



## Ruth Elaine Zimmerman

December 18, 1963 - January 6, 2025

Ruth Elaine Robertson Zimmerman, age 61, was released from her years of pain and suffering when her Lord and Savior called her to her heavenly home on January 6, 2025. Ruth passed away unexpectedly at her home in Miami, Oklahoma with her husband in attendance. Ruth was born on December 18, 1963, in Oklahoma City, to Dean and Eva (Mangrum) Robertson.

While Ruth is now happy and walking the streets of glory without a hint of pain, those she left behind are suffering insurmountable grief over losing her. Ruth was a unique and special person, a steadfast and loving wife, sister, stepmother, Nama and friend. She made a profound impact on everyone she met. She was thoughtful, generous to a fault, funny and beautiful, inside and out. Although she was kind to the core, she did not hesitate to speak her mind. She was quick to state her opinion about any topic she felt strongly about...and she felt strongly about many topics. She loved God first, then her family and Elvis, although the last two might have been pretty equal. She also loved President Trump, the Oklahoma Sooners, the Red Sox and dogs. Ruth will be sorely missed and while we are deeply heartbroken, our loss is Heaven's gain. We take comfort in knowing she is reunited with her momma and daddy, her brothers, sister and her beloved Graycie Mae.

Ruth enjoyed many years of working for some wonderful people and gave as much energy and commitment to her jobs as she did to other aspects of her

life. She was originally from Moore, Oklahoma, where she graduated from Moore High School in 1982. A testament to her impact on others is that she has maintained friendships that she formed in high school, junior high and even grade school. She met the love of her life, her soulmate, in July of 1990 and locked him down by marrying him in November of that same year.

Ruth is survived by her devoted husband of 34 years, Tom, her stepdaughter and step son-in-law, Jodi and Rob James, her precious grandchildren, Carly and Wade, stepdaughter, Trisha Martin, her sisters, Sheri Clements, Alice Clary, Christi Hernandez and brother-in-law, Johnny Hernandez, nieces Amanda Seabolt, Jenny Peace, Lana Clary, Lacey Clary, Madison Engel, nephews Jared Clements, Presley Clary, John Robertson and Nathan Anders, great nieces Eva and Reagan and great nephews Blake, Dylan and Kenniston, best friend Holly Patterson and a multitude of loving cousins and friends.

Ruth is preceded in death by her mother, Eva Robertson, father, Dean Robertson, brothers Eddie Robertson and Brett Robertson and sister, Janis Stillwell.

There will be a memorial service for Mrs. Zimmerman at 1:00 PM, on Saturday, January 18, 2025, at Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Miami, Oklahoma with Reverend Jarrod Kendall officiating. Friends and family may send the family notes of encouragement by viewing Ruth's Tribute Page at [www.brown-winters.com](http://www.brown-winters.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN 18. 1:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - January 18, 2025 at 02:06 PM

TH

*My deepest condolences for all of you. I met Ruthie as a teenager. She was one of the sweetest people I've ever known! She loved BIG! RIP my friend. Treva House*

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**Treva House** - January 18, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - January 15, 2025 at 11:40 AM

JJ

*To my sweet sweet cousin Ruthie you will be deeply missed say hello to your mom and dad and my cousins I'm sure they are so happy to see you with all our Love from the Jones Family 📄💕💕🙏*

**Jesse Jones** - January 18, 2025 at 01:45 PM

JO

*My dearest Ruth, precious friend, as the saying goes...our heartfelt loss, Heaven's gain. I know you're looking down on us, pain free and joyous, in the presence of our Father, your wonderful mom and dad, brothers, and sister with beloved Graycie Mae snuggled close. We will miss you so very much but know how very happy you must be.*

**Joelle** - January 24, 2025 at 02:27 AM

WF

*“ With love from the Page Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*



**With love from the Page Family** - January 17, 2025 at 03:48 PM

WF

*“ With love from the Page Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*

**With love from the Page Family** - January 17, 2025 at 03:48 PM



“ 3 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - January 17, 2025 at 10:10 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.



January 17, 2025 at 09:46 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.

January 17, 2025 at 09:46 AM



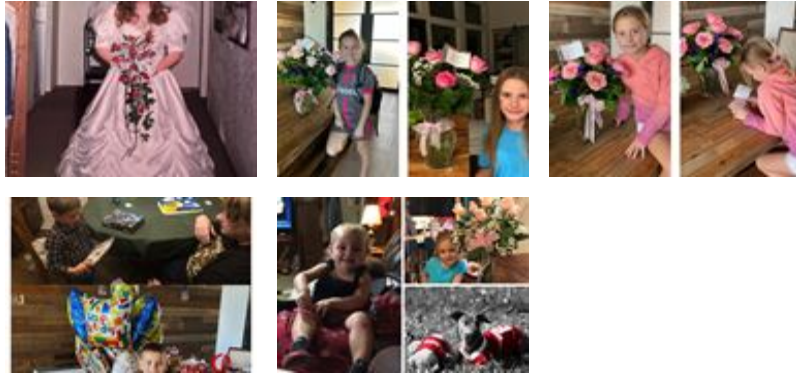
“ *Derek & Melinda Randle (Walgreens Rx)* purchased the *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.



**Derek & Melinda Randle (Walgreens Rx)** - January 17, 2025 at 12:13 AM



“ 67 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - January 15, 2025 at 11:37 AM



“ All our love, Sheri, Alice, Christi purchased the *Forever Our Angel Bouquet* for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.



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**All our love, Sheri, Alice, Christi** - January 14, 2025 at 11:10 AM



“ All our love, Sheri, Alice, Christi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.

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**All our love, Sheri, Alice, Christi** - January 14, 2025 at 11:10 AM

MD

“ *Marc & Karla Dye purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*



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**Marc & Karla Dye** - January 13, 2025 at 08:00 PM

JJ

“ *Jesse and Gaylia Jones purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*



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**Jesse and Gaylia Jones** - January 10, 2025 at 05:43 PM

RB

“ *Ron and Barb purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*



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**Ron and Barb** - January 10, 2025 at 05:28 PM

RB

“ *Ron and Barb planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.*

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**Ron and Barb** - January 10, 2025 at 05:28 PM

ER

“ *Love you so much Ruthie!*

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**Erle Rankin** - January 10, 2025 at 02:55 PM

KM

“ Karen and Bert Minter purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ruth Elaine Zimmerman.



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**Karen and Bert Minter** - January 09, 2025 at 03:49 PM

DJ

“ Ruth and I shared many sleepless nights chatting on messenger. We talked about everything and nothing. She's one of the few who loved her dog as much as I love mine. She loved big and never hesitated to tell you she loved you. She was a strong believer in God and professed her faith often. She loved her family and you knew it! She lived this life with so much pain and it's so comforting knowing she no longer has to hurt every day. I will miss my cousin.

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**Debbie Mangrum Johnson** - January 09, 2025 at 11:52 AM

SC

Some friendships last a lifetime and this was one of them. 50+years of friendship I was blessed to have with Ruth. We didn't see each other often but when we did it was as if we had spent every day together. She truly was an amazing lady full of love and understanding. So many wonderful memories through the years were made and I will cherish them all forever. Love you my dear friend you'll always hold that special place in my heart. You were more than a friend, you were family.

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**Sandy Cartmill Cano** - January 12, 2025 at 05:29 PM