



## Retta Fairless

February 7, 1967 - August 27, 2015

Retta Beatrice Oliphant Fairless, 48, of Carnegie, Oklahoma, was called home by the Lord on Thursday, August 27, 2015 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Retta was born February 7, 1967 in Carnegie to Galen and Vivian Gayle (Brewster) Oliphant. She lived in Carnegie all of her life. She enjoyed sewing and scrapbooking. She was employed at the Caddo Kiowa Technology Center in Fort Cobb as a Truck Driving Instructor for 26 years. What Retta will be remembered most for was her love for her family, especially her grandkids, her giving heart and her smile. She was a selfless, strong lady who would do anything to help out her family and friends. Family always came first. Retta was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church in Carnegie. Left to cherish her memory are her children: Elizabeth Fairless and Melissa Fairless, both of Carnegie; Johnathan Fairless and fiancée, Valerie Stewart of Yukon. Grandchildren: Megan Fairless, Amelia Fairless and John Wiley Fairless; 2 brothers: Tommy Oliphant and his wife, Linda Oliphant, of Carnegie and Billy Oliphant and his wife, Renda Mace, of Roosevelt; sister, Debbie Navarro of Carnegie. Neices: Teraysa Navarro of Meno, OK and Chelsea Berry Nephews: Leocadio Navarro Jr. and his wife Lacey and their two daughters, Taylor and Ava. Tommy Oliphant and his girlfriend, Cody Lane and their two daughters, Alex and Scarlett and Christopher Oliphant and Alex Berry A host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and many loving and caring friends. Retta is preceded in death by her mother, Vivian Gayle Oliphant, and grandmother, Beatrice Moss. Funeral services will be at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday,

September 1, 2015 at the First Baptist Church in Carnegie, Oklahoma. Rev. Arthur Blount will officiate. Burial will follow in the Carnegie Cemetery under the direction of the Fort Cobb Funeral Home. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.smithfuneralservices.com](http://www.smithfuneralservices.com)

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ Words cannot express how much Retta will be missed...thoughts and prayers to her immediate family....heaven gained a beautiful angel.

Deanna Bernius - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RT

“ Prayers for this sweet family. May The Lord, our God, be with you in the days ahead.

Randy, Kori, and Grayson Turney - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WJ

“ My condolences to Retta's family.

William "Jake" Ahtone, Jr. - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ May God be with all of you in the days ahead! Prayers for the entire family. RIP, Retta!

Edward & Beverly Whitworth - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Liz and Melissa I am so sorry to hear about your Mom. May God give you comfort at this time. I will be praying for your family.

Rita Melton - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. She was a great person.

Samantha Ratliff Brown - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ Elizabeth, Melissa and Johnathan, I am so sad to hear the news of your Mother. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Tina Kliewer** - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM