



Joyce Anne Munn

January 30, 1941 - February 25, 2015

Joyce Anne Munn, 74, of Watts, Oklahoma, died February 25, 2015, at Siloam Springs Regional Hospital, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Born January 30, 1941 in Sciotoville, Ohio, she was the daughter of Willard Oren and Virginia (Coldiron) Munn. Joyce began her teaching career in 1965 at Cookson Hills Christian School which suited her well for her desire for mission work. This desire took her to the mission field in Puerto Rico from 1965 to 1967. Upon returning to the states, Joyce taught elementary grades for the Siloam Springs School System from 1967 until her retirement in 2002. She was a member and served on the board of Christian Educators Association International and was a member and officer for Alpha Delta Kappa and Delta Kappa Gamma. Joyce continued her passion for mission work through support of and affiliation with various mission organizations and missionaries. Joyce loved reading and writing and was a published Christian author, sharing her gift of writing with others. She demonstrated a servant's heart through volunteering for numerous local charities, always helping and doing for others. Joyce was a member of the Community Christian Fellowship, of Siloam Springs, Arkansas. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Survivors include a host of relatives, friends and many former students.

Funeral services will be 2:00 pm, Tuesday, March 3, 2015, at Community Christian Fellowship, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Pastor Patrick Callahan officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Visitation will be 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, Monday, March 2, 2015, at Wasson

Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 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

MAR 3. 2:00 PM (CT)

Community Christian Fellowship
525 S. Lincoln
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Tribute Wall

IL

“ I wanted to extend my sincere sympathy for your loss but at the same time extend the rejoicing expression that she is dancing with the Lord Jesus as I am typing this message to the ones left behind. I am so grateful to have shared my life with Joyce. I was sick up in Ohio during our time together and she took the time to pray over me and remind me that all will be well. She was hearing from the Lord and so it was true... All is well. I could still here her sweet voice and words given to her from the Lord to give to me. She held my hand and shared intimate moments of her life with me as she was my partner in one of the sessions of the conference where we had to "Tell our Story". What a blessed story she shared. Thank you for giving us an opportunity to express our love to you about her. Be well and may you find peace through this short mourning. Ri Loehrig

Iraida Loehrig - March 04, 2015 at 02:37 PM

CB

“ Cheryl Burns lit a candle in memory of Joyce Anne Munn



Cheryl Burns - March 04, 2015 at 01:59 PM

KB

“ Mrs. Munn was very good friends with my mother, she was around all of my life... she help me with my homework, i remember in the 3rd grade i was having such a hard time with math that she came over every evening and tutored me. She was an amazing and wonderful woman. She touched the lives of many people. She will be greatly missed!
Kristen Boldra

Kristen Boldra - March 04, 2015 at 09:02 AM

SL

“ We have attended church with Joyce for years and you could just see the light of the Lord shining in her. She was a joy to be around. I hope you all can take comfort knowing she has touched the life of many people and her work is done but she will live on forever in the hearts of the people that knew her and will have eternal rest with our Lord. May God Bless you all.
Dale & Sherry Lamphear

Sherry Lamphear - March 04, 2015 at 08:29 AM

LY

“ To the family:

Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one. I hope you can find some comfort in the future hope that the dead will live again. - Isaiah 26:19

Lynn - March 02, 2015 at 09:04 PM

DM

“Joyce Anne served as the secretary on the Christian Educators Association International (CEAI) Board of Directors for many years. Her CEAI family will miss her greatly. Her passion and commitment to serve the Christian educators in public and private schools across our nation was admirable. Doreen Madere

Doreen Madere - March 02, 2015 at 03:47 PM

SP

“Shermana Philpott lit a candle in memory of Joyce Anne Munn



Shermana Philpott - March 02, 2015 at 09:46 AM

SP

“Miss Munn was my 4th grade teacher and I recall complaining about how strict she was to my mother at first. It was not until years later that I realized how much her style and dedication as a teacher impacted me as a student. She challenged us to read extra books beyond what was required for the 4th grade. This helped inspire a love of reading and set me up for success in middle school and beyond. She was a very kind teacher, and held her students to high standards knowing how to challenge us appropriately. You will be missed Miss Munn.

