



Lou Lindsey Hall

July 21, 1936 - April 3, 2023

On April 3, 2023, a delightful, compassionate, bull-headed, community-driver left our lives. Lou Lindsey Hall passed away peacefully surrounded by family after an unexpected heart attack and short hospitalization. Lou was 86.

Lou was born in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma in 1936. She played the drums in band. She held fond memories of her childhood in the Valley. As a child, she missed her dad when he was away for several years, doctoring WWII soldiers in the Pacific front. As a freshman at OU, she met her lifetime love, Stacy Hall in the OU band. She earned a bachelor's degree in dietetics and did her internship in San Francisco.

Lou married Stacy in 1954, after her internship ended. They lived for a year in Hermosa Beach, CA, where Stacy had his first teaching job. When they decided to start a family, Lou insisted that they leave the crazy hippies in CA and return to PV, where they lived for nearly 40 years.

Lou loved her decades-long career as the dietitian in Pauls Valley General Hospital, which her father, Dr. Ray H. Lindsey, had helped to found. She was an active member of the First Presbyterian Church. She was committed to improving her community – volunteering with Main Street, serving on the boards of the Garvin County Living Center and the Toy and Action Figure Museum. She was a founding member of the Samaritans, which provides food to seniors and persons who can't afford groceries. She was dedicated to local cancer survivors, and worked hard for the annual Relay for Life. For many years she was known as the "litter lady" of PV, for all the trash she would pick

up in the park and along streets. She loved to talk to school groups about healthy eating, and about protecting the environment by not littering.

The PV Tourism Chair relied heavily on Lou's ideas to bring many features to the City. She also served on the Beautification Committee for many years.

After her retirement from the hospital, Lou enjoyed spending more time with her life-long Pi Phi friends from OU. They would gather annually at a different destination, including PV.

She was recognized with several awards during her lifetime, and the one that meant the most to her was the Rotary's award for service to others above self. Lou's steadfast faith in God guided her through life's ups and downs.

Lou touched so many lives. It's hard to imagine a Pauls Valley without her.

Lou is preceded in death by her mother, Bernice Patterson Lindsey and her father, Ray H. Lindsey, M.D.; her brother James H. Lindsey, M.D., her husband Stacy Lee Hall, her nephew Mark Harvey Lindsey. She was also preceded in death by her Aunt Doby Pyeatt. She is survived by daughters Kathy Hall (Jeff Paine) and Amy Hall (Kevin St. John), niece Ellen Lindsey Dougherty (Thomas Dougherty) and their two sons nephew Gregory Ray Lindsey (Diana Lindsey) their four children and many others.

A community sing of toe-tapping music, as Lou requested, will be held on Monday, April 10th at 11a.m. at the Trinity Baptist Church in Pauls Valley, OK. Services are under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home. You may send a condolence to the family at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Samaritans or to the charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR **10**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Baptist Church
108 Loftin Lane
Pauls Valley, OK

Tribute Wall

WJ

“*Lou was an exceptional person and dear friend as almost every PV resident can say. Kathy and Amy, I've known no other person who gave so much of themselves to charitable causes as did Lou. I will miss her in my life. Your dad and my husband David commuted to work in OKC together for several years. (Amy, as you will remember, my son Clay Bettes got your used sax and Mustang when you "outgrew" them.) They are all gone now, and Lou would come by every so often to visit with me. I loved her very much and will miss her. I asked for donations to the Samaritans as gifts to me on special occasions. I know you have suffered a great loss in losing your mother; and you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*



Wilma Bettes Jones - April 09, 2023 at 10:59 PM

LS

“*Lou was one of my most favorite friends. She and Jim grew up with my dad and his siblings. Lou's grandmother, Mrs Patterson lived across the street from my grandparents home. Lou and I loved sharing old memories from days gone by. I will miss her so much.*



Laurie Hill Sloan - April 08, 2023 at 12:24 PM

SM

“ I will never forget your mother...growing up in Pauls Valley. One memory is picking up trash at football games with KFC buckets. I will remember her involvement with Samaritans and food bank. I also remember our Bible Studies at the First United Methodist church. She was a special lady. I know your loss and always be in my prayers. May his angels comfort you at this time.

Stacy Mueller

Stacy Mueller - April 07, 2023 at 10:55 PM

DS

“ Kathy, I so sorry cor your loss. Although I never met your mother, I know how much she meant to you and how much you loved her. Having lost my mom in 2019, I know the sadness you feel. I also know she will Kways be with you. All the memories, advise and the life she lived will bring you comfort.

*With much love,
Deb St.John*

Deb St.John - April 07, 2023 at 12:38 PM

JH

“ Kathy and Amy, the Herrins were very sorry to hear this news. I hadn't seen your mom in many years, but she was always so nice, and I have fond memories of our trips to Pauls Valley. Thinking of you, Jennifer Herrin

Jennifer Herrin - April 07, 2023 at 03:06 AM

SM

“ Lou was such a great friend to my mom, Johnnie Martin. After several surgeries, Mom had to leave the farm in PV, and move to Epworth Villa in OKC. That was 13 years ago. After Mom left, Lou kept her up on all the local news. Mom got a letter from Lou every week for 13 years! She was such a blessing. Mom left us on March 16, 2023. Lou was at her service. When I heard that Lou had passed away, I had to believe that they are now chatting away on all the local happenings! God bless you, Lou, for your loyalty to your friends!

