



In Loving Memory
CELEBRATING A LIFE

Visitation

Stockham Family Funeral Home
McPherson, Kansas
Thursday, January 15, 2026, from 5 to 7 pm

Graveside Service

Washunga Cemetery
Newkirk, Oklahoma
Friday, January 16, 2026, at 11:00 AM

Casket Bearers

Charles Pontious ~ Trey Pontious
Kyle Pontious ~ Trevor Pontious ~ Ethan Pontious

Memorial Donations

Memorial donations can be given to a charity of the donor's choice in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation & Luncheon

Linda's family wishes to express sincere appreciation for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Following the graveside service, all are welcome for a luncheon at the Stagecoach Catering & BBQ, 400 W. South St., Newkirk, OK 74647.

Hope Strength

Stockham Family Funeral Home



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Linda L. Pontious

August 3, 1941 - January 11, 2026

A Celebration of Life
Linda L. Pontious

Honor
Loving Memory

Linda Lou Pontious, 84, of McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away on Sunday, January 11, 2026, at McPherson Health & Rehab.

She was born on August 3, 1941, in Pawnee, OK, the daughter of Walter Eugene and Grace Laurabelle (Clark) Murray. In 1960, Linda was united in marriage to Bill J. Pontious. He preceded her in death on June 30, 1988.

Linda was a homemaker and in later years, worked at the Main Street Deli in McPherson.

Survivors include two sons, Charles (LaVon) Pontious of McPherson, KS and Trey (Sandra) Pontious of McPherson, KS; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and many extended relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Walter & Grace Murray; husband, Bill Pontious; a son, Benny Pontious; brothers, Dan Murray, Vincent "Ish" Murray, Dusty Murray, and Joe Murray; a sister, Tonya Murray; and nephew, Joshua Gepner.

