Locust Grove and graduated with the Locust Grove High School Class of 1946. She was proud of having played on the Locust Grove Lady Pirates basketball team that went to the state tournament. She was married February 12, 1947, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, to George Lewis Nantz. Vennie spent over 29 years as an assembler at Zebco building Model 33 reels. She was strong in her faith attending Christs Church of Owasso. She prayed for her family and friends that one day all would be reunited. Vennie was the matriarch of the family and a pillar holding everyone together through good times and bad. She was a feisty, spunky red-head who always wanted to have fun and let her presence be known. She loved to be told how young and beautiful she looked or she would let you know. More than anything, she was proud of her family. She never grew tired of bragging on her kids, grandkids, nieces, and nephews, and what they each had accomplished, be it large or small. Vennie leaves behind a host of family and friends who hold many cherished memories include:

Three daughters and sons-in-law;  
Beverly and Ron Griffin, of Tulsa, Oklahoma  
Robin and Jim Hanner, of Owasso  
Rhonda and David Sanders, of Owasso

Daughter-in-law; Marjorie Nantz, of Dallas, Texas  
Nine grandchildren;  
J. Lewis Nantz, of Austin, Texas  
Evie Zamudio and husband Matt, of Red Oak, Texas  
Jeff Griffin and wife Kenna, of Edmond, Oklahoma  
Casey Griffin, of Tulsa  
Chelsey Griffin, of Tulsa  
Trey Hanner and wife Heather, of Owasso  
Jessica Gros and husband Evan, of Las Vegas, Nevada  
Andy Sanders and wife Brittany, of Orlando, Florida  
Jesse Sanders and wife Jenna of Owasso  
11 grandchildren; Abigail, Naomi Jo, and Elijah Zamudio  
Tatum and Zane Griffin  
Gage and Cadyn Griffin  
Wyatt and Johnny Boy Hanner  
Milly Gros  
Jett Sanders

She was preceded in death by her parents, nine brothers, her husband of 43 years, her son, Johnny Nantz, granddaughter and her husband, Mendy and Roland Sedlmeier, and two great grandchildren, Harley and Sofie Sedlmeier, and close companion, Bill Uto.

Funeral service will be held 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14, 2019, at Christs Church of Owasso with Pastor David Payne and Mac Borgna officiating. Serving as casket bearers will be Stacy Brown, Jerry Lee Ingram, Toby Roberts, Bill Bryant, Scott Goekler, and Scott Ingram. Committal service and interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery in Owasso. The family requests memorial contributions be made to Grace Hospice, 6218 South Lewis Avenue, Suite 1000, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74055. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 13. 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

MAY 14 (CT)

Grace Hospice  
6218 South Lewis Avenue  
Tulsa, OK 74136

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My sincerest condolences to Vennie's family. Her son Johnny was one of my very best friends as we were growing up. His faith, as well as that of Vennie, serve as wonderful tributes to them. Love to all.*

Royce Caldron - May 13, 2019 at 10:00 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Vennie Louise Nantz.*



May 13, 2019 at 09:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vennie Louise Nantz.*



May 13, 2019 at 06:57 PM

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“ *Love and Hugs, Bill and Cheryl Cleland purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Vennie Louise Nantz.*



Love and Hugs, Bill and Cheryl Cleland - May 13, 2019 at 01:18 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vennie Louise Nantz.* ”



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May 13, 2019 at 01:00 PM