



## Wilma Ruth Reich

February 20, 1925 - December 29, 2015

Wilma R. Reich, 90, left this life on December 29, 2015, in Bartlesville, OK. She was born at Okmulgee to John Burson Berry and Abigail Louisa (Greer) Berry, and was the eighth of ten children. She received her education at Roosevelt Elementary School and Okmulgee High School, graduating with the class of 1943. On July 20, 1946, she married the love of her life, Herman L. Reich, in the Church of Christ in Okmulgee, where she was a lifelong member. They moved to Columbus, KY, where Herman was employed by MK&O Railroad as a telegraph operator. While in Columbus, a daughter, LeAnn, was born. They later returned to make their home in Okmulgee where their son, Clayton, was born. Wilma was employed by the Ball Brothers Glass Plant from the spring of 1953 until she and Herman both retired in 1983. In their younger years, they were members of the Okmulgee Circle Squares Square Dance Club and the Okmulgee RoundUp Club. They also enjoyed traveling, especially to Branson, MO, and attending various musical shows. Following Herman's death in 1998, Wilma remained in Okmulgee until 2013 when health issues required her to relocate to Bartlesville to be near her children. She was a very proud and devoted grandmother to her five grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 52 years, and nine siblings. Left to cherish her memory are daughter, LeAnn Pollard and children, Jason Pollard and wife Katie, Abbie Gustafson and husband Jeremy. Clayton Reich and wife, Louise, Justin Reich and wife Nicole, Blake Brown and wife Shelley,

Mendee Perry and husband Brent, and five great-grandchildren, Keegan, Kendall, Karena, Bella and Jack.

Interment will be in the Okmulgee Cemetery under the direction of McClendon-Winters Funeral Home. For those who wish to make a donation in Wilma's memory, they may do so to the Church of Christ at 318 S. Grand, Okmulgee, OK, 74447.

# Cemetery Details

## Okmulgee Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 3.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 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>

## Viewing

**JAN 3.** 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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JAN 4. 2:00 PM (CT)

Grand Avenue Church of Christ  
9th Street and Grand Avenue  
Okmulgee, OK

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wilma Ruth Reich*

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of her passing. I knew Herman and Wilma through my mom and dad. Mom worked at Ball. I got to crank the old ice cream freezer a time or two when I was little. Thoughts and prayers. Jay Dearmore and family. Buck and Jerry Dearmore.*

**jay dearmore** - January 18, 2016 at 06:56 PM



“ *LeAnn,  
Sorry to hear of your mother's passing. The best to you and your family.*

*Jim Rutledge  
jbrutledge@embarqmail.com*

**Jim Rutledge** - January 03, 2016 at 12:44 PM



“ *Clayton and Leann, I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your mom. Praying for you and your families strength, comfort and peace. Blessings to you all.*



**Becky Arnold** - December 31, 2015 at 05:22 AM

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“ Clayton & Leann, I was sorry to hear about your mom. But after all she went through there is a blessing. She isn't in pain now. I lost my mom on January 4th of 2011. When you're mom leaves you it's like loosing you're best friend. God bless you and your families.  
Char Adams



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**Char Adams OHS 1960** - December 30, 2015 at 10:05 PM

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LeAnn:  
I am so sorry for your loss. I lost my Mother on Christmas Day, 2011. I know exactly how you are feeling.  
Jerry Horn in New York

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**Jerry Horn** - December 30, 2015 at 10:18 PM