



## Ms. Danette Lynn Davis

October 10, 1959 - April 29, 2026

Danette Lynn Davis was born on October 10, 1959, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where she was raised as the eldest of six siblings. She carried that role with grace and love throughout her entire life.

Danette was a graduate of Douglas High School, class of 1977. She went on to further her education at Oscar Rose Junior College from 1977 to 1979, where she formed one of the most treasured friendships of her life, meeting Anna Byers, who became as close as a sister. She continued her academic journey at Central State University from 1979 to 1982, and later attended Oklahoma City University from 1985 to 1989, studying accounting. Her education laid the foundation for a career that spanned accounting, accounts payable, and office management.

In 1983, her son, Ryan Davis, was born September 24th. She loved him deeply and was immensely proud of the man he became.

After years in Oklahoma City, Danette made her way to Maryland, where she built a beautiful life and cultivated friendships that became family, especially her cherished circle in Winchester, Virginia. She had a gift for connection, keeping up with friends across the country, offering her support, her laughter, and her presence wherever it was needed.

In March of 2017, Danette returned home to Oklahoma City, temporarily living with her son Ryan while she devoted herself to caring for her beloved mother, Ruby Toles. She later found an apartment just across the street from Ruby, making it easier to be by her side every day. It was a testament to the same love and loyalty she had shown her entire life. Ruby Toles went home to glory on February 9, 2020, after a courageous battle with Alzheimer's disease.

In 2021, Danette moved in with Ryan in Ski Island in Oklahoma City, and in October 2025 the two embarked on a new chapter together, relocating to Omaha, Nebraska. Danette retired in August 2025 and was filled with excitement and joy about this new adventure alongside her son.

Danette had a zest for life that was contagious. She loved shopping, fashion, decorating, gardening, traveling, and entertaining. She could light up a room, and she loved to dance. She enjoyed long walks, quiet moments on the porch, and the simple pleasure of being surrounded by the people she loved. She was extraordinarily thoughtful and generous, remembered by everyone who knew her as someone who truly showed up for others.

Above all, Danette treasured her family. She adored her grandchildren, Zahari and Zaniyah, her brothers, her nieces and nephews, and her son with a love that was immeasurable.

Danette Lynn Davis departed this life on April 29, 2026. She leaves behind to cherish her memory her son, Ryan Davis; her grandchildren, Zahari Davis and Zaniyah Davis; her siblings, Kenneth Toles, Tony Porter, Michael Stokely, Benita Young, and Katrina; and a host of beloved friends who were family in every sense of the word.

She is preceded in death by her mother, Ruby Toles.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **15**. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Rolfe Funeral Home  
2936 N.E. 36th  
Oklahoma City, OK 73111  
(405) 424-4136  
<https://rolfefuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

MAY **16**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Caprina Lewis lit a candle in memory of Ms. Danette Lynn Davis*



Caprina Lewis - May 15 at 11:30 AM

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“ *I would like to express my deepest condolences 🌸 to my Cousin Ryan and the rest of the family in this difficult time 🙏 Ryan look up toward the Hills, Which comes your strength 🙏*



Brooke McDade - May 14 at 09:08 AM



“ *Ever Upward Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Danette Lynn Davis.*



May 13 at 03:05 PM

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“ *Abigail Fitchue and Karen Glenn purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ms. Danette Lynn Davis.*



Abigail Fitchue and Karen Glenn - May 12 at 01:58 PM

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“ Abigail Fitchue and Karen Glenn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Danette Lynn Davis.

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**Abigail Fitchue and Karen Glenn** - May 12 at 01:58 PM

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“ Carolyn And Berneice Jones Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Danette Lynn Davis



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**Carolyn and Berneice Jones Family** - May 11 at 09:35 PM