

# Joyce Ramona Lovitt

SEP 27, 1935 - SEP 22, 2025



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**J**oyce Ramona Lovitt, 89, passed away peacefully Monday, September 22, 2025, at Saint Francis Hospital, surrounded by her loving family.

Born September 27, 1935, in Leonard, Oklahoma, Joyce was the daughter of Lawrence David and Ila Arlene (Mooney) Ethridge. She spent the majority of her childhood in Leonard and graduated from Bixby High School in 1953.

In 1955, Joyce married the love of her life, Arlo Lovitt, and together they built a life filled with family, faith, and love. Joyce will be remembered for her gentle spirit, her love of gardening, and the beauty she found and shared in flowers. She was a longtime member of the Bixby Garden Club and an active member of Bixby Methodist Church. Her green thumb and kind heart left a lasting impression on all who knew her.

Joyce is survived by her children, Debrorah and husband Duwayne Perry, and Dave Lovitt and wife Beth; grandchildren Bobby Perry and Amanda Fisher, John Lovitt, Sandra Roberts and husband Derek, Sam Lovitt and wife Ashley, Dylan Lovitt, and Ted Sutaphong and wife, Gabrielle; great-grandchildren Ellie, Kaylynn, Trinity, Gabe, Randon, Kierstin, Daniel, Lilith, Mina, and Gus; great-great grandson, Atlas; and her sister, Donna Wagnon. She was preceded in death by her parents, Lawrence David and Ila Arlene Ethridge; her devoted husband, Arlo Lovitt; her sisters, Mary Dell and Jean Johnson; and her brothers, Lyndal Ethridge and L.D. Ethridge.

Her family and friends will cherish the many memories of time spent together and the joy she brought into their lives. Joyce's legacy of love and care will continue to bloom in the hearts of those who knew her.

## Service Information

Visitation: Thursday, September 25, 2025, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the Parlor Room of the funeral home



## Obituary

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Funeral Service: Friday, September 26, 2025, at 11:00 AM in the Rivercrest Chapel

Interment: Bixby Cemetery, immediately following the service



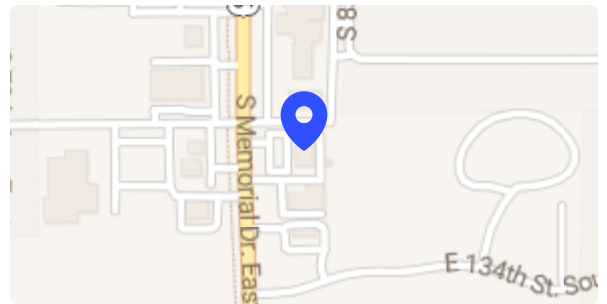
# Events

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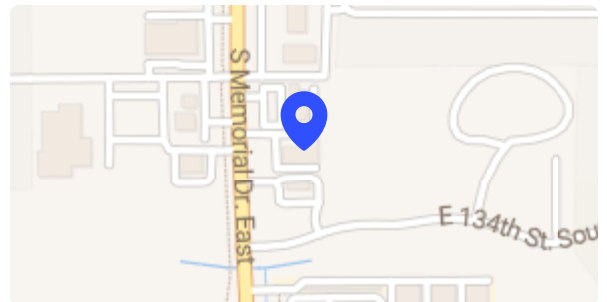
## Visitation

- Thursday**, September 25, 2025
- 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM CT
- Bixby Funeral Service**  
13307 South Memorial Drive, Bixby OK 74008



## Funeral

- Friday**, September 26, 2025
- 11:00 AM CT
- Rivercrest Chapel**  
13329 S. Memorial Dr., Bixby OK 74008





# Tribute Wall

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**Shirley Scott** posted:

I just today saw Joyce's obituary..I'm so saddened. She was one of my first friends when we moved here almost 60 years ago, then later we worked together at Twin Hills School. Joyce was a lovely, sweet person. Debbie and David, my heart breaks for you and your families.

October 24 at 1:38 AM



**Bixby-South Tulsa Funeral Service** shared a video to the **Joyce Lovitt Video Tribute** album.



September 26 at 10:31 AM



**Dave And Esther Miller** posted:

Joyce and Arlo were good friends and also neighbors. We shared birthdates and had many good times going out to dinner to celebrate. They were wonderful people and good friends and neighbors and will be missed. Dave & Esther Miller

September 25 at 10:55 AM



**Mark & Kim Miller** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Joyce.



September 25 at 7:07 AM



**Mark & Kim Miller** sent an Enchanted Cottage to the Lovitt family.



September 25 at 7:07 AM



**Hugs & Prayers, Sharion & Jim Stockton** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Joyce.



September 24 at 7:57 AM



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**Hugs & Prayers, Sharion & Jim Stockton** sent a Days of Sunshine Bouquet to the Lovitt family.

September 24 at 7:57 AM



MB

**Michele Boman** posted:

Joyce was such a good woman. I enjoyed working with her at Doc's. She will truly be missed.

September 24 at 6:03 AM

RS

**Ruth Martin And Marsha Martin Snider** sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Lovitt family.

September 24 at 5:08 AM



RS

**Ruth Martin And Marsha Martin Snider** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Joyce.

September 24 at 5:08 AM



PJ

**Patty, Liz, And Will/Loretta (Johnson)** sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Lovitt family.

September 23 at 2:17 PM





# Media

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Joyce Lovitt Video Tribute



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joyce by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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