



## Shirley Joan Chilcoat

March 13, 1936 - October 14, 2024

Shirley Joan Chilcoat, 88, of Beggs, Oklahoma, passed away peacefully at her home on October 14, 2024. Born March 13, 1936, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, she was the daughter of Fred and Geneva Sanders. After her father passed away, Geneva re-married Bruce Dye, who became Shirley's father figure.

She married the love of her life, Robert Chilcoat, Sr., on July 11, 1953, and together they built a beautiful life, moving to Beggs in 1968. A devoted homemaker, Shirley cherished her family above all. She found such fulfillment in helping to care for children in their early years, helping to shape and mold them. She found joy in keeping a warm and welcoming home and had a passion for crafts, especially sewing and embroidery. Her needlework was a testament to her creativity and skill, and she delighted in sharing stories from her past, enriching the lives of those around her.

Shirley was a longtime member of the Beggs First Assembly of God Church, where her faith was a guiding light throughout her life.

She will be deeply missed by her family, friends, and all who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Shirley was preceded in death by her parents, two half brothers Ronnie Dye and Donnie Dye.

She is survived by her husband of 71 years Robert, sons Richard and wife Donna Chilcoat, Bobby Joe Chilcoat and wife Betty, grandchildren Robert Chilcoat, Marsha Chilcoat, Curtis Chilcoat, Erica Johnson, Kimberlie Thorne, Roseanna Nichols, three step-grandchildren Deana Houston, Curtis Sadler, and Miranda Rogers, and twenty-seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Shirley will be 12:00 PM, Monday, October 21, 2024 at Beggs First Assembly Church with Pastor Robert Yandell officiating. Viewing will be 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM, Sunday, October 20, 2024, at the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel of Beggs.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee. Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Shirley's Tribute Page of our website. [www.mcclendon-winters.com](http://www.mcclendon-winters.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Floral Haven Cemetery

6500 S. 129th East Ave.  
Broken Arrow, OK

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT **20**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - Beggs  
205 West Main  
PO Box 750 (for mail)  
Beggs, OK 74421  
(918) 267-4444  
info@mcclendon-winters.com  
<https://www.mcclendon-winters.com>

## Funeral Service

OCT **21**. 12:00 PM (CT)

First Assembly of God Beggs  
400 E. Main  
Beggs, OK

## Committal Service

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OCT **21**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Floral Haven Cemetery  
6500 S. 129th East Ave.  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ We extend our deepest condolences to Bob and family and friends at the loss of Shirley. We were neighbors of Shirley and Bob years ago. We will always treasure that friendship. Shirley was a wonderful caring person and will be greatly missed by loved ones and friends.

*Losing someone so beloved is heartbreaking. We wish comfort and peace to face the days ahead. You have loving memories of Shirley to hold in your hearts. Rosmary and Roland Sutterfield.*

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**Rosmary and Roand Sutterfield** - October 20, 2024 at 04:10 PM

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“ Well I met Grandma when I was only five years old her and Papa became family to me I've called them papa and grandma all my life they both have a very special spot in my heart for them both I can't just talk about Grandma with out adding papa in there!! Well grandma took a little bit of my heart with her that's how much I loved her!!

*Sincerely Kimberly Sullivent/Dean*

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**Kimberly Sullivent/Dean** - October 15, 2024 at 10:36 PM

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*Papa I know there's no words enough to comfort you at this time but I definitely wanted you to know that I ill be praying for comfort at this time in your life!!*

*I can't stand the thought of your heart being broken like this I know you are hurting pretty bad at this time in your life and there's nothing anyone can say or do to make things better, But I will keep you in my prayers every time I say a prayer you will be in those prayers Papa Thank You For Being My PaPa For 49 Years I love you Papa!!*

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**Kimberly Sullivent/Dean** - October 15, 2024 at 10:46 PM