



*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*

**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.

*Honor  
Loving Memory*

