



Bernice Cleveland

April 4, 1926 - May 9, 2013

Bernice Cleveland, a resident of Pryor (formerly of Sulphur) was born April 4, 1926 in Konawa, Oklahoma to Joseph & Julia Bernice (Hager) Robnett. She passed away Thursday May 9, 2013 at Pryor, Oklahoma at the age of 87 years 1 month and 5 days. She was married to Eldon A. Cleveland at Okla. City, Ok on September 12, 1946. He preceded her in death December 19, 2012. She grew up in Konawa where she graduated from Konawa High School. She attended East Central University in Ada, and graduated from Southwestern State University in Weatherford, OK with her BA & Masters in Education. She had taught in Cordell, Dill City and Wynnewood. She moved to Sulphur from Cordell in 1984.

She was also preceded in death by her parents: 2 brothers & 2 sisters.

Survived by her son and daughter-in-law: Steve and Yvonne Cleveland of Pryor, OK. daughter and son-in-law: Bernadon and David Lester of Muskogee, OK.

8 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Taylor Cleveland, Travis Watkins, Jake Lester, Jeff Lester, Derek Watson, Bart Newsom, and Stefan Valdez.

Services will be held Monday May 13, 2013 at 11:00 am at Crossway First Baptist Church officiated by Rev. Bill Leveridge. Burial will be at Oaklawn

Cemetery under the direction of DeArman's Clagg Funeral Home

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Cleveland*

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“ *I'm so sorry that your family has lost Bernice. I got to know Eldon and Bernice through the Arbuckle Historical Society and the SASO Choir. Eldon told great stories and prayer the most beautiful prayers. I found Bernice to be delightful. Heaven has gained another jewel. I regret that I will not be able to be at the funeral today.*

*Sincerely,
Mary Lou DeFratus Heltzel*

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