



## Dorothy Jean Grissom

January 30, 1934 - July 20, 2018

Dorothy Jean Grissom, a resident of Davis was born January 30, 1934 in Murray County, OK to Archie & Maggie (Thomas) Miller. She passed away Friday July 20, 2018 at Davis, OK at the age of 84 years 5 months and 20 days. Dorothy was married to Howell Don Grissom in Murray County on October 15, 1955. He preceded her in death in 2005. She had lived in Murray County most of her life. She attended Fairview schools before graduating from Davis High School. Dorothy had worked at Sooner Foods, also as a cook at Sulphur Public School, and at Arbuckle Memorial Hospital. She and her husband Howell owned and operated Howell Motel in Sulphur for several years. Dorothy had been a member of the First Free Will Baptist Church in Sulphur since January 26, 1959. She was also preceded in death by her parents and a son Ricky Grissom.

Survived by her Daughters: Vicki Jackson of Sulphur, OK  
Karen Blair, of Nevada City, CA  
Son & Daughter-in-law: Jerry Grissom and Donna, of Smyrna, TN  
Son: Brandon Grissom, of Concord, CA  
Sister: Mickey Allbritten, of Ardmore, OK  
10 Grandchildren, 19 Great Grandchildren, 1 Great Great Grandson.

Pallbearers will be Steve Allbritten, Joe Allbritten, Danny Miller,

Larry Miller, Luke White, and Josh Gregg

Honorary Bearers: Jeff Andrews, Seth Hensley, Jim Parker

Greg Lovelis, Buddy Vineyard.

The family will receive visitors from 5pm to 7pm Monday July 23 at the Funeral Home.

Services will be held Tuesday July 24, 2018 at 10:30AM at First Free Will Baptist Church officiated by Rev Dick Terry. Burial will be at Oaklawn Cemetery under the direction of DeArman Funeral Home of Sulphur.

Online condolences may be sent to [www.dearmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.dearmanfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **23**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

DeArman Funeral Home - Sulphur  
1129 W 1st  
Sulphur, OK 73086  
(580) 622-2121  
<https://www.dearmanfuneralhome.com>

## Service

JUL **24**. 10:30 AM (CT)

First Free Will Baptist Church  
1222 W. Oklahoma Ave  
Sulphur, OK 73086

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Jean Grissom*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *Phyl Huggins Foster & Family purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Dorothy Jean Grissom.*



**Phyl Huggins Foster & Family** - July 23, 2018 at 01:24 PM



“ *Aunt Dorothy was there for me when both of my kids were born. She took Jerry and I to swim at the Vendome and Bellvue after gathering eggs etc... Loved to take a stroll through her berry patch and sample them! I remember the first time she made scrambled eggs with bits of sausage. I always thought she made the very best breakfast! Will miss her. Joe Don*

**Joe Don Allbritten** - July 22, 2018 at 06:00 PM

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“ Aunt Dorothy always treated me like one of her own children. Growing up I looked forward each summer to spending a couple of weeks at Granny's and every morning I would get up and head up the road to Dorothy's house to play with the cousins. Dorothy would pack us all up in the car and take us to the Vendome swimming pool or the park. That was after Ricky, Jerry, and I would gather the eggs. She would come get us in time to go home for the afternoon gathering. One of my saddest day was when I heard Dorothy's awesome blackberry patch was plowed under. She had the best Blackberries I have ever tasted and Granny would always make me a Blackberry cobbler when she knew I was coming. I will never forget when Ricky and I thought if we shot a skunk with an arrow it wouldn't spray. Well that was not the case. We ran home and Dorothy made a tomato bath and we had soak in it. I am pretty sure Howell wasn't very happy the next morning when he went to the chicken house to feed them either! So many fond memories and such a wonderful time in my life. God bless you in Heaven my sweet aunt!

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Steve Craig Allbritten - July 22, 2018 at 03:52 PM