Susan Martin Muehleisen - April 06, 2023 at 10:31 PM

JW

“ Judy Willis lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Judy Willis - April 06, 2023 at 12:24 PM

LG

“ 8 of us traveled together - 8 Pi Phi sisters - Lou, Joyce, Wanda, Ann, Sheila, JoAnn, Betty, Linda. We truly loved one another.

linda george - April 06, 2023 at 01:16 AM

TS

“ Tom Lisa Shepherd lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Tom and Lisa Shepherd - April 05, 2023 at 07:28 PM

M(

“ Kathy and Amy, Your mom was one of the special ones, but I know you know that. After we moved my mom, Thelma Alexander, to live close to us, Lou always sent the church bulletin. Just one small example of the friendship she had. I always enjoyed visiting with her when I came back to Pauls Valley.

Marilyn Dill (Alexander) - April 05, 2023 at 05:51 PM

GH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Gregory Hendrix - April 05, 2023 at 04:26 PM

JB

“ Jim Mary Baird sent a virtual gift in memory of Lou Hall



Jim and Mary Baird - April 05, 2023 at 02:04 PM

BG

“ Brenda Garza lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Brenda Garza - April 05, 2023 at 12:59 PM

BB

“ *Brenda Bradley lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall*



Brenda Bradley - April 05, 2023 at 12:33 PM

SB

“ *Kathy and Amy, it's hard to imagine a Pauls Valley without your precious Mom. She has always given so freely of herself to our community, her church, her friends and of course her family. I have been the fortunate recipient of many sweet cards and notes from her and I cherished every one of them. It breaks my heart that she has died but I am so grateful that she lived.. Sending much love to you all.*

Sharon (Cook) Brown - April 05, 2023 at 12:29 PM

BL

*Dear Kathy and Amy,
Lou walked in the light of love. Everything she did for the community was done out of love. Her cards always had a message of love that carried me until she sent the next lovely message, usually on my birthday.
What a gift Lou was for me to have as an example of love in motion.
With an Abundance of Blessings, Bianca*

Bianca Langlois - April 05, 2023 at 07:50 PM

BP

A wonderful lady who will be missed. Always thinking of others.

Betty Pannell - April 06, 2023 at 09:42 PM

BP

Blessings to her family

Betty Pannell - April 06, 2023 at 09:43 PM

PB

“ Pam Branam lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Pam Branam - April 05, 2023 at 11:47 AM

LL

“ I Loved Lou, one of the most kindness person I have ever met. Always doing for people, or our community. What a Valuable asset to our town she was.

Lori Lynn - April 05, 2023 at 11:32 AM

BN

“ Bill Newlin lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Bill Neelin - April 05, 2023 at 10:57 AM

SJ

“ Lou was such a blessing to our community. She was such a supportive friend to all of us breast cancer survivors. She will be missed greatly. Used to love stopping and visiting with her while she was walking her dog...



Sandra Jones - April 05, 2023 at 10:12 AM

ZE

“ *We all will be missing you !*



ZettaWarden - April 04, 2023 at 10:32 PM

BR

“ *Lou was an amazing woman that the entire community of Paul's Valley looked up to. She will be missed by so many. I really enjoyed knowing her and getting to work with her many of times at the samaritans. Fly High Lou*

Brittany Reed - April 04, 2023 at 09:41 PM

NR

“ *Naomi Ross lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall*



Naomi Ross - April 04, 2023 at 09:22 PM

RN

“ *Reva Newton lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall*



Reva Newton - April 04, 2023 at 08:00 PM

RN

“ Beautiful woman, beautiful life 🥰🥰🥰🥰🥰

Reva Newton - April 04, 2023 at 07:59 PM

VC

“ Virginia Coffey lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Virginia Coffey - April 04, 2023 at 06:59 PM

SB

“ Susan Brumley lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Susan Brumley - April 04, 2023 at 06:29 PM

TH

“ Tina Hume lit a candle in memory of Lou Hall



Tina McCarty Hume - April 04, 2023 at 05:55 PM

DP

The world needs more Lou Halls. She is such a inspiration.

Deana White Price - April 05, 2023 at 12:24 PM

GE

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Grant English - April 04, 2023 at 05:13 PM

AH

Mom loved you so much, Grant. Thanks for sharing this happy photo.

Amy Hall - April 05, 2023 at 09:21 AM

ES

“ She was an angel here on earth!
She was here for me since 1998 when my cancer journey started , i
did all the Relay for Life, with her , she was also cancer survivor .
Rest Easy my friend.



Ella (Jo) Stewart - April 04, 2023 at 02:36 PM