



Emma Viola Dixon

October 27, 1940 - May 3, 2018

Emma "Viola" Dixon, 77 year old resident of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died on May 3, 2018 at Siloam Springs Nursing and Rehabilitation. Born on October 27, 1940 in Logan Township, Arkansas, she was the daughter of George M. Reading and Jennie Truman Reading. Viola graduated from Gentry High School in 1959. She married Henry Dixon, Jr. in 1962 at First Christian Church in Stilwell, Oklahoma. Viola raised turkeys and worked in the Siloam Springs School lunchroom. She was a member of the Benton County 4-H Club for over 40 years. Viola was a member of First Christian Church in Siloam Springs.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Dixon, Jr.; and three brothers, Earl Reading, Harold Reading, and Robert Reading.

She was survived by five children: Charles Henry Dixon and wife Pam of Fairland, Oklahoma, Ryan Dixon and wife Diana of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Cheryl Melborne and husband John of Gentry, Arkansas, Jeffery Dixon of Little Rock, Arkansas, and Jerry Dixon and wife Rena of Siloam Springs; eleven grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 8, 2018 at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs. Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday, May 7,

2018 at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Service

MAY 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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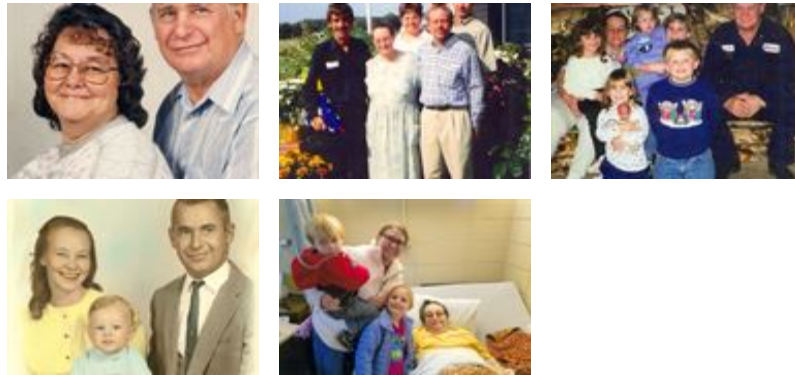
“ Ryan, Diana, and kids, Charles and family, Chery and family, Jeff and family, and Jerry and family you all are in our prayers and thoughts through this tough time. I am so sorry. Your momma and grandma was one of the hardest working women I have ever known. She loved the county fair and she loved helping and being involved in 4-H and FFA. My memories of her are making potato salad for the FFA Chicken Dinner Scholarship fund raiser and the County Fair. She was so proud of her kids and grandkids. Her face would light up when you asked about any of you. I know she loved all of you all. I am so sorry and sending prayers for your families.

Julie Burden

Julie Burden - May 07, 2018 at 03:04 PM

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“ Teresa, Diana & Rhonda purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Emma Viola Dixon.



Teresa, Diana & Rhonda - May 06, 2018 at 10:38 PM

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“ Viola was part of my life. As a teenager, I helped in their turkey houses. As an adult I worked with and taught her children and grandchildren. I saw Viola as a hardworking farmer, loving mother, and caring grandmother. She dedicated her life to family, friends, 4-H and FFA. She loved the Benton County Fair but most of all she loved the kids.

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Gene Collins - May 06, 2018 at 10:07 AM