



Orabelle Odorizzi Wharton

September 16, 1917 - July 26, 2014

Orabelle Odorizzi Wharton, 96, long-time resident of Lubbock, passed away peacefully at her home July 26, 2014, of natural causes. Orabelle was born to EC and Birdie Ann (White) Jones September 16, 1917, in Mexhoma, OK. She was the seventh child of ten born to the couple during the infamous dust bowl era. In June 1935, she married FC Odorizzi. Five children were born to this union: Charles Odorizzi, Wesley Odorizzi (deceased), Joyce Rachels (deceased), Wendell Odorizzi (Carol) and Gary Odorizzi (Sherry), eleven grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. They had a long and happy marriage until the death of FC in 1983. After his death, Orabelle married John G Wharton who died in 1993. Orabelle was a stay at home mother and homemaker. She was a member of the Eastern Star, a charter member of Asbury Methodist Church and more recently a member of St. Luke's Methodist Church. Her legacy to her family and friends is her belief and practice of strong morals and principles and her undying Christian faith. Visitation will be at 10 am, Wednesday, July 30, 2014 with services following at 11 am, at Sanders Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

City of Lubbock Cemetery

2011 East 31st Street
Lubbock, TX 79404

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 30. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Orabelle Odorizzi Wharton



Sanders Funeral Home - July 29, 2014 at 03:21 PM



Aaron Wolf

“ The Odorizzis hold a special place in my heart. Gary, Sherry, Holly and Jeff, I am very sorry for your loss. It's beyond painful to lose a grandparent. We take comfort that she rests with Jesus now. May she eternally RIP.

Aaron Wolf - July 30, 2014 at 09:23 PM

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Teresa Odorizzi - July 29, 2014 at 03:07 PM

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“ *Monika, Sam, Matt, and Jonny Rogers purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Orabelle Odorizzi Wharton.*



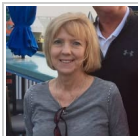
Monika, Sam, Matt, and Jonny Rogers - July 29, 2014 at 02:48 PM

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“ *Bert, Anne, Claire and everyone and Sand 'N Sea purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Orabelle Odorizzi Wharton.*



Bert, Anne, Claire and everyone and Sand 'N Sea - July 28, 2014 at 04:24 PM



“ *Aunt Orabelle was so kind to let me stay with her while I was going through losing my daddy (Uncle Ben). He was at Carillon Nursing Home for six weeks before he passed away. I told her one night that I appreciated her letting me stay there. She said "Oh sure, I'm not here to entertain you". But, the thing was, she always entertained you just being who she was. She will be missed. I'm sorry I can't make the funeral but my thoughts and prayers will be with you all. Wish I could be there.*

*Love,
Sharon*

Sharon Odorizzi - July 28, 2014 at 01:39 PM