



## Delois "June" Elkins

December 15, 1931 - August 4, 2024

Delois "June" (Boggs) Elkins was born to Claude Dick Boggs and Alma Alice (Harris) Boggs on December 15, 1931, in Zella Township, Oklahoma. She passed from this life on August 4, 2024, at the age of 92.

June completed her bachelor's degree at the University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma in Chickasha. Then she pursued further education at the University of Central Oklahoma in Edmond, graduating with a master's degree. June utilized her expertise as an Art Teacher, employing her passion for creativity and education to inspire her students.

June was an active member of the United Methodist Church, participating in various community events and programs. In addition to her church involvement, she was a dedicated member of a local Quilt and Art Club, where she shared her passion for quilting, painting, and writing.

Her love for travel took her on numerous adventures across the States and Europe, where she soaked in diverse cultures and landscapes. After these enriching experiences, June made Lindsay, Oklahoma her permanent home.

Left to cherish June's memory are her son, Richard and wife Lynne Howard of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, her son, Donald and wife Karen Howard of Indian Shores, Florida, her daughter-in-law, Susan Howard of Edmond, OK. Other

surviving family members include her grandchildren, Joe and wife Jenny Petruno of Denver, CO, Dr. Mark and wife Elizabeth Howard of Boston, MA, Jeff and wife Jill Howard of Wichita, KS, and Connor Howard of Indian Shores, FL, her great-grandchildren, Alexandria and Grant Petruno, Brianna and Brogan Howard, and Buzz, Rockwell, and Iker Howard, and numerous nieces and nephews.

June is preceded in death by her parents, Claude (Dick) and Alma (Alice) Boggs, her husband, Otho Barton Howard of 47 years, her husband, Leo Elkins of 14 years, and her brother, Jimmy Boggs, and her sister, Claudine Boggs Langford and her son Robert Barton Howard.

A funeral service to honor June is set to begin on Thursday, August 8, 2024, and 11 A.M. at United Methodist Church in Lindsay, Oklahoma.

Services are under the direction of Scott and Angel Wilbourn of Wilbourn Family Funeral Home in Lindsay, Oklahoma. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.wilbournfamilyfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilbournfamilyfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Green Hill Cemetery

100th Street  
Lindsay, OK 73052

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

AUG 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

United Methodist Church  
114 W Chickasaw  
Lindsay, OK 73052

# Tribute Wall

RJ

“ She was a great mentor and support to me being a creative and artsy in a small community. Thank you Mrs. Howard ❤️

Robert Jones - August 10, 2024 at 08:45 AM

SG

“ She was my elementary art teacher. Her class was always so fun and she taught us a lot about art. She will be missed .

Shawnda Gillham - August 09, 2024 at 09:36 PM

BK

“ Your dear mother, June, was loved by all who knew her. Her joy for life and constant smile was a blessing to all around her. My heart goes out to you and your family. It is never easy to loose a parent....no mater their age.  
Sending Gentle hugs, Bonnie Foley Kurtz

Bonnie Foley Kurtz - August 07, 2024 at 12:43 PM

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“ Frances Bunch lit a candle in memory of Delois "June" Elkins



Frances Bunch - August 06, 2024 at 06:14 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Delois "June" Elkins.*



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August 06, 2024 at 03:40 PM



“ *The Shirley Family (Nieces / Nephews) planted a <a href="/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518">Memorial Tree</a> in honor of Delois "June" Elkins.*

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**The Shirley Family (Nieces / Nephews)** - August 06, 2024 at 03:40 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Delois "June" Elkins.*



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August 06, 2024 at 03:34 PM



“ *Dick Shirley planted a <a href="/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518">Memorial Tree</a> in honor of Delois "June" Elkins.*

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**Dick Shirley** - August 06, 2024 at 03:34 PM