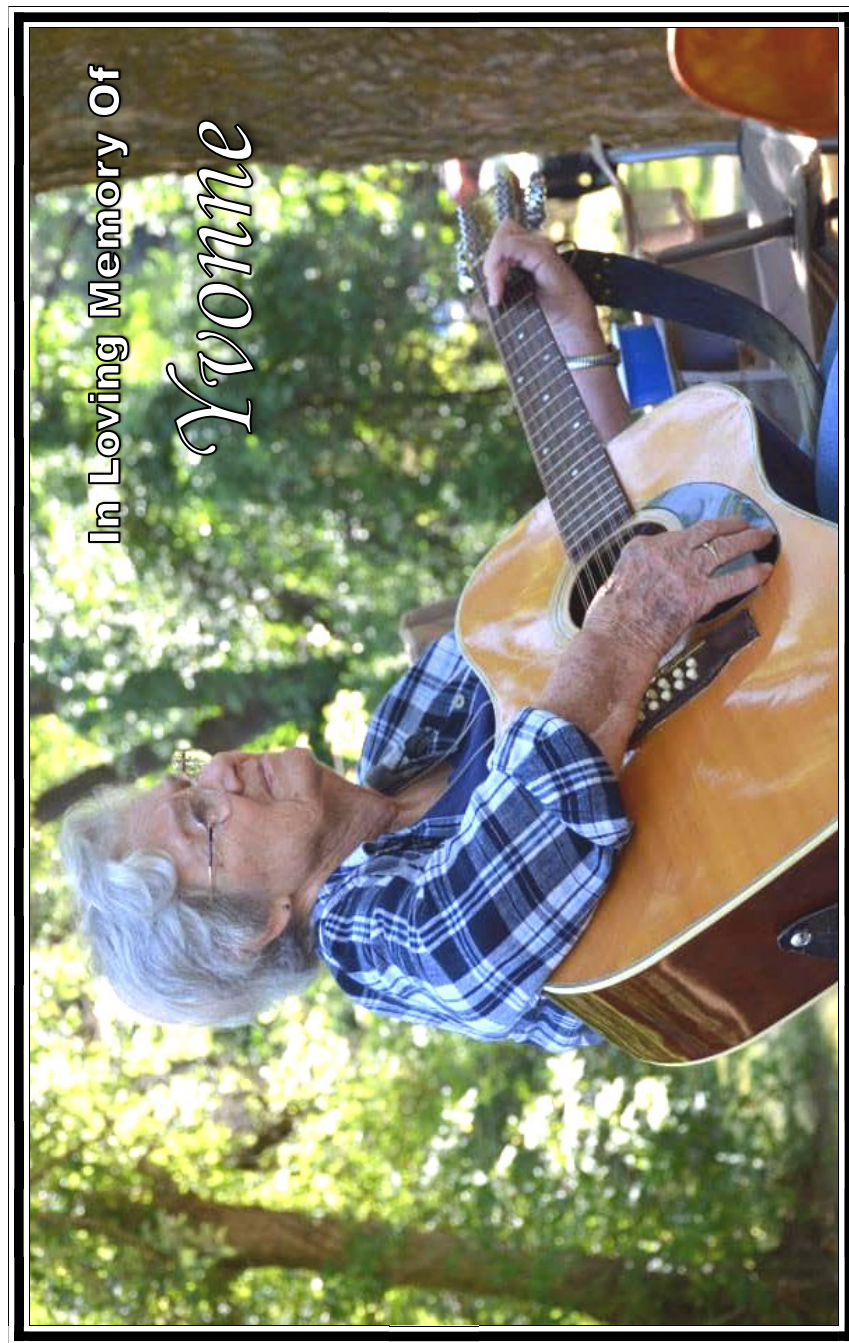


Yvonne (Sis) Elaine (Galloway) Gothard was born on Sept 8, 1940 in Eli, Nebraska to Margaret Elaine (Morton) and Walter Raymond Galloway. The first born of 6 children and having many cousins, found her the designated caretaker of a slew of little “river rats” and this perhaps, helped hone her superior skills of motherhood at an early age. Yvonne married Jack Patterson Gothard, Jr. of Canutillo, Texas on December 27, 1960 in Kilgore, NE and from there was carried away from her Niobrara River Valley home to experience life in many new places over the years to follow, including Mesilla Park and Las Cruces, New Mexico; El Paso, Canutillo and Harlingen, Texas as well as Oxford, Iowa, and in Nebraska, South of Kilgore on the river and Valentine. This blessed union produced 4 children: Shawn, Katy, Joel and Charity. She was a teacher, nanny, mother, grandmother, loving wife, carpenter, musician, gardener, lawn caretaker and constant servant to others. Her greatest joy came from helping those who needed a friend. Her love was unwavering, her compassion endless, and her beauty.....radiant!

Yvonne passed away on Wednesday, April 3, 2019 with her loved ones by her side. She was preceded in death by her parents, Walter and Margaret, brother Gary, infant sister Connie, and several aunts, uncles and cousins. (Sis) is survived by her husband Jack Gothard, Jr.; brothers: Rick, August and Keven Galloway; children: Shawn and Theresa Gothard, Kate and LeRoy Songer, Joel and Renee Gothard, Kenny and Charity Turpin, Jr.; as well as fourteen grandchildren: Cibele, Brock, Kendra, Jessica, Trey, Daniel, Lakota, Tayler, Emily, Bradley, Lily, Tailor, Kennedei, and Stevei and her thirteen great grandchildren: Shelby, Derek, Shayla, Isaac, Riley, Jamie, Justin, Kolby, Ryder, Olivia, Dravin, Sarah and Francesca; and finally three great great grandchildren: Nayvi, Journi, and Brantley.



He sat down, called the twelve  
disciples over to him, and said,  
“*Whoever wants to be first  
must take last place and be  
the servant of everyone else.*”

Mark 9:35

In Celebration  
Of The Life Of

*Yvonne E. Gothard*

**Funeral Service**

Monday - April 8, 2019 @ 11:00 am  
Crossroads Assembly of God Church  
Valentine, Nebraska

*Officiant: Pastor Scott McClellan*  
*Valentine Berean Fellowship Church*

**Interment**

Monday - April 8, 2019 @ 2:00 pm  
Kilgore Cemetery  
Kilgore, Nebraska

**Congregational Hymns**

*Pianist Lynn Baxter*

‘In The Garden’

‘I’ll Fly Away’

**Special Music**

‘This Old Tree’

*Joel Gothard Recording*

Ashoken Farewell

*Violinist Charity Turpin*

**Pallbearers**

David Galloway

Aaron Galloway

Shane Dukat

Mark Galloway

Lacey Hoefs

Shelly Reichert

Tracy Boyles

**You don’t have to let  
circumstances steal your joy**

~ Yvonne Gothard