



Betty Johnson

December 30, 1930 - August 7, 2012

Betty Geraldine “Geri” Johnson, 81, of Gentry, Arkansas, died August 7, 2012, at Circle of Life Hospice, Springdale, Arkansas. Born December 30, 1930, in El Dorado Springs, Missouri, she was the daughter of Carl Leeper and Mildred Leeper. After graduating from high school, she worked for the REA in Missouri and the Atomic Energy Commission in California. On January 1, 1953, she married Dennie Johnson and to the union, a son, Dennis Dean Johnson was born. They moved to Gentry in 1968 and were half owners of Gentry Automotive until 1976. She worked for Farmer’s Mutual Insurance and was the TOPS coordinator for Arkansas for several years and also a charger member of the local TOPs chapter, AR #113. She was employed by the Gentry Public Schools for 10 years before she retired in 1998.

Geri was preceded in death by her husband, Dennie in 1982; her father; and her mother.

Survivors include one her son, Dean Johnson and wife Linda of Gentry; two granddaughters, Denise Johnson of Bentonville and Deonn McCain and husband Bubba of Gentry; and three great grandchildren, Kendra McCain, Derek McCain and Sierra McCain of Gentry; and one great great granddaughter, Trinity Grace; several cousins; and a host of friends.

She was a loving and devoted mother and grandmother and was always willing to help anyone. She will be greatly missed.

Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday, August 10, 2012, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Spring, Arkansas. Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m.,

on Saturday, August 11, 2012, at Wasson Memorial Chapel, Siloam Springs, with Rev. Lonnie Nelson officiating. Burial will follow at Ed Dorado Springs, Missouri City Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOST AND SHE WILL BE MISSED. SHE IS NO LONGER IN PAIN AND WITH HER OTHER LOVED ONES. Prayers are going out for the family.

RAYE DEEN BOYLE - August 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Wish I knew you better when we were younger. My mother, Cleota Steincross Hallam visited with Carl.

Barb Elliott

Barbara Hallam Elliott - August 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ I'm so sorry to hear about your Mother, Dean, but we know she is in a much better place and no suffering. If I can be of any help please let me know. Love you guys.

Shirley Philpott - August 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM