



Una Merl Aldridge

June 3, 1934 - July 14, 2021

Una Merl Aldridge, a longtime resident of Beggs, passed away Wednesday, July 14, 2021 in Tulsa. She was born to the late Clarence Butler and Merl (Stockton) Butler on June 3, 1934. She married the love of her life William Aldridge on April 8, 1955. They spent over 64 years together before his passing in 2019. Una enjoyed cooking for the school and baking for the First Assembly of God Church in Beggs.

Una is preceded in death by her husband, parents, daughter Polly Aldridge-Ewing, and grandson Jeremy Aldridge. Those left to cherish all the wonderful memories are her children Patti Messimore and husband Harry and William Everett Aldridge, Jr., grandchildren Karrie (Aldridge) Raby and husband Matthew, Jason Aldridge, Kendra Aldridge, and Kyle Aldridge, great grandchildren Jackson Hampton, Valley Raby, Natalie Raby, Nolan O'Brien, and Maddie O'Brien.

A Funeral Service for Una will be held 2:00 pm Friday, July 16, 2021 at the First Assembly of God in Beggs with Reverend Robert Yandell officiating. Interment will follow at the Beggs Cemetery. Friends may visit the funeral home on Thursday, July 15, 2021 from 1:00pm until 5:00pm.

Cemetery Details

Beggs Cemetery

West Hwy 16
Beggs, OK

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL **15**. 1:00 PM - 5:00 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

JUL **16**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ McClendon-Winters Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Una Merl Aldridge



McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - February 22, 2023 at 12:31 PM



“ McClendon-Winters Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Una Merl Aldridge



McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - July 15, 2021 at 05:47 PM

SM

Such a beautiful tribute to your grandma . You can tell she was very much loved. I didn't know her, but seeing some of the pictures, and the stories I've heard, she was full of life. I'm so sorry for your loss. Praying for you all ❤️

Sue Marshall - July 15, 2021 at 11:04 PM



“ Una Merl Aldridge

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM

LN

“ I remember the quilt she made for my first granddaughter. You will be greatly missed.

Ladonna Northcross - July 18, 2021 at 08:00 PM

MW

“ Una was a wonderful friend of my family. I remember as a kid going to her house with Polly, Patty and Billy. She helped my folks with the old grocery store when we needed a few days away. Always good to visit with, especially about Cardinals Baseball. We will miss her greatly! Thank you Una for being a wonderful you!

Mickey Wilburn - July 16, 2021 at 01:09 PM

ZC

“ Zandra Christy lit a candle in memory of Una Merl Aldridge



Zandra Christy - July 16, 2021 at 12:25 PM

LB

“ *Rest in Peace and in the arms of your/our Savior Jesus Christ. One of my true heroines, fast with a smile and an "I love you." My father's sister, Aunt Una, Beggs USA. I love you and a piece of you lives on in each of us.*

'Gone From My Sight' by Henry Van Dyke

*I am standing upon the seashore. A ship, at my side,
spreads her white sails to the moving breeze and starts
for the blue ocean. She is an object of beauty and strength.
I stand and watch her until, at length, she hangs like a speck
of white cloud just where the sea and sky come to mingle with each
other.*

Then, someone at my side says, "There, she is gone."

Gone where?

*Gone from my sight. That is all. She is just as large in mast,
hull and spar as she was when she left my side.
And, she is just as able to bear her load of living freight to her
destined port.*

Her diminished size is in me -- not in her.

*And, just at the moment when someone says, "There, she is gone,"
there are other eyes watching her coming, and other voices
ready to take up the glad shout, "Here she comes!"*

Loren L. Butler - July 15, 2021 at 11:07 PM

SC

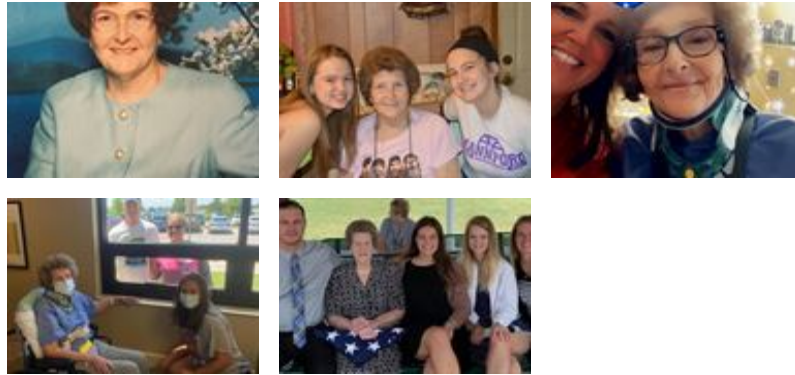
“ *UNA & i WERE FRIENDS WHEN WE WERE RAISING OUR FAMILIES, THE LAST TIME I TALKED TO HER , SHE SAID i WISH YOU WERE STILL MY NEIGHBOR & COULD HELP ME. RIP SWEET LADY. THOUGHTS & PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY. GOD BLESS YOU ALL. SUE CULBERT*



SUE CULBERT - July 15, 2021 at 09:16 PM



“ *80 files added to the album Life Tributes*



McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - July 15, 2021 at 05:45 PM

JC

“ *Jeffrey L Culbert lit a candle in memory of Una Merl Aldridge*



Jeffrey L Culbert - July 15, 2021 at 01:13 PM

VB

“ *As far back as I can remember there has always been a Una. She was a wonderful lady. Lived a block and a half from her for over 50 years. But I have no doubt that she is with Jesus and her loved ones today. See you soon Una. Loved this family for so many years and that love continues.*



Vicki Brose - July 14, 2021 at 07:02 PM

DM

“ *Debbie {Culbert} Micheau lit a candle in memory of Una Merl Aldridge*



Debbie {Culbert} Micheau - July 14, 2021 at 06:20 PM

KP

“ *Karla Poe lit a candle in memory of Una Merl Aldridge*



Karla Poe - July 14, 2021 at 04:16 PM