



Dorothy Aline Creech

November 6, 1920 - February 26, 2021

Dorothy Aline Creech, a 100 year old Miami resident went to be with her Lord and Savior on Friday, February 26, 2021 at Integris Miami Hospital. Dorothy was born on November 6, 1920 in Hunter, Oklahoma to Charles Robert and Bertha Amelia (Bayer) Buss. She was raised on a farm near Mutual and graduated from Richmond schools. She graduated from Northwestern Oklahoma State University (then Northwestern State College) in Alva with a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education. , During World War II, she worked in Oklahoma City at what is now Tinker Air Force Base as a clerk. She married Danten Dayle Creech in Woodward, Oklahoma on June 5, 1947. While she taught a few years during her lifetime. Dorothy's main love was her family, supporting her husband in his career in Oklahoma public education. They served in Fargo, Arnett, Velma-Alma, Pryor, and Oklahoma City, before moving to Miami in 1970 when Dr. Creech became president of Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College.

Dorothy was an active community volunteer. She taught Sunday School, served as a cub scout leader, and many other community activities. She was a member of PEO Chapter EJ, where she served in various offices, including president. As First Lady of NEO, she was very involved in NEO Women and was supportive of plays, athletic events, and other college activities. She continued to support NEO until her death. She also enjoyed her bridge clubs and book clubs.

Dorothy was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Miami where she was active in United Methodist Women. Even after she was homebound, she supported the church by preparing meals for funerals.

More important than anything to her was her family, she definitely cherished her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Mrs. Creech was preceded in passing by her husband Dayle Creech, her parents Robert and Bertha Buss and two Sisters Ethel Bish and Roberta Phillips.

Those left to share her 100 year legacy are her children Jan Shannon and her husband Mike of Edmond, Oklahoma, Jim Creech and his wife Pat of Miami, Oklahoma, and Dan Creech and his wife Valerie of Saint Louis, Missouri, along with her grandchildren Ryan Shannon and his wife Heather of Durango, Colorado, Julie Phelan and her husband Clay of Oklahoma City, Jay Creech and his wife Brooke of Grapevine, Texas, Matt Creech and his wife Amanda of Fort Worth, Texas, Hannah Creech of Phoenix, Arizona and Hayley Creech of Saint Louis, Missouri and great grandchildren Autumn Shannon and Dax Shannon both of Durango, and Phoebe Phelan of Oklahoma City.

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the course, I have kept the faith.”
~ II Timothy 4:7

There will be an open viewing time from 12 Noon until 8:00 PM on Tuesday, March 2, 2021 at Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Miami.

Mrs. Creech’s Celebration of Life will be 2:00 PM, Wednesday, March 3, 2021 at First United Methodist Church in Miami with Reverend Taud Boatman officiating. Covid restrictions, including masks, will be required at the service. Interment will follow at the Grand Army of the Republic Cemetery in Miami

under the Care of Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Miami.

The family has asked that memorial Contributions be made to the Back Pack Program at the First United Methodist Church in Miami.

Friends and family may share notes of encouragement by viewing Mrs. Creech's Tribute Page at www.brown-winters.com.

Cemetery Details

Grand Army of the Republic

2801 North Main Street
Miami, OK 74354

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 2. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service
5 B Street NW
Miami, OK 74354
(918) 542-3311
info@brown-winters.com
<https://www.brown-winters.com>

Celebration of Life

MAR 3. 2:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church - Miami
200 B NW
Miami, OK 74354
<http://www.fumcmiami.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Dorothy Aline Creech*



Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service - March 02, 2021 at 11:20 AM

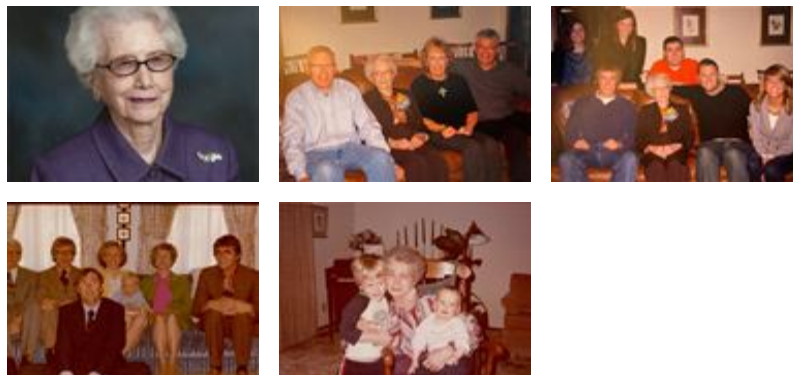
DJ

“ *Mrs. Creech was the epitome of a lady to me. I got to know her and Dr.Creech during my years at NEO and then at the Methodist Church. We became PEO sisters in later years and as per PEO standards I needed to call her Dorothy...it was the hardest thing for me to do. She was a true treasure. Fondly, Debbie Johnson*

Debbie Johnson - March 02, 2021 at 09:16 PM



“ *51 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service - March 02, 2021 at 11:07 AM

AT

“ AA Distribution Strategy Leadership Team purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Dorothy Aline Creech.



AA Distribution Strategy Leadership Team - March 01, 2021
at 01:36 PM

TR

“ The Bish Boys - Charles, Darrel & Roger purchased the *Delightful Dieffenbachia* for the family of Dorothy Aline Creech.



The Bish Boys - Charles, Darrel & Roger - February 28, 2021
at 08:38 PM

DC

“ 1 file added to the album *Photos*



Dan Creech - February 27, 2021 at 06:13 PM

AW

Beautiful photo. Praying for you and your family.

Amy Weiler - February 28, 2021 at 08:19 AM

GH

Beautiful picture of your Mom and her two little friends, they do fill a gap when we are not around for them, she will be missed by everyone that knew her and and prayers go out to you and your family

Gary Hasseberg - February 28, 2021 at 08:52 AM



Dorothy was a beautiful woman inside and out. What a blessing she was to Miami!

Kathryn Wenzel - March 01, 2021 at 12:03 PM



*What a great legacy Dorothy has left on this earth. Prayers for her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
Larry and Cindy Angle*

Cindy Angle - March 01, 2021 at 08:40 PM