



## Nellie Theresa Preston

October 19, 1927 - June 27, 2016

Nellie Theresa Preston, 88. Born October 19, 1927 in Duluth, Minnesota and raised in Omaha, Nebraska. The daughter of Joseph Taylor and Corrine (Lewis). She enjoyed a long happy marriage to Silas Sidney Preston Sr. who preceded her in death in 2000. Nellie will be deeply missed by her sons, daughters, grandchildren, church family in

St. Louis and Omaha, and her friends at St. Sophia Health Care.

In lieu of flowers the Family has requested donation In Memory of Nellie Preston be made to

Charles and JoAnne Knight Alzheimer's Disease Research Center (ADRC), Attention Virginia Buckles, 4488 Forest Park, St. Louis, MO 63108

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

7909 Mormon Bridge  
Omaha, NE 68152

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Salem United Methodist Church  
1200 South Lindbergh Boulevard  
St. Louis, MO 63131

## Funeral Services

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# Tribute Wall



Cory  
Stewart

“ *My family were good friends with Nellie and the Preston family most of my life as her and my mother Marie (Chinky) were Bff's. In fact her daughter was my babysitter way back in the day. Nellie was very sweet and encouraging to me and my family after my mother's sudden passing almost 20 years ago. I lost contact with the Preston's in this life's journey and only learned of her passing recently, and I am glad there is a venue where I can offer my belated but sincere condolences to the family. Love to Theresa, Joe and Silas*

*Cory Stewart*

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**Cory Stewart** - July 22, 2017 at 10:59 PM

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“ My husband and I met Nellie in 1981, when a friend suggested her for taking care of our baby Scott. We were newcomers to Omaha and were very concerned about his care, because we had lost our first child born prematurely in 1979 and had a difficult, at-risk prenatal experience with Scott. Nellie was like a grandmother for our baby. She and her husband Tommy were always welcoming. She was a warm and caring person who became part of our family. Even after Scott started preschool, we continued to invite Nellie to family gatherings. In 1987, my husband took a position in Chicago and I stayed in Omaha, to allow our son Scott to finish kindergarten. Nellie helped me keep my house clean and open for potential buyers while managing Scott and my baby daughter Robyn. We moved away from Omaha in June 1987, but kept in touch with Nellie. We saw her when we visited Omaha in 1996. I last wrote her in a Christmas card December 2014 in St. Louis, but never heard back from her. My son, Scott had asked about her recently and I told him I would check. I was saddened to find her death notice today and we wanted her family to know how important she was to our family. We are very sorry for her family and hope their memories of her will comfort them always.

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**Donna Richardson** - January 05, 2017 at 05:05 PM

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“ Donna Richardson lit a candle in memory of Nellie Theresa Preston



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**Donna Richardson** - January 05, 2017 at 05:04 PM