



Mariella Anderson

April 3, 1914 - April 4, 2014

Mariella, 100, of Okmulgee, Oklahoma died April 4, 2014, a resident of The Villages at Southern Hills in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She was born April 3, 1914, in Denison, Texas, the youngest child and only daughter of Carrie Hays Ragland and Charles Gilmer Peyton.

Her father was a furniture salesman who moved his family from Wichita, Kansas, to Sapulpa and later Stillwater, Oklahoma, where Mr. Peyton owned and operated a furniture store.

Mariella graduated from high school in Stillwater, entered Oklahoma A&M College (now Oklahoma State University), and became a member of Kappa Alpha theta Sorority. She graduated from college in 1930 with a degree in education. Subsequently, she taught school in Blackwell, Oklahoma.

In 1938, she married Verne W. Anderson. They had two sons, Lynn W. Anderson (who died in 2012) and Ted P. Anderson of Tulsa. Her husband, Verne, of sixty-one years died in 2003. Her older brother, Charles Gilmer Peyton, Jr. also predeceased her.

Mariella was always close to her family and enjoyed playing bridge and mahjong. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church for over fifty years.

Mariella is survived by a son, Ted P. Anderson, two grandsons, Scott and Michael Anderson, of Tulsa; a granddaughter Leanne (Anderson) Pyles, of Bixby, Oklahoma and her husband Richard Pyles; and three great grandchildren, Cassidy, Cole and Courtney Pyles, of Bixby, Oklahoma.

Cemetery Details

Okmulgee Cemetery

2601 South Wood Drive
Okmulgee, OK 74447
(918) 756-5109

Previous Events

Viewing

APR 9. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

APR 10. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mariella Anderson*

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