



Rita J. Schoonover

March 19, 1943 - January 9, 2024

A celebration of Life for Rita Joan (Pittman) Schoonover, 80, of Enid will be at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 17, 2024, at Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home in Enid, with Rev. Vernon Lee officiating. Burial will take place at a later date at Fargo Cemetery in Fargo, Oklahoma. Arrangements made by Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home and Crematory.

Rita was born March 19, 1943, in Gage, OK, to Art Pittman and Mary Alice (Wiesner) Pittman, and passed from this earth on Tuesday, January 9, 2024, in Enid.

Rita attended school in Gage, Oklahoma. She went on to attend Northwestern Oklahoma State University in Alva, Oklahoma, graduating with her teaching degree. On August 18, 1964, she married Ray W. Schoonover. They moved to Enid in 1964. Rita & Ray were married for 47 years. Rita was a school teacher at Lahoma & then taught at Pioneer-Pleasant Vale Elementary in Enid for many years. She was a children's Sunday School teacher and long-standing member at Liberty Southern Baptist Church in Enid. She enjoyed spending time with her family, taking care of her grandchildren, traveling with them and her husband Ray, and attending church almost every Sunday to sing in the choir.

Rita is survived by her daughter Sandra Hall (Jeff), Grandchildren Shelby Stotts (Heath), Riley Hall (Andersen); Step-daughter Toni Shroyer, Grandchildren Tiffany Wilkey (Scott), Ashley Glover (David); Great Grandchildren Decklan, Sloane & Sutton Stotts, Cole, Cade & Carlie Wilkey,

Kellam & Harris Glover; Sister Arlene Britton and Brother Bill Pittman; and many other family members and friends who will miss her greatly.

She was preceded by her parents, husband Ray and brother Donnie Pittman.

Memorials may be made through the funeral home to Liberty Southern Baptist Church, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or Pioneer-Pleasant Vale Elementary.

Cemetery Details

Fargo Cemetery

Fargo, OK

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home Chapel
3002 N. Van Buren
Enid, OK 73703
<http://www.andersonburriss.com>

Tribute Wall

AB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Anderson Burris - January 17, 2024 at 02:28 PM

TD

What a beautiful service. Rita will truly be missed !

Teresa Dennett - January 18, 2024 at 04:00 PM

TJ

“ She was my 4th grade teacher. I was a little onery at that time. I was in the office quite a bit. Lol She was an AWESOME teacher. She is going to be GREATLY missed by all. Lots of prayers for everyone.

Tamara Jarabek - January 16, 2024 at 01:44 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Rita J. Schoonover.



January 15, 2024 at 09:40 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rita J. Schoonover.*



January 15, 2024 at 02:54 PM



“ *So sorry to hear. I enjoyed teaching with Rita at Pleasant Vale. She was a great friend and mentor.*

Diana Seiler - January 14, 2024 at 10:27 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Rita J. Schoonover.*



January 13, 2024 at 09:55 PM



“ *So many fond Rita moments. Gracious lady, friend, co-worker, loving, caring. At piece now.*

Shirley AK Armstrong - January 13, 2024 at 04:12 PM



“ *Loved loved this woman! Lots of love to you Sandy* ❤️❤️❤️ 🙏🙏🙏

Shirley Flickinger - January 13, 2024 at 11:47 AM

DD

“ *My favorite teacher at Lahoma. She was the best . Never forget her smile and how much I enjoyed her classes❤️prayers for her family,
Debbie Dixon*

Debbie Dixon - January 12, 2024 at 05:30 PM