



## Berniece E. Slack

July 10, 1924 - December 7, 2018

Berniece Slack, 94  
Kearney resident

Berniece Slack, 94 of Kearney, formerly of Gibbon, died Friday, December 7, 2018 at Mt. Carmel Home in Kearney. Funeral Services will be 10:30 am Monday, December 17, 2018 at the Gibbon Baptist Church. The Rev. Dr. Jon Wymer will officiate. Interment will follow at Riverside Cemetery in Gibbon. Visitation is 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm Sunday, December 16th at the Gibbon Baptist Church.

Memorials are suggested to the Gibbon Baptist Church or Mt. Carmel Home. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Berniece Elmira Slack was born July 10, 1924 in rural Shelton, Nebraska to Chester and Elsie (Lowell) Smith. She was raised in the Gibbon area and was a graduate of Gibbon High School. On June 5, 1944, Berniece married Donald L. Slack in Norton, KS. The couple made their home in Gibbon where Berniece was a long-time employee of the Turkey Plant. Berniece later worked at Eaton Corporation until her retirement.

She was a member of the Gibbon Baptist Church. Berniece enjoyed playing

cards and visiting with friends and family. She had a lifelong love for music.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Lynn (Janet) Slack of Gibbon, Ramona Kay (Dan) Webster of Gibbon, Roger (Debra) Slack of Gibbon and Beverly (Chris) Tolbert of Oklahoma City, OK; 10 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; and 4 great great grandchildren; sister, Doretha Clevenger of Gibbon; sisters-in-law, Roberta Slack of Grand Island and Betty Slack of Logan, UT; as well as, numerous nieces, nephews and extended family.

Berniece was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Donald Slack; brothers, Jerry (Irene) Smith and Elton (Anita) Smith; sisters, Ruth (Fred) Humiston, Sylvia (Fred) Pember, Thelma (Vernon) Weeks, Mary (Everett) (Charlie) Jenson Boyd, Bernadean (Max) Wilkie; as well as, Bob Clevenger, Louise (Myron) Warner, Margorie (Eldon) Mays and Neil C. Slack.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

45400 85th Road  
Gibbon, NE

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 16. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gibbon Baptist Church  
Gibbon, NE 68840

## Funeral Service

DEC 17. 10:30 AM (CT)

Gibbon Baptist Church  
Gibbon, NE 68840

# Tribute Wall



“ *Berniece E. Slack*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *To all of Berneice's family: Condolences to all of you. What a fabulous lady she was! I worked for her & Ray at the Bow & Arrow, along with Peggy Gifford; that's going 'way back! I remember her instructing us on the proper way to cut and press an orange for the really fresh orange juice we served breakfast customers back then! Hold all the wonderful memories in your hearts and share them with those who are younger in your family. May lots of happy memories come to comfort you and make you smile. A long life well-lived and well-loved is the best reward anyone can hope for.*

**Gloria LeDroit** - December 13, 2018 at 11:26 AM



“ *To all of you....our deepest sympathy .....was sadden to hear of Aunt Berniece's passing....she was a very special lady....always a smile and hug whenever you entered a room. Keep the memories close ....they will help in days to come....and beyond....May you find comfort in her strength....love to all.....Wayne and Vicki (Dornhoff) Nienhueser*

**Vicki Nienhueser** - December 10, 2018 at 09:02 PM

TW

“ Ever since Terry and I have been married,he always spoke of Gram's good cooking. Terry was especially fond of Gram's oatmeal-raisin cookies and her potato salad. One of my fondest memories was having Gram show me how she made her potato salad. Now, everytime I make potato salad Terry always comments about it almost being as good as Gram's. I have some big shoes to fill. Love you, Gram. Goodbye for now-Until we meet again.

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**Thrisha Webster** - December 09, 2018 at 09:52 PM

RW

“ Lots of good memories...like how she like to sit around the piano and sing...now she knows what music is really all about!!!

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**Reo Weeks** - December 09, 2018 at 02:36 PM

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“ Berniece is my grandmother. Two of my favorite memories with her and granddad were staying with them and my brothers and I dancing to the theme song of the show Dallas and the other one was the time she had made us Mac and cheese because it was the best but this time she put it in the oven and it got just a little brown on top and we wouldn't eat it! Made her so mad but she never did it again!! Love her and miss her so much!!

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**Peggy (Slack) Schmidt** - December 08, 2018 at 05:26 PM