



## Cheryl Lynn Rayburn

July 6, 1957 - October 14, 2015

Cheryl Lynn Rayburn of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma was born to Bob and Reba (Orr) Smith on July 6, 1957 in Dallas, Texas and passed from this life on October 14, 2015 in Norman, Oklahoma at the age of 58 years.

Cheryl grew up and attended school in Elmore City, Oklahoma. On September 12, 1975, Cheryl married Jimmy Rayburn in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma. She worked for the Garvin County Court Clerk before taking time off to have her children. Cheryl later worked for Whitebead Schools and the Garvin County District Attorney's office as a legal secretary. In her spare time she enjoyed sewing, cross stitching, and camping. Cheryl loved children and served twenty years in the nursery of Trinity Baptist Church where she was a member. The highlights of her life were her grandchildren and family. The family requests memorial donations be made to the Trinity Baptist Play Ground Fund, 108 Loftin Lane, Pauls Valley, OK 73075 in honor of Cheryl.

Mrs. Rayburn is survived by:

Husband: Jimmy of the home

2 daughters: Jennifer Grounds and husband Greg of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma  
Rachel Barnes and husband Wiley of Ada, Oklahoma

Mother: Reba Smith

Sister: Sandra Smiley and husband Walter of Tecumseh, Oklahoma

Nephew: Logan Smith

Mrs. Rayburn was preceded in death by:

Father: Bob Smith

Brother: Kyle Smith

Funeral services are scheduled for 10:00 a.m., Monday, October 19, 2015 at the Wooster Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dewayne Johnson officiating. Interment will be in the Whitebead Cemetery under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home. You may send a condolence to the family at [www.woosterfuneralhomes.com](http://www.woosterfuneralhomes.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 16. 10:00 AM - 4:30 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Pauls Valley)  
1601 South Chickasaw  
Pauls Valley, OK

## Visitation

OCT 17. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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## Visitation

OCT 18. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

OCT 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home Chapel  
1601 S. Chickasaw  
Pauls Valley, Ok

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Cheryl Lynn Rayburn*



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**Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services** - October 16, 2015 at 03:30 PM

MB

*Beautiful tribute to your beautiful wife , mother and grandmother! Prayers and Blessings to your beautiful family . From all of us at Comprehensive Dentistry 🙏*

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**melanie brown** - October 17, 2015 at 08:48 PM

RS

*Roger and I send our condolences . Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. If you need anything Jimmy just let us know . We love lots. May God give you and the girls much strength and comfort through these times.*

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**Roger and Dena Son** - October 18, 2015 at 02:02 PM



“ *Cheryl Lynn Rayburn*

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November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM

CS

“ I'm so sorry! I saw Cheryl's obituary just now, and wanted to send my heartfelt condolences. My family has known the Rayburns for years, and Cheryl babysat my son Justin Smith for a while when he was small. Hugs & prayers!

Cheryl (Goble) Stahlman - September 06, 2016 at 02:38 AM

BM

“ We are saddened to learn about the death of Cheryl. She was a good employee in the Court Clerk's office, always cheerful and helpful. May God's peace and comfort be with you Jimmy and the girls. Buck and Maureen Michael

Buck & Mauree Michael - October 19, 2015 at 09:33 AM

GS

“ Her constant smile and positive attitude will always be an inspiration to me. I'm so sorry for your loss. will be praying for you in the weeks and months ahead. Georgann Spivey



Georgann Spivey - October 18, 2015 at 09:46 AM

LL

“ I met Cheryl when I worked at the DA's office. We have remained friends ever since. I am so grateful for the friendship we shared. God truly has a new Angel in heaven! I will miss her but I know she is whole again and pain free. My prayers are with her husband Jim and their daughters and their families.



Linda Lawson - October 17, 2015 at 09:09 PM

TP

“ Cheryl was a great lady. My first Christmas at the DA's office she made homemade caramel popcorn. I told her how much I loved it because it tasted just like the caramel popcorn my grandma made. After that, every birthday she always made it for me. She was so considerate of others, was absolutely the rock of our office, and I sure do miss her. Prayers for her family.

Tara Portillo - October 17, 2015 at 08:10 PM

WJ

I only today learned of Cheryl's death while searching for another obituary. I was shocked to not have learned it elsewhere. She was such a special person to me. I worked at the law office of RB Garvin and then Carroll Bowie as my full-time career over a period of almost 18 years and then Thor another 5 years I bounced from Dan sprouts 2 Bobby Rainey Jr and Debbie Hampton's law office. Sarah was so nice and kind and helpful and always when I needed anything from the court clerk's office. As well, we called ourselves kissing cousins as my aunt Anna Tomlinson was a Nesmith and related to Cheryl's mother. I do not know the circumstances of her death but hope she did not suffer. She what such a good example of a dedicated worker in the court clerk's office, but her most important job was being a loving wife and mother to her family. She spoke so well of all of them. I noticed she had not been on Facebook lately and I was getting concerned about her. Please accept my sincere condolences. I loved her so much.  
Wilma B. Jones

Wilma Tomlinson Bettles Jones - March 16, 2016 at 02:28 AM

RW

“ Lance and I are saddened to hear of Cheryl's passing. She was a beautiful lady, inside and out. She loved our Logan and hundreds of other sweet babies in the nursery of Trinity Baptist Church for so many years. Our prayers and sympathy go out to her family in this difficult time.



Robyn Whaley - October 17, 2015 at 06:34 PM

PB

“ Cheryl was such a blessing and sweet lady! I have known her for years and worked at the courthouse with her for almost 10 years - she will truly be missed and her so will her happy sweet personality! I am so thankful to have had the opportunity to know her and look forward to seeing her again one day in heaven. Our thoughts and prayers are with Jim and the girls in the days and weeks ahead that they will find comfort and strength until they are all reunited again one day. We love you guys and we loved Cheryl. Our love in Christ, Steve and Pam Branam

Pam Branam - October 16, 2015 at 09:18 AM

DE

“ I am saddened to hear of Cheryl's passing. Cheryl was a wonderful person that was always willing to help. I left Pauls Valley 20 years ago but when I would call the DA's office and she answered, she was still the same awesome person and I could tell she was smiling while we were speaking. Prayers for the family.

Debbie Hampton, Edmond - October 16, 2015 at 07:41 AM

NB

“ I will always remember Cheryl by her cheerful disposition and smiling face. I work at the court house and when I would run across her she would inevitably have that beautiful smile on!! Always ready to help anyone. She will be greatly missed by all. Absent from the body but present with the Lord. Waiting for the rest of us!



Niza Baker - October 15, 2015 at 12:16 PM