



JoAnne Bruce

September 22, 1929 - January 29, 2018

Obituary

JoAnne Bruce, age 88, of Broken Arrow went to be with her Lord and Savior on Monday, January 29, 2018 at St. Francis Hospital South in Tulsa, OK. JoAnne was born on September 22, 1929 to Lester Vivian and Dorothy Grace (Bogue) Mulvany in Champaign, IL. She was a 1947 graduate of Champaign Central High School in Champaign, IL. After graduating, JoAnne attended business school. She worked in sales most of her life retiring in 1999 as a Produce Manager at a Grocery Store in Champaign, IL. JoAnne was a faithful and active member of Northside Free Will Baptist Church in Broken Arrow, where she enjoyed volunteering her time. She enjoyed watching OU football, collecting penguins, but most of all she loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren. JoAnne was preceded in death by her parents, Lester Vivian and Dorothy Grace Mulvany. JoAnne is survived by 3 children, Leann Lehmann and husband, George of Broken Arrow, OK, Lester "Butch" Baker and wife, Cindy of Chebanse, IL and Phyllis Fields and husband, Ronnie of Tekonsha, MI; 1 sister, Shirley Field and husband, Gerry of Champaign, IL; 8 grandchildren, Johnny Lehmann, Todd Lehmann, Traci Lynch, Shawn Boyd, Ronnie Fields, Marcus Baker, Jason Baker and Megan (Baker) Voegele; and numerous great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Viewing will be from 4-8 p.m. on Thursday, February 1, 2018 at Wright-Brown Family Funeral Home. Services celebrating JoAnne's life will be at 1 p.m. on Friday, February

2, 2018 at Northside Free Will Baptist Church in Broken Arrow, OK with Rev. Robert Hardgrove officiating. Burial will follow in Vernon Cemetery in Coweta, OK. Family and friends may share memories online at www.brownfamilysuneralhome.com. The family of JoAnne Bruce entrusted her care and services to Wright-Brown Family Funeral Home, 210 S. Broadway, Coweta, OK 74429, 918-486-5515.

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

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brown Funeral Home & Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of JoAnne Bruce*



Wright-Brown Family Funeral Home - January 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *My husband and I are sitting here with a very sad feeling that our dear friend and church member is gone. She always had such a bright outlook and was always ready to give you the shirt off her back if she though you needed it But don't try to take it from her!! LOL We are both inhouse and fighting the flu. We are so sad that we an not come and tell Joanne good Bye. How ever she is already basking in the presence of our Lord and we will see her again one day in the future. She was such a special lady and I know how much she loved each one of her family. Love and prayers to all of you for peace and comfort in her loss. Love Louie and Imogene Parham*

Louie and Imogene Parham - February 02, 2018 at 11:13 AM

KV

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of my sweet and feisty friend Joanne. I work at her insurance agent's office and when she did not come in today (she always came in early and faithfully on the 1st of the month) I had a feeling she had been promoted to her Heavenly Home, as last month her son came in. Please know Joanne was so special to us and we will miss her. Her family and friends are all in our thoughts and prayers... You will be so missed Joanne. Love, Kelci V

Kelci V - February 01, 2018 at 04:28 PM

GL

“ Here are the photos I mentioned earlier.

George Lehmann - February 01, 2018 at 02:20 PM

GL

“ Some more photos we've come up with that didn't make it into the video.

George Lehmann - February 01, 2018 at 10:35 AM

BP

“ Not sure what memory to write because Leanne & I had so many great laughs with this woman sitting at the kitchen table after we got in trouble & brought home . She was a great woman & always treated me like I was one of her kids. I was either at her house or Leanne was at mine when they lived in Chebanse. So sorry for your loss. Love & Prayers to you all ❤️🙏❤️🙏

Belinda Powell - January 31, 2018 at 10:43 PM