



Annie Stanley

July 16, 1927 - February 16, 2015

Annie Stanley, 87, of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died February 16, 2015 at Circle of Life Hospice in Springdale, Arkansas. Born July 16, 1927, in Phoenix, Arizona, she was the daughter of Jess and Leora (Kennedy) Janes. Annie's childhood took place during the great depression which left a mark on the rest of her adult life. Annie knew the value of a dollar and lived her life frugally but was always eager to share what she had with her family and didn't want them to want for anything. Even though her life was not extravagant, Annie was rich with family and friends that she shared her life with.

Annie married the love of her life Hardie Stanley on June 4, 1946. Hardie and Annie has many great times and together they had three children, Mary, Shirley and Ervin. They lived their lives together until Hardie's death on October 15, 1986. Annie worked at home to provide a happy, comfortable place for her family. She was a skilled seamstress. She was able to make clothes for her family and continued to sew throughout her life. She loved arts and crafts of any kind and was constantly working on projects that she loved to give to her friends and family. Annie was clearly a people person, she loved to visit and later in life after visiting for hours she would not want her company to leave and would always say "What's your hurry?"

After Hardie's death Annie spent the next 29 years committed to their sacred union. Anyone that knew them and the depth of their love realized that without a doubt Hardie would be waiting to take Annie's hand the day she died.

Annie lived her life always putting her family's needs before her own. She

loved her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Right or wrong she would fight on the side of her loved ones.

Annie was preceded in death by her parents, husband, daughter Chera Harp, three brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include daughter Mary Reading and husband Dennis of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; son Ervin Staley and wife Peggy of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; son in law Arlin Harp of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; three sisters Irene Reed of Cane Hill, Arkansas, Maxine Winningham of Morrow, Arkansas and Christine Albright of Lincoln, Arkansas; grandchildren Hayden Stanley, Jeremiah Miller, Casey Odle, Buddy Harp, Kendra Etherton, Lisa Suter and Wendy McGhee; and 7 great grandchildren.

Services will be 10:00 am, Wednesday, February 18, 2015 at Wasson Memorial Chapel, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Pastor Tim Estes officiating. Burial will be at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Previous Events

Service

FEB 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DG

“ *Doris Webster Garrett lit a candle in memory of Annie Stanley*



Doris Webster Garrett - March 14, 2015 at 06:29 AM

GH

“ *So sorry to read this. Ervin/Peggy and family I am sorry for your loss. Praying for you to have strength to face day to day during this difficult time.*

Georgenia Harris - February 27, 2015 at 12:14 PM

PB

“ *God Bless you all. Prayers for all of you during this very sad time. Pat Boyle*



Pat Boyle - February 20, 2015 at 02:55 PM

TS

“ *Tammy Boyle Smith lit a candle in memory of Annie Stanley*



Tammy Boyle Smith - February 18, 2015 at 12:27 PM

RV

“ Our condolences to the family and Ervin. Your Mama was a special 'Lady'. She always had a smile for 'us Highland Park guys'!

Randy Vohs - February 18, 2015 at 12:21 PM

JS

“ Mary and Ervin: We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and the family. God bless you during this time.

Jim and Sherry Shrum - February 18, 2015 at 08:37 AM

SG

“ Sherry Gray lit a candle in memory of Annie Stanley



Sherry Gray - February 18, 2015 at 07:25 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. She was an amazing lady.

Trona Partain - February 18, 2015 at 06:27 AM