



## Rose Mary Lemke

May 20, 1946 - December 25, 2024

Rose was born May 20, 1946 in Miami, Florida to Richard Morris and Ogla (Smulligan) Adair and passed away on December 25, 2024 in Enid, Oklahoma.

On April 10, 1972, Rose married Thomas Edward Lemke, Sr in Wheeler, Texas and they made their home in California. They moved to southwest Oklahoma before making Enid their home in 2000. She enjoyed collecting rocks and books. Rose worked at Walmart.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Lemke, Sr; infant daughter, Terrie Christine Lemke; granddaughter, Kimberly Nicole Ransome; and her parents.

Rose is survived by her boyfriend, who brought happiness into her life, Frank Beneditti; four children, Angel "Merrie" (Terry) Barrows, Teri Lemke, Lore Williams, Rev Thomas E. (Tara) Lemke, Jr.; seven grandchildren, Jessica Lemke, Erica Lemke, Tony Dreher, Kristopher Lemke, Alexandra Lemke, Nathaniel Taylor, Desiree Barrows; great grandson, Ashton Thomas; brother, Richard Adair; sister, Chris Adair; other relatives and friends.

# Tribute Wall



“ I only knew Rose from seeing her at Cowboy Church. I became pastor in 2019 and when I resigned in September of this year I heard she was not doing well. I had not heard she had passed, but wanted the family to know that she was a sweet blessing to the service. She and Frank always sat in the same spot and she would always be smiling and supportive. she is missed and her sweet nature and consistent trust in the Lord reflected her relationship with her Savior and I have no doubt she is with Him now. Praying for all the family and for Frank  
Pastor Kelly Cronkhite

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**Kelly Cronkhite** - January 05, 2025 at 07:51 AM



“ Too many memories to share. She was not only a beautiful person, she was a wonderful sister and a great loss in my life. I will love her always. Rick Adair

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**Richard Adair (Brother)** - January 04, 2025 at 11:13 AM

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“ I remember mom always carried double mint gum in her purse. She painted her nails in a frost color. We could not go anywhere without her packing the kitchen sink, we were never on time. I hated that she spit on a tissue to clean my face. She made me wear plastic headbands that hurt my head, one time I fussed so much she rolled the window down in the car and tossed my headband out. She always dressed to the 9's, fussing with her hair. I teased her when she got her false teeth and whistled when she talked, she say "now you stop that" "Its not funny and she would laugh too. We always had to have a Siamese cat and a Chihuahua. She loved butterflies, romance stories, and cried over commercials. She could trip over air, once she pirouetted across the living room with her arm in the air, carrying a peanut butter and marshmellow sandwich, gracefully landing on the carpet and her sandwich stayed safe. We could talk about anything and everything. She was stubborn to a T. She always sent birthday cards with money in them and stickers all over the envelope. I always kissed her cheek good night while she told me not to let the bed bugs bite. She would stand on the steps of the house to watch me drive away after a visit. She always called me sweetie. That was momma to me. Angel

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**Angel** - December 27, 2024 at 03:41 PM

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I knew Rose from meeting her at the Cowboy Church she was a very sweet woman so was Frank they always spoke to me she will be greatly missed. Prayers for all the family and for Frank

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**Alice Dickson** - January 15, 2025 at 01:03 PM