



Janell Ann Ezell

September 9, 1944 - May 8, 2021

Obituary

Janell Ann Ezell, age 76, resident of Broken Arrow went to be with her Lord and Savior on Saturday evening, May 8, 2021 at her home surrounded by her family. Janell was born on September 9, 1944 in Wagoner, Oklahoma and was the daughter of Clarence and Beatrice (Fritsch) Higginbotham. She was a 1962 graduate of Coweta High School. Janell and Paul Ezell dated all through high school and on June 26, 1962 they were united in marriage. She went to work at the Courthouse in Wagoner just out of high school, and later became the County Assessor. Janell spent her whole working career there, 30 years. She was the President of the Assessors Association for several years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Coweta. Janell loved to travel, going on cruises, and decorating, but above all, she loved being with her grandchildren.

Janell is survived by her husband of 60 years, Paul Ezell; her son, Paul Ezell Jr. and wife Anne; her daughter, Kim Ivey and husband Kelly; her sister, Myrna Hammack and husband Jerry; her grandchildren, Gabriel Ivey, Nathaniel Ivey, and Sarah Ezell; her nephews, Jack Higginbotham and wife Kristi, Danny Taylor and wife Loren, and Jeff Taylor and girlfriend Cheri; her niece, Jennifer Heckert and husband Chris; and numerous other relatives, and friends.

Janell was preceded in death by her parents, Clarence and Beatrice Higginbotham and her brother, Jack Higginbotham.

Visitation will be from 6:00 – 8:00 PM on Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at Brown Family Funeral Home in Coweta. Services celebrating Janell's life will be at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, May 12, 2021 at First Baptist Church in Coweta, Oklahoma with Dr. Vern Charette officiating. Janell will be laid to rest at Vernon Cemetery in Coweta. Pallbearers are Michael Bryan, Bryan Burton, Chris Ezell, Danny Taylor, Gabe Ivey, and Nate Ivey.

Family and friends may share memories online at www.brownfamilycare.com. The family of Janell Ann Ezell entrusted her care and services to Brown Funeral Home & Cremations, 210 S. Broadway, Coweta, Oklahoma 74429, 918-486-5515.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Janell Ann Ezell, please visit our floral store.

Tribute Wall



“ *Brown Funeral Home & Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Janell Ann Ezell*



Wright-Brown Family Funeral Home - May 08, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Purple Radiance was purchased for the family of Janell Ann Ezell by Ronnie McMurray and Linda (Smith) Bratton. Send Flowers We are so sorry for your loss! Ronnie McMurray and Linda (Smith) Bratton*

Ronnie McMurray and Linda (Smith) Bratton - December 30, 2021 at 01:19 PM

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“ *Rainbow of Love was purchased for the family of Janell Ann Ezell. Send Flowers*

Expression of Sympathy - December 30, 2021 at 01:19 PM

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“ To the family my heart is heavy right now. I want you to know your wife, mom hired me at the Assessors office and i ended up staying there for 13years. She was always trying to get me married off, I remember one time she even had me house sit her house while Paul and her went on a trip. Well that time it worked I ended up marrying him. She will always have a special place in my heart. She was so beautiful inside and out. Sincerely,Phyllis Tottress

Phyllis Tottress - May 12, 2021 at 09:14 AM

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“ There are so many good things I could say about Janell. She was always up for a good time with her girl friends. She was so artistic with floral designs, a great seamstress, and decorator. She's in heaven right now rearranging things and making plans with her friends. She loved to travel, especially cruising the four oceans of the world. I miss her. RIP, sweet friend. Carole Gates Carter

Carole Carter - May 12, 2021 at 12:51 AM

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“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your wife, mother, grandmother and sister. I've known Janell since I was young and always thought she was a sweet classy lady. My prayers and condolences to all her family. Barbara Bryan Wolfe

Barbara Bryan Wolfe - May 11, 2021 at 08:57 PM