



Betty Ellen Tedford

November 3, 1929 - December 25, 2021

Betty Ellen (Watson) Tedford passed from this life December 25, 2021, at the age of 92. Betty was born in Greer County, Oklahoma on November 3, 1929, to Robert and Anna (Barber) Watson. She started school in Eastern Oklahoma at five years old, then later moved to Greer County attending Ocina Grade School. At the age of twelve she helped raise her three younger sisters after her mother's passing. Betty graduated at Delhi High School in 1950, moved into an apartment and work at Harts Variety Store up until she met her husband, Loyd.

Betty married the love of her life Loyd O. Tedford on November 8, 1950 and began the military life. They moved around to Randolph AFB, Amarillo AFB, Luke AFB and Altus AFB. In 1964 they moved to Granite after Loyd retired from the Air Force, then he went to work at the reformatory for 19 years, during that time Betty was a homemaker, raising four children, worked for a monument company, a Seamstress and was a Geriatric Caregiver. She was a long-time member of the Church of Christ in Granite, she loved her Sr. citizen games, gardening, her church, raising chickens, traveling and riding in the car, but she especially enjoyed all her grandchildren.

Betty is survived by her daughters, Janet Gifford and husband, Jerald, Linda Tedford, Susan Tedford-McMillin and husband, John, son, Mike Tedford, brother, Robert Watson. Seven grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren, four great-great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Betty is preceded in death by her husband, Loyd Tedford, brother Don

Watson, sisters, Marjorie, Jean and Marie.

Memorial Services for Betty are scheduled Tuesday, December 28, 2021, 2:00 P.M. at the Church of Christ in Granite, OK with Ken Hamilton officiating. A private interment was held at Willow Cemetery.

Online condolences for Betty can be made by visiting [www.peoplescooperativ
efuneralhome.com](http://www.peoplescooperativefuneralhome.com)

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Ellen Tedford*

October 08, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Betty Ellen Tedford*

October 04, 2023 at 11:28 PM



“ *We loved stopping in Granite to visit and spend the night with Aunt Betty. She was always so sweet and gracious. I have many memories of her through the years. I met her before she and Loyd married. She was such a good friend to Mother and they had so much fun together with Theresa, Russie, Rheua, Inez and Oleta. Bob and I will miss her. Jeanie*

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“ *Brenda (Farris) Kremeier purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Betty Ellen Tedford.*



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