



Doris Jean Jessen

July 8, 1953 - December 19, 2017

Doris Jean Elliott Jessen, 64, of Highfill, Ark., died Tuesday, Dec. 19, 2017, at Circle of Life Hospice in Bentonville, Ark. She was born July 8, 1953, at Siloam Springs, Ark., to Lonzo Elliott and Bonnie Littrell Elliott. She married James “Jim” Jessen on March 13, 1976, at the Highfill Methodist Church. She was a graduate of Gentry High School and a lifelong resident of Highfill. She worked for Bemco Inc. in Centerton, Ark., for 36 years, retiring as lead supervisor over the handbuilt department in November, 2016. She was a member of the Highfill Methodist Church, where she served as church treasurer. She enjoyed planning holiday celebrations for family and spending time with her grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and a sister, Wanda Elliott.

She is survived by her husband; three children, Jc Jessen and wife Heather of Centerton, Jeannie Jones and husband Bill of Cassville, Mo., and James Jessen and wife Janelle of Decatur, Ark.; six grandchildren, Jessica Sherman and husband Vernon of Bentonville, Abby and Jaycee Jessen of Centerton, and Emily, Isaac and Adriana Jessen of Decatur; one great-grandchild, Maya Sherman, of Bentonville; a twin sister, Deloris Jay of Decatur; two brothers, Paul Elliott and wife Barbara of Hindsville, Ark., and Robert Elliott and wife Sharon, of Kansas, Okla.; and many nieces, nephews and extended family members.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 22 at Wasson Funeral Home in Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 23, at the Highfill Methodist Church with Pastor Russ Hall officiating. Burial will follow at the Highfill Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Highfill Cemetery

Highfill Cemetery
Highfill, AR 72734

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home
441 U.S. 412
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-5131
wasson@wassonfuneralhome.com
<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Highfill Methodist Church
1500 West Highway 12
Highfill, AR 72734

Tribute Wall

Quincy Jackson

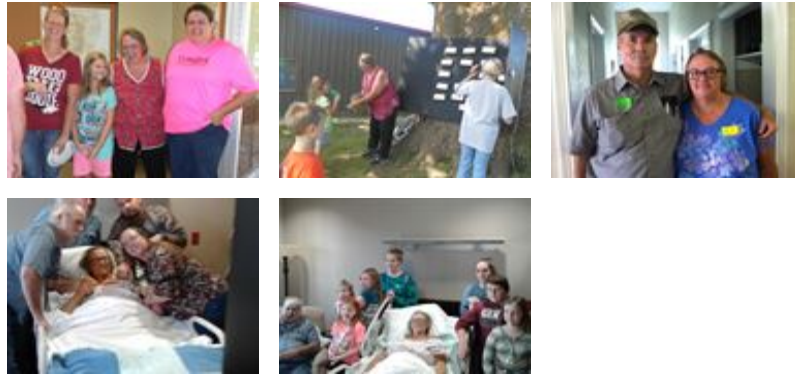
“ Thank you for showing me kindness and acceptance when your twin Delores introduced me to the family. I pray for peace beyond all understanding for each of you.



Quincy Jackson - December 23, 2017 at 02:59 PM

WASSON
FUNERAL HOME, INC.

“ 43 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wasson Funeral Home - December 22, 2017 at 01:39 PM

BO

“ BENTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Doris Jean Jessen.



BENTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE - December 22, 2017 at 10:58 AM

MT

“ Marilyn (Dopey Sue), Carolyn, Lyne, Travis & Toby purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Doris Jean Jessen.



Marilyn (Dopey Sue), Carolyn, Lyne, Travis & Toby -
December 22, 2017 at 12:29 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Doris Jean Jessen.



December 21, 2017 at 05:40 PM

LJ

“ Lila Jackson lit a candle in memory of Doris Jean Jessen



Lila Jackson - December 21, 2017 at 04:24 PM

LJ

“ Lila Jackson lit a candle in memory of Doris Jean Jessen



Lila Jackson - December 21, 2017 at 04:21 PM

DG

“ *Della Guyll lit a candle in memory of Doris Jean Jessen*



Della Guyll - December 21, 2017 at 11:55 AM

DG

Doris I will always remember your beautiful smile.I will miss you so!

Della Guyll - December 21, 2017 at 12:03 PM



“ *Curtis Carter lit a candle in memory of Doris Jean Jessen*



Curtis Carter - December 20, 2017 at 08:30 PM

PA

“ *I Remember my aunt Doris Jean being there for me while I was growing up. I loved staying with my grandparents and my aunts and uncle living in Highfill.*

Pam - December 20, 2017 at 08:23 PM

PC

“ *Pamela (Elliott) Cross lit a candle in memory of Doris Jean Jessen*



Pamela (Elliott) Cross - December 20, 2017 at 08:21 PM

JE

“ Julie Elliott sent a virtual gift in memory of Doris
Jean Jessen



Julie Elliott - December 20, 2017 at 07:16 PM

DJ

“ Deloris Jay lit a candle in memory of Doris
Jean Jessen



Deloris Jay - December 20, 2017 at 04:34 PM

DJ

We had some good times, You will truly be missed Love you

Deloris Jay - December 20, 2017 at 04:35 PM