



## Theresa Laverne Kennedy

August 14, 1943 - May 24, 2023

Theresa "Laverne" (Palmer) Kennedy, age 79 of Tuskahoma, Oklahoma entered her heavenly home on May 24th, 2023 from her home with her family by her side. Laverne was born on August 14th, 1943 in Altus, Oklahoma to Tressie (Hill) and Houston Jack Palmer. Laverne married the love of her life, Johnny Kennedy on September 15th, 1962 and they began their life journey together. She taught Head Start at Buffalo Valley for 18 years, then retired from the Talihina Veterans Center as Activities Director. Laverne loved her family and prided herself on keeping everyone on their toes. She loved fishing, especially at Jack Fork Bridge. She fought a long battle, and is at peace now. We look forward to the day we see her smiling face again. Laverne will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

Laverne is survived by her husband, Johnny Kennedy of the home; son, Jackie Kennedy and Roni; son in law, Mike Humphreys; grandchildren, Kendale Whitenton and husband Ronnie, Lacy Humphreys, Kelbie Kennedy, and Karessa Cook and husband Nathan; great grandchildren, Mattie and husband Dylan, Meadow, Piper, Hunter, Chayce and Chloe; great great grandson, Deacon; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and other extended family.

Laverne is preceded in passing by her parents; six brothers, Seymore, Tommy, Jackie, Toby, Bubs, and Rickey; one daughter, Kathy Kennedy

Humphreys.

Visitation will be on Friday, May 26th, 2023 from 4:00PM to 6:00PM at McCarn Funeral Service in Talihina, Oklahoma.

Graveside services will be on Saturday, May 27th, 2023 at 10:00AM at Sardis Cemetery in Yanush, Oklahoma with Bro. Lee Allen Humphreys officiating. Services have been entrusted to McCarn Funeral Service.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **26**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McCarn Funeral Service  
500 Dallas Street  
Talihina, OK 74571  
(918) 942-5004  
<https://www.mccarnfuneralservice.com>

## Graveside Service

MAY **27**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sardis Cemetery  
Sardis Cemetery Road  
Clayton, OK 74536

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mona Young lit a candle in memory of Theresa Laverne Kennedy*



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**Mona Young** - May 25, 2023 at 01:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Theresa Laverne Kennedy.*



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May 25, 2023 at 12:38 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Theresa Laverne Kennedy.*



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May 25, 2023 at 12:33 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Theresa Laverne Kennedy.*



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May 24, 2023 at 11:10 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Theresa Laverne Kennedy.

May 24, 2023 at 09:53 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Theresa Laverne Kennedy.



May 24, 2023 at 09:53 PM