



## Frances M. Cole

May 6, 1931 - February 17, 2015

Frances M. Cole, 83 year old resident of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died February 17, 2015 at Siloam Springs Regional Hospital. Born May 6, 1931 in Wichita, Kansas, she was the daughter of Herman C. Madsen and Mary Myrtle (Kibler) Madsen. Frances married Jimmy R. Cole in Bentonville, Arkansas on August 18, 1950. She worked as a designer of children's clothing for Pazazz and Sweet & Sassy. Frances was a member of Eastgate Freewill Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and two brothers, Don Madsen and Homer Madsen.

She is survived by her husband, Jimmy Cole of the home; one son, Jack Cole and wife Cheryl of Kirbyville, Missouri; two daughters, Susan Hill and husband Steve of Siloam Springs, and Marcia Cole Yocom and husband Bill Finnegan of Phoenix, Arizona; ten grandchildren; fourteen great grandchildren; one brother, Carl Madsen Jr. of Taneyville, Missouri; and one sister, Christina Johnson of Aldrich, Missouri.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m., Friday, February 20, 2015 at Eastgate Freewill Baptist Church, Siloam Springs, with Pastor Jerry Sadler officiating. Burial will follow at Fairmount Cemetery, Gentry, Arkansas. Visitation will be 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Thursday, February 19, 2015 at Wasson Funeral

Home, Siloam Springs.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairmount Cemetery

Fairmount Cemetery  
Gentry, AR

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

FEB **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Eastgate Freewill Baptist Church  
4950 US Hwy 412  
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear that Fran has passed. She was a wonderful, kind friend for many years. I first met her when she lived in Bentonville. I have thought of her many times, and often wondered about her. May God bless her family.

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**Ron Hansche** - February 20, 2015 at 03:04 AM

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“ I remember hearing Aunt Francis sing *Mansion Over The Hilltop* and my mother (Jewel) playing it on the piano. She had a beautiful singing voice. I think that was the first time I remember meeting her. I think she had come up to Northwest Arkansas for a visit or something and had come over to visit and we all went to church the next day. I didn't see her for years after that. I saw her a few times at *Grandmothers in Branson*. I thought she was very nice and would of liked to have known her better. I am sorry for your loss and hope that this somehow makes it just a little easier knowing she really does have that mansion over the hilltop that she sang about so long ago.

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**Catherine Madsen McCauley-Still** - February 19, 2015 at 11:22 AM



Amen

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**Charlene Cowan** - February 20, 2015 at 09:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Frances M. Cole.



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February 19, 2015 at 10:48 AM



Charlene  
Cowan

“ *Charlene Cowan lit a candle in memory of  
Frances M. Cole*



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**Charlene Cowan** - February 18, 2015 at 08:53 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family  
of Frances M. Cole.*



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February 18, 2015 at 08:07 PM