



## Nora M. Benito

December 2, 1935 - December 11, 2021

Nora Mae Bradburry Benito of Paul's Valley, OK, was born December 2, 1935, in Duncan, OK. She passed away December 11, 2021, at the age of 86.

Nora was preceded in death by her husband, Calvin Gene Benito, of 51 years; her father, Elbert Bertie Bradburry of Duncan, OK; her mother, Lora Etta Jackson Bradburry Robertson of Duncan, OK; her brother, Bobby Eugene Bradburry and wife, LaFern of Duncan, OK; brother, Carl Wayne Bradburry of Duncan, OK; sister, Betty Alene and husband, Robert Louis McNeill of Velma, OK; sister-in-law, Joan Benito Blackburn McGregor of Houston, TX; sister-in-law, Arlene Bradburry of Duncan, OK; and brother-in-law, Richard Herron of Tulsa, Ok.

Nora is survived by her loving, devoted sweetheart and friend, Jerrall Don Caldwell of Paul's Valley, OK; daughter, Deborah Joan Beneteau of Paul's Valley, OK; daughter, Tammey Lyn Little of Wayne, OK; and son, Vancel Gene Benito and wife, Lesia Lynn Benito of Paul's Valley, OK.

Nora is also survived by her grandchildren, Peter Andrew Freeman and Emily Allison of Paul's Valley, OK; Erica Lynn Freeman House and Clark Frederick House of Paul's Valley, OK; Randall Alan Agee and wife, Sarah Agee of Norman, OK; Holly Benito Bell and husband, Wade Bell of Davis, OK; Fallon Benito of Wickenburg, AZ; and Alex Gene Benito and wife, Kadee of Edmond, OK.

Nora is also survived by sister, Ruth Laverne Herron of Tulsa, OK; sister, Colene Etta and husband, Samuel Lay of Palmyra, MO; brother, Thomas

Steve Bradburry and Sara Riggs of Duncan, OK.

Nora is also survived by her great grandchildren, Savannah Madison Freeman, Kade Matthew Freeman, Braxden Tyler Staley Freeman, River Blair Freeman, Hannah Claire Agee, Christian Patrick Agee, Elle Vivienne Agee, Levi Chase Ballard, Pierce Frederick House, Heidi Lynn House, Lauren Marie Esparza, Aubrey Rue Doss, Griffin Wade Bell, Farrah Lexi Doss and Piper Olivia Doss and numerous nieces and nephews.

Nora and Gene homesteaded Alaska in 1959 during statehood with their 3 babies. The homestead was East of Homer, AK, overlooking the Kachemak Bay. In 1967, they bought and subdivided Benito Subdivision in Eagle River, Alaska; they named the main street "Genora". In 1968, Gene and Nora bought land east of Paul's Valley, OK and owned and operated The Limousine Cattle of Oklahoma and imported Land Race Hogs from Sweden. Nora sold Real Estate in Paul's Valley for 40 years, in which she won a trip to Hawaii for selling One Million Dollars in Sales for 1983. Nora is a member of Walker Baptist Church in Paul's Valley, Oklahoma.

Nora's "Joy of Life" was her 3 children, 6 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. We, Nora's children and grandchildren, rise up and call her blessed! There has never been, nor will there ever be, a more devoted mother and grandmother and we have been loved beyond measure with her in our life. We know she is in the arms of our Lord Jesus and that she is reunited with her loved ones. She loved each of us with all her heart, she was our rock, our anchor and our angel on this earth. May we all remember her as God's example of love. We pray God give each of us, her children and grandchildren a measure of God given faith and plant a seed of righteousness and hunger for the ways of our Lord Jesus in each of our hearts. May we seek our heavenly Father and run the race as instructed in the Word of God, so we can meet her in the heavenlies one day, for this life is but a vapor.