Sarah (Barnett) Pense

Sarah Pense - March 01, 2015 at 08:42 PM

JL

“ Miss Munn was an effective and dedicated teacher. We had the pleasure of working with her in the Siloam Springs School district for many years. Our thoughts and prayers go out to her family.
JC and Charline Long

JC Long - March 01, 2015 at 06:15 PM

JW

“ Joyce made a huge impact in my life! I met her for the first time in 1978 as I was assigned to do my student teaching from JBU in her 3rd grade class at Northside. Many people told me how lucky I was to be placed in her room. They said she was the best, and yes they were correct! That semester turned into 41 years of a wonderful friendship that included sharing teaching methods, visiting each other's classroom and praying for each other. Joyce never forgot celebrating my birthday with dinner and sharing Christmas. She was my prayer warrior! I can testify that her love of the Lord was evident in her walk as she desired others to know the Love of God! Even though she will be deeply missed by all who knew her, our lives have been truly blessed to call her our friend. Can't wait to see her again in Heaven!

Jan Wilson - February 28, 2015 at 03:51 PM

MS

“ Mike & Rosalinda Smith lit a candle in memory of Joyce Anne Munn



Mike & Rosalinda Smith - February 28, 2015 at 01:00 PM

MC

“ I taught with Joyce for several years in Siloam Springs. She was a dear friend to me and my sister, Marlene McGuire. She will be missed. My prayers are with your family.

Margaret Cearley

Margaret Cearley - February 28, 2015 at 10:15 AM

LW

She certainly loved those years Margaret!!

Luann Jenison Windle - March 19, 2015 at 09:53 AM

MZ

“ What an example of a servant's heart. She was kind, dedicated and caring! Many things happened the year I was in her class for English/writing. I was sitting in her class when the space shuttle Challenger exploded. We were all watching the TV in her room when it happened. She was so quick to help us all process that information. My classmate next to me had a major seizure in her class. It was the first time I had ever seen a woman run in high heels. She's was good at it! And we had a classmate pass away that year too. Looking back I remember writing assignments from her class and still have a couple of them stored away. I have no doubt that I frustrated her but I also have zero doubt that she went home and prayed for each of us every night and probably for years to come. She came to my wedding years later and was present at my graduation and other school events. I am glad to have known her and even more thankful I will see her in Glory. I'm glad she heard, "Well done, my good and faithful servant."

Martha (Nokes) Zwonitzer - February 28, 2015 at 09:15 AM

PB

“ *She was such a wonderful teacher. So kind. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

The Bernard Family

Paula Bernard - February 28, 2015 at 08:24 AM

MT

“ *Mrs. Munn helped me with my reading and math - she was always patient with me and always tried to answer my multitude of questions. She gave me a love of imagination and of logic.*



Mary Thompson - February 27, 2015 at 06:44 PM

MH

“ *Miss Munn was my 3rd grade teacher. I was honored when she showed up as a guest at my wedding in 1989! I will never forget the influence she had in my life. RIP, Miss Munn.*

Mary Hill-Monceaux - February 27, 2015 at 05:27 PM

EC

“ *JOYCE was a special neighbor to all of us on serenity drive in west siloam,we will surely miss her.god had her mansion ready*

ELAINE CARR - February 27, 2015 at 05:22 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce Anne Munn.*



February 27, 2015 at 10:41 AM



“ *Miss Munn was my 4th grade teacher and helped to instill a love of books and reading that remains with me to this day. Her joy and enthusiasm in the classroom for each of her students still stands out. She made ever student feel equally appreciated and cared for. She was truly a wonderful educator and wonderful person who will be greatly missed by all those whose lives she touched.*

Ben Griggs - February 26, 2015 at 04:49 PM



“ *Joyce was my 3rd grade teacher and the only teacher that ever paddled me. I'll never forget that. I'm so sorry for your loss.*



Teresa (Snider) Smith - February 26, 2015 at 02:07 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Joyce Anne Munn.*



February 26, 2015 at 01:57 PM

RW

“Joyce was my neighbor for almost 30 years. She was a special lady and it was a privilege to have known her. She demonstrated Christ's kingdom thru her life and by example, she touched many lives. Heaven gained yet another angel..."well done they good and faithful servant!"



Ronnie Welch - February 26, 2015 at 12:42 PM

BW

“Barbara And David Wesner lit a candle in memory of Joyce Anne Munn



Barbara and David Wesner - February 26, 2015 at 12:33 PM

JT

Joyce Anne was a positive, happy soul. She was a regular contributor to Teachers of Vision magazine. We knew Joyce since the early 90's and enjoyed seeing her at CEA conventions and board meetings. She will be missed.

Forrest & Judy Turpen, Anaheim, CA

Judy or Forrest Turpen - March 05, 2015 at 07:50 PM