



## Elsie Juanita Sullivan

January 17, 1928 - October 7, 2017

Elsie Juanita "Nita" Sullivan, 89 year old Okmulgee resident, was called home on Saturday, October 7, 2017 by her savior and Lord Jesus Christ. She was born on January 17, 1928 in Watson, Oklahoma to the late William and Viola (Giesler) Armstrong. She married James Caswell Sullivan on October 28, 1944 in Yuma, Arizona. The great joy in her life was her family and her home. Although Alzheimer's Disease stole many of her memories, she never forgot home. She was a beautiful home maker. Her hobbies included sewing, music, tole painting and many other crafts. She was a wonderful cook. Nita was a florist and co-owned Arlington Florist in Torrance, California with her sister, Eunice. She and her husband also owned and operated the Alpine Motel in Santa Barbara, California. They moved to Oklahoma in 1981 from Santa Barbara. Her main occupation in life was to be a help mate to her husband. Being a pastor's wife, she made it possible for him to always shine. They were truly a team in whatever they did,. They enjoyed traveling when they could, but always seemed to have work and obligations that hindered. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Morris. She is now free from all pain, confusion and earthly hindrances. She fought a good fight even to the very end. She is now with her Lord and beloved husband Jimmy and daughter Janis.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, a daughter, Janis Tores and her sisters, Lenora Phillips, Florence Gough, Mildred Bryant, Ruth Welk, Cleo Plunkett, and Marguerite Edwards, brothers, Virgil Armstrong and Robert

Armstrong.

Survivors include a daughter, Jeannie Grim and husband John of Okmulgee, a son-in-law, Larry Tores of Carson City, Nevada, grandchildren, Heather vonHartitzsch and husband David of Tulsa and Michael Grim of Miami, Oklahoma, great grandchildren, August, Kylie and Lily vonHartitzsch, sister, Eunice Moore of Nipomo, California and a host of nieces and nephews

A funeral service will be held 2:00 P.M. Thursday, October 12, 2017 at the First Assembly of God Church in Morris with Reverend Richard Carender officiating. Interment will follow in the Morris Cemetery. Friends may visit the funeral home on Wednesday from 12:00 PM-8:00 PM and the family will be present to receive guests from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee.

Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Nita's Tribute Page of our website at [www.mcclendon-winters.com](http://www.mcclendon-winters.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Morris Cemetery

Morris, OK

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT 11. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - Okmulgee  
303 E. 7th Street  
Okmulgee, OK 74447  
(918) 756-1677  
info@mcclendon-winters.com  
<https://www.mcclendon-winters.com>

## Visitation

OCT 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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OCT **12**. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Assembly of God Morris  
N. Hughes St.  
Morris, OK 74445

# Tribute Wall



“ McClendon-Winters Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elsie Juanita Sullivan

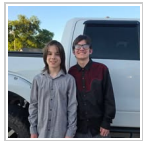


McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - October 11, 2017 at 11:22 AM



“ Elsie Juanita Sullivan

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ Michelle Langley lit a candle in memory of Elsie Juanita Sullivan



Michelle Langley - October 13, 2017 at 09:31 AM



“ I have some fun memories of Aunt Elsie and Uncle Jimmie, wish I could share them all. I have been blessed with many Godly family members, My Aunt Elsie was one of them. A great example. Always putting others first. She was a Hugh part of my life. You will be missed by many. I will meet you by the river some glad day...Until then you are always in my heart. LOVE YOU,Denise and family

Denise Richardson - October 12, 2017 at 04:04 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Eunice Moore** - October 12, 2017 at 02:43 AM

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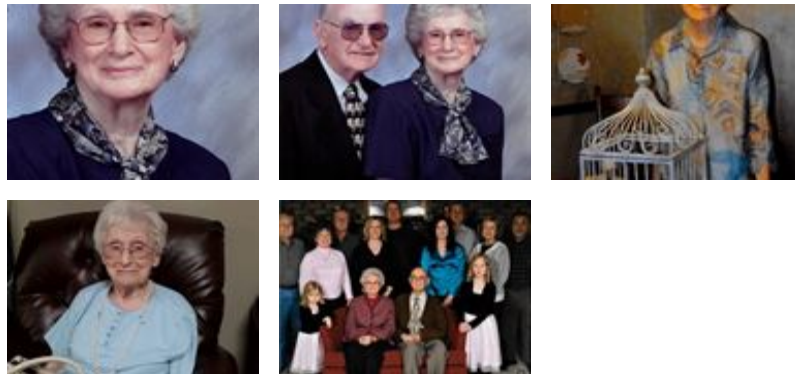
“ I have so many memories with this woman. We grew up together, raised our kids together. We spent holidays together and had a business together. It is a lonely feeling without her but these memories are with me forever. She and Jimmie were such a part of my life I will treasure these memories and I know that I will join them and my husband Red in heaven soon, It is not goodbye, it is I will see you soon.

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**Eunice Moore** - October 11, 2017 at 07:07 PM



“ 70 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**McClendon-Winters Funeral Home** - October 11, 2017 at 10:20 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss. Heaven gained a precious angel yesterday. What a sweet lady, lots of great memories. I will always remember that Big Smile she had every time I went to see her. We will see her again.

Jeannie praying for you and your family strength, comfort and peace. Love You All, Becky & Joe



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**Becky Arnold** - October 08, 2017 at 10:07 AM