



Margaret Ann Kosanke

July 11, 1943 - September 7, 2016

Margaret “Ann” McConnell was born July 11, 1943 in Hobart, OK to J.W. (“Dub”) McConnell, Jr. and Doris Cunningham McConnell. She passed away on September 7, 2016 in Hobart. She grew up in Lone Wolf and attended Lone Wolf Schools through her junior year in High School, moving to Hobart for her senior year and graduating from Hobart High School in 1961. She then attended college at the University of Oklahoma, graduating in 1965 with a Bachelor’s degree in Elementary Education. While at OU, she was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority and also served as Panhellenic Vice President in 1964 and President in 1965. After graduating from OU, she began her teaching career in Colorado in Jefferson County, teaching 1st and 4th grades for 4 ½ years.

She married Bill Kosanke on February 21, 1970 at the First United Methodist Church in Hobart, and they made their home in Lone Wolf, where Bill farms. Together they had 3 children, Kristin, Suzanne and Brad. After taking several years to raise her young family, she began teaching at Lone Wolf Elementary School in 1981, teaching 2nd grade there for 22 years until her retirement in 2003. Ann was a long time member of the First Christian Church of Lone Wolf, where she was also active in Y.W.C. and teaching Sunday School classes. She was also a member of P.E.O. Sisterhood, Chapter BV, and the Pioneer Garden Club of Lone Wolf.

Ann loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren, and she enjoyed singing and also traveling with her friends from her sorority days at

OU after her retirement. She will forever be remembered by her family and friends for her calm and loving spirit.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dub and Doris McConnell.

She is survived by her husband of 46 years, Bill Kosanke of the home in Lone Wolf, daughters Kristin and husband Tim Fricker of Edmond, Suzanne and husband Frank Hale of Oklahoma City, son Brad and his wife Tamara Kosanke of Oklahoma City. Also 6 grandchildren, Kade, Grant, Ben, and Grace Anne Kosanke, Josh and Sam Fricker, and 2 sisters, Mary Lou and husband Keith Heslip of Lake Frederick, VA and Jimmy Lynn McConnell and husband Hoskie Begay of Lone Wolf.

Funeral services will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at the Lone Wolf School Auditorium. Burial will follow in the Lone Wolf Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Lone Wolf Cemetery

Lone Wolf, OK 73655

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **9**. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

People's Co-Operative Funeral Home
P.O. Box 146
1400 W. Main
Lone Wolf, OK 73655
(580) 846-9018
pcfhco@gmail.com

Funeral Service

SEP **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Lone Wolf
Highway 9 East
Lone Wolf, OK 73655

Tribute Wall



“ *Margaret Ann Kosanke*

October 08, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Margaret Ann Kosanke*

October 04, 2023 at 11:28 PM



“ *Bill i did not know Ann had passed until 10-11-21. I am so sorry to hear this. Ann was a beautiful soul and so kind to everyone. Please know you and the family are in our hearts and prayers.*



Jimmy Coalson - October 11, 2021 at 12:33 PM

NH

“ Bill, I want to extend my sincere expression of respect and condolences to you and your family. I was shocked to learn of Ann's passing. I am so sorry.

I have always felt a strong connection to the Kosanke and the McConnell families. Your dad was a special part of my family's life in Lone Wolf. He and my father, Dillard, were close. The McConnell family always occupied a similar role. Mary Lou, Ann, Jimmy Lynn as well as Doris and Dub were all deeply involved in the Hicks lives. I cherish all my memories of all those people and those years.

Please pass on my best to Mary Lou and Jimmy Lynn. And please accept my best wishes to you and your immediate family.

Neal Hicks

Neal Hicks - September 21, 2016 at 03:16 PM

CB

“ Ann was a wonderful wife and mother and always a gracious and happy person. She touched many hearts.
Carleta Barton

Carleta Barton - September 21, 2016 at 08:45 AM

MJ

“ *Martha Jones lit a candle in memory of Margaret Ann Kosanke*



Martha Jones - September 09, 2016 at 06:58 PM

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Martha Jones - September 09, 2016 at 06:46 PM

EH

“ *Elkview General Hospital purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Margaret Ann Kosanke.*



Elkview General Hospital - September 09, 2016 at 10:03 AM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann Kosanke.*



September 08, 2016 at 10:25 PM

LT

“ *A wonderful lady and a great educator.....my condolences to Ann's family.*

Larry Terry - September 08, 2016 at 08:12 PM