



Virginia Kay Martin

February 14, 1957 - May 17, 2025

Virginia Martin, age 68 of Ada, and formerly of Grove, passed away Saturday, May 17, 2025. Virginia Kay Hardesty was born February 14, 1957 in Wichita, KS, 1 of 6 children born to Earl Edward Hardesty and Barbara Cleo (Bashears) Hardesty. She was primarily raised in Wichita, which is where she attended school until her family relocated and settled near Grove, OK. Virginia married young to Gary Martin, and to this union, a son Steven and daughter Alicia were born. She returned to school and earned an Associate's Degree in Nursing. Virginia worked as a nurse and care giver in home health. She genuinely loved her patients and her tender heart served her well in her profession. Even away from work, she was always willing to lend a helping hand and would never turn anyone away who needed help. She was a wonderful mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and a true friend. She will be dearly missed!

She was preceded in death by: parents, Earl and Barbara Hardesty and her brother Michael Hardesty.

Virginia is survived by: her son Steven Martin of Gainesville, MO; her daughter, Alicia Martin of Ada, OK; Sister, Diana Martin and husband Bob of Broken Arrow, OK; Brothers, Charles Hardesty and wife Rebecca of Cleveland, OK, David Hardesty of Tulsa, OK and Richard Hardesty of Grove, OK; her pride and joy, grandchildren, Trenton, Ashlynn, Ashton, Bryson, Kyler

and Peyton; 1 great grandson, Tucker and a host of other family and friends.

Per her request, Virginia's family will plan a memorial back home in Grove at a later time.

Tribute Wall

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“ I found you to late my beautiful friend. I've been looking for a while until this obit showed up. I was part of your childhood when you saved me sitting outside of kindergarten crying because my mom forgot me and brought me home with you . We went to middle school together and later dating our now husband. The times together is treasured and I will see you in heaven.

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