

Long-time Shawnee resident, Patricia McQuerry-Coker died June 7, 2026 at the age of 88. She was born in Seminole to Orvan and Lorene Bowlan on February 25, 1938. She attended Earlsboro High School where she was once crowned Basketball Queen.

She married JD McQuerry, her husband of 43 years, on March 3, 1955 at Fairview Baptist Church between Shawnee and Seminole. They later became decades-long members of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Pat worked for many years at American National Bank (now Arvest) before taking up the job of bookkeeper and accountant for the family business, McQuerry Motors. She even attended classes at Seminole State and OBU in order to hone her business skills.

Pat loved to sew, host big family dinners, and even took up tennis when the kids were grown.

After JD's death in 1999, God brought Pat and Jim Coker, whom she had known from her high school days, together. They were married for more than 26 years. During those years together, they enjoyed traveling and spending time with family.

Pat was mother to Ken and Diana McQuerry-Austin and David and Malialani McQuerry, both of Shawnee. Grandmother to Jessica Austin of Tulsa, Jacob and Cami McQuerry of OKC, Kevin and Kathryn McQuerry-Orsak of Mansfield, TX, and Justin and Linday Austin-Rhodes of Lacey, Washington. She had 10 great grandchildren as well as a large number of Coker family members.



In Loving Memory Of
Patricia Gail
McQuerry-Coker



February 25, 1938

June 7, 2026



Pat McQuerry-Coker

Date of Birth

*February 25, 1938
Seminole, Oklahoma*

Entered Into Rest

*June 7, 2026
Shawnee, Oklahoma*

Celebration of Life

*Wednesday, June 17, 2026
Eleven O'clock in the Morning
Walker Funeral Chapel
Shawnee, Oklahoma*

Officiant

Todd Fisher

Final Resting Place

*Resthaven Memorial Park
Shawnee, Oklahoma*

Pat's Psalm of Praise

O God I praise your name.

*I feel your presence in my life
Every hour of every day.*

*I know You will never forsake me.
When I feel helpless, I call on You
And I know You will help me.
I know I am unworthy of Your love,
But still You are there, loving me,
In spite of all my faults.*

*You bring light into my life,
When I can see nothing but darkness.
When I feel like giving up,
You give me strength to keep going on
Toward the goal You have set before me.
When I fall, You lift me up.*

*Who could ever love me as you Lord?
No one.*

Nothing can compare to your love.

*I praise you for who You are, what You are,
and all You have done in my life.*

September, 2011