

## **Visitation**

Stockham Family Funeral Home McPherson, Kansas Wednesday, June 12, 2024, from 5 to 7 p.m.

# **Funeral Service**

Stockham Family Funeral Home McPherson, Kansas Thursday, June 13, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.

# **Officiant**

Rev. Dan Cate

## **Special Recorded Music**

"Amazing Grace" by Alan Jackson
"How Great Thou Art" by Carrie Underwood
"His Eye is on the Sparrow" by The Statler Brothers
"In the Garden" by Alan Jackson

## **Casket Bearers**

Chris Weyand ~ Chris Schulz ~ John King Daniel Farrow ~ Will Bratcher ~ Charlie Bratcher

# **Final Resting Place**

Elmwood Cemetery Lindsborg, Kansas

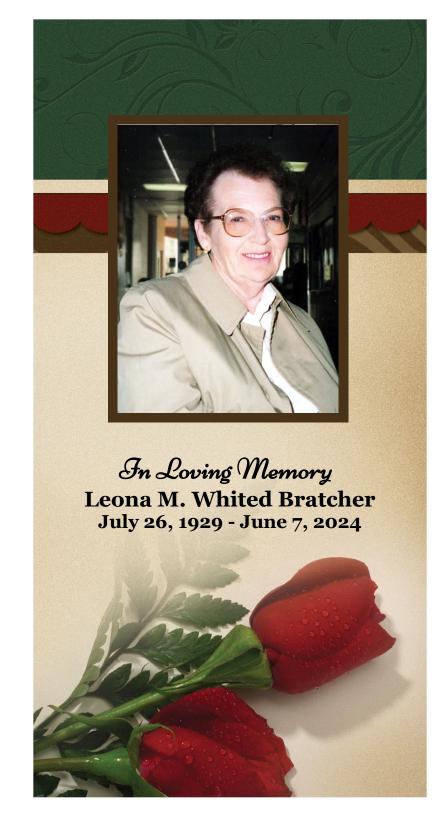
## **Memorial Donations**

Memorial donations may be made to McPherson County Food Bank or Cat House in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

## **Appreciation**

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

Stockham Family Funeral Home





# Wemories



# A Celebration of Life Leona M. Whited Bratcher

Leona M. Whited Bratcher, 94, of McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away on Friday, June 7, 2024, at Brookdale, McPherson.

Leona was born on July 26, 1929, near Lindsborg, KS, the daughter of Johan Hjalmar Ernest and Ethel Aurora Christina (Falen) Jacobson. She graduated from Lindsborg High School and attended Bethany College.

She worked at Swick-Guth as a machinist and was a telephone switchboard operator, nurse aid, and shoe dept. manager at Walmart.

On March 21, 1953, Leona was united in marriage to Wayne B. Whited in Lindsborg, KS. He died February 27, 1993. She married B. Ray Bratcher on April 3, 1997, in McPherson, KS. He preceded her in death on June 18, 2022.

Survivors include six children, Gary Wayne Whited (Arnell) of Hutchinson, KS, Ron Whited (Carolyn) of Grifton, NC, Wanda Weyand (Robert) of McPherson, KS, Mike Bratcher (Lou Rice) of Houston, TX, Kent Bratcher (Rhonda) of Yukon, OK, and Gary Bratcher (Donna Taylor) of Dallas, TX; 14 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husbands, and four brothers, Henry, John, Vernon, and Delbert Jacobson.



For God so oveo that He the world, His only begotten Son,

that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have

Everlasting
- John 3:16 life.

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