



## Barbara Lee Brown

January 14, 1945 - December 24, 2024

Barbara Brown age 79, passed away at her home surrounded by family on December 24, 2024. Barbara Lee Bruno was born on January 14, 1945 in Concho, OK to Mike Bruno and Era Mae Bruno (Peery). Her family relocated to Arizona shortly after she was born, Barbara grew up there and called it home until returning to Oklahoma in 1975. She met a young man named Bill Brown, and they quickly fell in love. Barbara and Bill were married on November 14, 1976 and made their home of 48 years east of Lexington. From this marriage they were blessed with one daughter, Dana, a granddaughter Autumn, and one great-granddaughter GraceLynn. Barbara held several jobs over the years, before retiring she was a manufacturing technician for Central Plastics. When she wasn't working, she loved being outdoors. Barbara kept beautiful flower gardens, and enjoyed watching the wildlife like deer and hummingbirds visit her yard. She had a deep love for the Lord and attended Rose Hill Church since 1983. Barbara often helped with events at the church, and loved reading her bible by the fire at home. She was especially proud of her Native American heritage and took part in numerous tribal activities. Seasonal feasts, pow-wows, and gatherings held by the Pottawatomie Nation were always special to her. She found beauty in God's creation everywhere she went. Barbara was known for collecting rocks, and never missed the chance to take a drive and see the beautiful fall foliage every year. She was beloved wife, mother, and grandmother who will be dearly missed. Barbara was preceded in death by her parents Mike and Era Bruno, and her

siblings Francis Lackey, Zona Smith, Bill "Chief" Bruno, Carl Bruno, and Tom Bruno.

She is survived by her husband, Bill Brown of the home. Her daughter Dana Brown and fiancé Shawn Hoover of Wanette, her granddaughter Autumn Brown and boyfriend Gage Crook of Wanette, and great granddaughter GraceLynn Brown. Her three sons Randy Scarberry of Seminole, OK, Ronnie Scarberry of Sallisaw, OK, and Thomas Scarberry of Purcell, OK. She also leaves behind her siblings Leon Bruno and wife Veta of Harjo, OK Anthony Bruno of Camp Verde, AZ, and Mary Halterman of Tecumseh, OK.

Funeral services are scheduled for 10:00 am Tuesday December 31, 2024 at Little's Chapel, Wilson-Little Purcell with burial to follow at Chappel Hill Cemetery in Lexington.

# Cemetery Details

## Chappel Hill Cemetery

Lexington, OK 73051

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **30**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Little's Chapel  
127 S. Canadian  
Purcell, OK 73080  
<http://www.wilsonlittle.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC **31**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Little's Chapel  
127 S. Canadian  
Purcell, OK 73080  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ I truly loved getting to know you. The fun we had at my wedding and sharing coffee and stories and getting picked on by you and Louise was always fun. Thank you for sharing great stories and treating me like family and you will be missed, coming to the house and visiting staying the night over at Louise's sitting around fires and the love you showed and acceptance into the family. You are special and my heart is heavy losing you.



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**Damob Caylor** - December 29, 2024 at 01:33 PM

AJ

“ I know my nana loved her husband dearly and whole heartedly! They loved sitting outside watching the kites fly. And laugh and joke together! My favorite thing was to hear how those two met cause of my aunt Veta, my pawpaw was playing pool and my aunt Veta dared my nana to goose him so she did and he made his winning shot and he turned and said thank you and the rest was history❤️ I have seen those two love each other for 28 years! My nana loved to tease my pawpaw while he worked like mowing I've seen her do something and caused him to stare so long he almost ran over a little tree with the mower 🤪 we love you so much nana and you will be missed very much!!!!



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**Autumn Jones** - December 27, 2024 at 07:40 PM

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“ Aunt Barbie lived her church Rose Hill and spending time with her brothers and sisters playing domino's. Louise and Barb loved confusing people they siding even know sometimes, but even Aunt Barbs daughter, cause they looked so much alike she could tell a difference till they stood side by side. You were my person to talk to and you will be greatly missed.



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**Gail Caylor** - December 26, 2024 at 11:29 PM

SB

“ Once we went to Canada for the Gathering of Potawatomi Nations. Her and I were sleeping in her canopy with screen walls. First night in there it rained so hard and her and myself got soaking wet. We laughed about that the whole next day. I love you Aunt Barbie and will miss you so much!



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**Stacey Bruno** - December 26, 2024 at 09:13 PM

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♥ miss you.

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**Gail Caylor** - December 27, 2024 at 03:15 PM