Marilyn K. Bell

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She was born Jan. 5, 1933, in Pittsburg and graduated from Pittsburg High School. She received an English degree from Kansas State College of Pittsburg and taught school in Columbus High School for a time. She later earned a master's degree in education from St. Louis University. In St. Louis, she taught physical education at O'Fallon Technical High School. She has lived in Lawton since 1971.

She was a member of the Episcopal Church at Lawton; a former president of the Military Wives, a member of the Garden Club and the Episcopal Church Altar Guild. On Dec. 27, 1955 she married Charles Bell, who survives at Ft. Sill, Okla.

Also surviving are two sons, Charles Edward Bell and James Michael Bell, both of the home; one daughter, Katheryn Ann Bell of the home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kazmierski of 216 W. Forest; one sister, Mrs. Carol Strahan of Ames, Iola; one brother, Jack Kazmierski of Tulsa.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. today in Ft. Sill Old Post Episcopal Chapel. The body will be brought to the Brenner Chapel. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Highland Park Cemetery, with the Rev. John H. Sansom officiating. The family will receive friends Friday afternoon and evening at the Brenner Chapel.
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