



Bonnie Beth O'Neal, age 78, of Lamar, Missouri passed away May 1, 2021, at her home.

Bonnie was born April 30, 1943 in Jonesboro, Arkansas to Lucien Everett Whitten and Bonnie Mae (Sellers) Whitten. On July 7, 1965, Bonnie married James (Jim) Frederick O'Neal in Miami, Oklahoma.

Bonnie received her bachelor's degree from Southeast Missouri State University and master's degree from Pittsburg State University. She worked as an elementary and special education teacher from 1967 to 1997 for the Lamar R-1 School District.

She volunteered and taught Sunday School at First Baptist Church, was a member of PEO and was the founding Project Graduation Coordinator in 1990. Bonnie loved to travel and spend time with her family and friends, especially her grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband Jim O'Neal, two sons; Chris (Chastity) O'Neal and Pat (Michelle) O'Neal, all of Lamar, seven grandchildren; Whitten O'Neal, Brianna O'Neal, Alex O'Neal, Connor O'Neal, Sam O'Neal, Victoria O'Neal and Spencer O'Neal.

Bonnie was preceded in death by her parents.

IN MEMORY OF Bonnie Beth O'Neal

April 30, 1943 ~ May 1, 2021

FUNERAL SERVICE 10:00 a.m., May 4, 2021 Lamar First Baptist Church

> OFFICIATING Robb Hodson

MUSIC SELECTIONS

"Sweet Beulah Land"
"It Is Well With My Soul"
"Amazing Grace"
Vocalists: Joe Ramseyer ~ Wayne Dingman ~ Steve Livingston
Pianist: Debbie Marti

PALLBEARERS

Chris O'Neal ~ Pat O'Neal ~ Whitten O'Neal ~ Alex O'Neal Connor O'Neal ~ Sam O'Neal ~ Spencer O'Neal

HONORY PALLBEARERS

Brenda Miller ~ Nancy Gilkey ~ Sharon Belline Marilyn Couch ~ Linda O'Sullivan ~ Lynn Divine Kay Moore ~ Ann Spillenkothen ~ Jewel Little Judy Daniel ~ Vivian Sherrill ~ Bonda Rawlings Joyce Fry ~ Bev Walling

INTERMENT

Lake Cemetery Lamar, Missouri