We regret that we are unable to share our Celebration of Nora's life with the

public. We know she had many people that love her and want to pay their respects, but due to the pandemic situation and the safety of our family members, we are restricting Nora's Celebration of Life to a Private Family Graveside service. Bro. Mike Muse will be officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## **Mt. Olivet Cemetery**

Hwy 77  
Pauls Valley, Ok

# Tribute Wall



“ *My name is Melvin Tilley, when I was a senior at Empire High school, Nora wa a Sophmore and lived a mile North of me. We became instant friends the firs day of school when I invited her to sit next to me on the bus. We never dated but enjoyed spending time together*

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**melvin tilley** - February 10, 2025 at 06:40 PM



“ *Nora M. Benito*

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November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM



“ *40 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services** - March 17, 2022 at 03:39 PM



“ 3 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services - February 12, 2022 at 12:58 PM



“ 16 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 08, 2022 at 11:59 AM



“ 45 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 03, 2022 at 05:09 PM

DB

“ *Debbie, Tammy, and Vance, it's so hard to lose a cousin as wonderful as Nora. She was such a fine and kind lady. May she rest in God's bosom and offer her counsel through her memories to the family in the years to come.*

*Love to you all,*

*Darolyn, Rima, and CeCi*

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**Darolyn Butler** - December 18, 2021 at 12:45 AM

DB

*Darolyn, Rima and CeCi,  
We love you and appreciate your kind words. Mom will always be our model of what a mother should be, she has been the best :)*

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**DEBORAH BENETEAU** - December 27, 2021 at 08:48 PM

WW

“ *Debbie, Tammey and Vance. It has been 50 years since I first met your family. I know you best since we worked together at Joe Johnson Chevrolet and I coached Vance in Little League Baseball. Virginia taught Tammey and Vance, so she knows them best. Nora and Gene were about my age and they were always very nice and polite to us. Your family is/was such a great addition to our community. Please know we love you, since we have shared so much of the same struggles, happiness, and blessings. We appreciate your testimony and life for our Lord. Are prayers are with you and your entire family during this time of loss.*

*Virginia and Bill Woodworth*

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**William Woodworth** - December 18, 2021 at 12:38 AM

DB

*Thank for your words of encouragement and treasured memories. We love you too!*

**DEBORAH BENETEAU** - December 27, 2021 at 08:43 PM

BH

“*Dear Tammey, Debbie, and Vance and all the other cousins and kin, yes Nora was a blessing to many of us. Always with a smile as we worked on real estate business too in PV. She was a fun cousin to all the Butler sisters. May God continue to comfort and strengthen all of you and cherish all the fun memories you have.*

*Love to all of you,  
Barbara Butler Houck*

**Barbara Houck** - December 15, 2021 at 05:01 PM

DB

*Thank you Barbara, hope to see you girls again one day soon!*

**DEBORAH BENETEAU** - December 27, 2021 at 08:51 PM

LE

“*LaDonna Edwards lit a candle in memory of Nora M. Benito*



**LaDonna Edwards** - December 15, 2021 at 01:30 PM

LE

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your mother. Nora was a beautiful and wonderful lady. Everytime I saw her, she always had a smile and an encouraging word to give. She touched the hearts of everyone that was blessed to know her. She will be greatly missed. To Debbie, Tammy, Vance and all the family, my prayers go out to you. May peace comfort your heart and mind during this difficult time.

LaDonna Edwards - December 15, 2021 at 01:26 PM

PB

“ May our prayers, and the prayers of so many who knew Nora, to the entire Benito family ...may God's comfort and strength be with you all! So sorry for the loss of your mother, grandmother and great-grandmother She was always kind and had an everlasting effect on so many lives that she touched through the years. Love in Christ, Steve and Pam (Ivy) Branam .

Pam Branam - December 14, 2021 at 11:00 AM

DH

“ Our deepest condolences to all the Benito and Caldwell families for the loss of their beautiful mother, grandmother, great grandmother and companion and friend-Nora. We have very fond memories of this beautiful lady , her loving spirit, and her beautiful smile. Nora will be greatly missed by many. RIP Nora Benito. We lost one of God's Beautiful Angels here on earth.



David and Rita Hines-Fryar - December 13, 2021 at 10:42 PM

DW

“ Prayers for all of Nora's family during the loss of your precious mother and grandmother.



Debbie Wadley - December 13, 2021 at 09:32 PM

WA

“ Nora was always one of my best friends and she will be missed. We stayed in touch on FB. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.



Waymolene Abel - December 13, 2021 at 08:43 PM

JC

“ Tammey, Deborah, Vance; I'm So sorry to hear about your Mom's passing, she was one of the nicest ladies I ever met. Always smiling, very kind and pleasant. She was a strong, decent Christian woman, and will be missed by all of us.

James Cummings - December 13, 2021 at 07:14 PM

JC

“ James Cummings lit a candle in memory of Nora M. Benito



James Cummings - December 13, 2021 at 07:05 PM