



Tonya J. Fuller

September 24, 1945 - January 25, 2015

Funeral Services for Tonya Fuller, 69, of Dexter, NM, will be held at 10:30 AM, Thursday, January 29, 2015, at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home Chapel. Ron Fuller and Reed Wheeler will be officiating with burial to follow at General McBride Veterans Cemetery. The family will be accepting visitation from 12:00 noon to 8:00 PM, Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at Funeral Home. Tonya went to be with her Lord and Savior on Sunday, January 25, 2015, surrounded by her family.

Tonya was born September, 24, 1945, to Frances and Dorothy Schobey in Jamestown, NY. She met her husband on a blind date in Albuquerque, NM, where he was stationed in the Navy. They got married on April 19, 1963. Eventually, they moved back to Roswell, in 1966, and moved to the family home in Midway, in 1967.

Tonya loved her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She also loved flowers, reading, painting, watching the birds, and most of all, her grandchildren. Tonya worked as a cosmetologist and drove a school bus for 20+ years. She was loyal to her church and no greater prayer warrior could be found. She also assisted with the Midway Fire Department for 30 years and served meals to hundreds of kids in the Midway area.

Tonya is survived by her husband, Ornell Fuller, of the family home. Also

surviving her are son, Jay Fuller and wife, Toye; son, Ron Fuller and wife, Jeri; daughter, Rene Wheeler and husband, Reed; and son, Tim Fuller and wife, Cindy. Additional survivors include sisters: Fran Hunt of Arkansas and Becky Reid of Dexter, and brother, Tim Schobey of Florida. Her grandchildren are Lawrence Daveed, Matt Cox, Zachary Fuller, Daniel Fuller, Nathan Fuller, Mikayla Fuller, Tim Fuller, Laci Fuller, Serena Fuller, Tanner Abbott and Jaivyn Fuller.

Tonya's grandchildren will serve as her pallbearers. She was also a "grandma" to countless others.

Tonya was preceded in death by a son, Ornell Fuller Jr., and brother, Art Schobey.

In lieu of flowers, the family would like donations to be made to His House Church of Dexter and One Tree Cowboy Fellowship of Roswell. Donations can be mailed to, PO Box 208, Roswell, NM 88202.

Mom, you are always with me.

You are the whisper of the leaves as I walk down the street.

You are the smell of certain foods I remember.

The fragrance of flowers that I pick, the fragrance of life itself.

You are the cool hand on my brow when I do not feel well.

You are my breath in the air on a cold winter's day.

You are the sound of the rain that lulls me to sleep.

You are the colors of a rainbow.

Mom, you live inside my laughter.

You are the place that I come from, my first home.

You're the map that I follow with every foot step.

You are my first love, my first friend, even my first enemy

But nothing on earth can separate you from me.

Not time, Not space, Not even death.

I love you mom

Tribute Wall



“ *Tonya J. Fuller*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



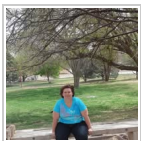
“ *So sorry for your loss*

Geneva Brumlow - January 29, 2015 at 05:12 PM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of Tanya's passing. We love all of you, and we are praying for peace, comfort, and strength for you now and in the weeks to come. May God bless and keep you. Kennon and Sherri Hall-Crowhurst*

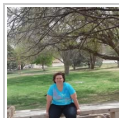
Sherri Hall-Crowhurst - January 29, 2015 at 05:07 PM



“ *Elizabeth Moore lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller*



Elizabeth Moore - January 28, 2015 at 10:06 PM



SHE WAS THE BEST BUS DRIVER IN THE WORLD

Elizabeth Moore - January 28, 2015 at 10:07 PM

TN

“ Dear Fuller Family,
I am so sorry to hear of Aunt Townie's passing, she was a wonderful Aunt and I have such great memories of spending a few weeks each summer with all of you. I caught my first fish with you all when we went camping. You just took Nada and I along with all the other kids and we had such a blast. I remember she was always so loving and Uncle Ornell the way you and her acted with each other still warms my heart. Always like you were newlyweds. There is so much to say but this is not the time and not enough room but I wanted you to know my thoughts and prayers are with you and will continue to be. I know you will miss her greatly but we all know she is rejoicing with Junior, Grandma and Grandpa in heaven. What a Homecoming!!! Love to you all.

Tammy Northcutt (your niece)

Tammy Northcutt - January 28, 2015 at 01:05 PM

DR

“ Dear Mr. Fuller and family,
so sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers for you and your family.
Sincerely,
Dora Ruiz



Dora Ruiz - January 28, 2015 at 12:00 PM

MM

“ Dear Family, I was saddened to read of Tonya's passing but then realized she is with her Lord and no longer suffering. She fought the good fight. You will miss her terribly but know she continues to watch over you all. MaryAnn Murphy

MaryAnn Murphy - January 28, 2015 at 11:05 AM

LD

“ Lovington Police Department purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Tonya J. Fuller.



Lovington Police Department - January 28, 2015 at 10:44 AM

JO

“ My sincere condolences to all the family of Mrs. Fuller but in particular to Tim, who I personally know as the Executive Director of Chaves County Character Counts. All the family is in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless each one of you and give you the strength to endure such a painful part of life.

*Respectfully,
Juan Oropesa*

Juan Oropesa - January 28, 2015 at 09:58 AM

GH

“ Georgianna Hunt lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller



Georgianna Hunt - January 28, 2015 at 09:18 AM

GH

Over the years I was able to speak to Tonya a lot, and not once, in all of those years did she ever hang up the phone without saying a kind word, or thought that made my day a little brighter. She had so much love and kindness in her heart that it was inspiring and heartwarming. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Georgianna Hunt - January 28, 2015 at 09:24 AM

SM

“ Stacy Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller



Stacy Maxwell - January 27, 2015 at 08:10 PM

 Katrina Holguin

“ Katrina Holguin lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller



Katrina Holguin - January 27, 2015 at 07:42 PM

 Katrina Holguin

“ Dear Fuller family, so sorry to hear about Tonya. I have fond memories of a funny, warm and loving woman that loved God, her family and friends. She will be greatly missed. All of you will be in my prayers.

Katrina Holguin - January 27, 2015 at 07:40 PM

MM

“ Martinez Family From Miday lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller



Martinez Family from Miday - January 27, 2015 at 06:14 PM

FF

“ *Freddy And Joann Palomino And Family lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller*



Freddy and Joann Palomino and Family - January 27, 2015 at 06:11 PM

AW

“ *Amanda Whitt sent a virtual gift in memory of Tonya J. Fuller*



Amanda Whitt - January 27, 2015 at 05:51 PM

JR

“ *Judy Ruiz lit a candle in memory of Tonya J. Fuller*



judy ruiz - January 27, 2015 at 03:48 PM