



Roma Louise Wilcke

June 11, 1931 - February 20, 2015

Roma Louise Wilcke, 83, passed away Friday, February 20, 2015 at her home. Roma was born June 11, 1931 in Wichita, TX.

Serving the United States Air Force in Germany, Roma reached the rank of Airman 2nd Class at Goodfellows Air Force Base in San Angelo, Texas.

In 1981, Roma started the Pet Cemetery in Roswell, helping over 800 families with the loss of their loved pets. She was a faithful member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Roswell since 1968. Roma received her Masters Degree in Physical Education and taught in Roswell until her retirement.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 27, 2015 at 10:00 AM in the Trinity United Methodist Church. Burial will immediately follow at the General Douglas McBride Veterans Cemetery with Military Honors provided by the Roswell Veteran's Honor Guard. Pastor Glenn Therion will officiate the service.

Tribute Wall



“ *Roma Louise Wilcke*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *My heart is full of grief as I just now learned of Roma's passing. We were close e-mail buddies since we served together with her sister at a Senior Internship Program many years ago in DC. She was one of the most remarkable, intelligent women I knew. There are no words to describe her and the joy she brought into my life. I will miss her greatly. My deepest sympathies to her niece - she was ecstatic when you found each other.*

I will be with you in spirit at her funeral tomorrow.

Toni Parsons, Bradenton Florida

Toni Parsons - February 25, 2015 at 09:39 PM

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“ *East Grand Plains will never be the same without Roma. She loved her home, her animals and her friends. Roma was a small but powerful presence.*

Numerous lives have been touched by Roma. She expected a lot from those she knew which in turn made us want to do better.

Roma used to ride her bike to my house in East Grand Plains and I would ride to hers. We shared many a conversation in her lifetime and she made the best ice tea.

We also shared the same birthday and I will miss not getting to be with her on our special day.

The highlight of Roma's life was finding out she had a niece. She loved her so and treated her as if she had known her all her life.

I will forever remember and love you Roma.

Pearl Freese

Pearl Freese - February 25, 2015 at 04:01 AM

 Emily Hill

“ *Roma and my grandmother, June, grew up together and for my entire life she was always my "Aunt Roma". She always rooted for me no matter what and treated me like one of her own. She called often, and I was the one who called her to let her know that my grandmother had left this world. Ironically, Fly to Jesus is playing right now which makes me think of my grandmother, so I know Roma is dancing with Jesus along with my grandmother right now. I loved their friendship and loved that she loved me like one of her own. I'm going to miss her goofy grin, her crazy sense of humor, the way she always left messages for my dogs on the machine, and the fact that we never hung up or said goodbye without saying how much we loved each other.*

Emily Hill - February 24, 2015 at 05:55 PM

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“ *I adored Roma - she was a hoot to be around and always made our day when she came in our office. I will miss her! Priscilla Hendrickson*

Priscilla Hendrickson - February 24, 2015 at 10:01 AM