



## MariAnn Louise Koop Tosta

September 2, 1943 - March 28, 2017

MariAnn Louise Koop Tosta, 73 year old resident of Highfill, Arkansas, went to be with our Lord Jesus on March 28, 2017 at Earline Howard Hospice Home in Springdale, Arkansas. Born September 2, 1943 in Turlock, California, she was the daughter of Elmer Koop, Sr. and Elsie Louise Wedel Koop. She graduated from Turlock High School. MariAnn married Frank "Lefty" Tosta on September 10, 1966 in Reno, Nevada. In 1991, they moved to their new home and ranch in Arkansas. MariAnn loved her horses, her cattle, and gardening. She did not mind getting her hands dirty, working in her flower beds and landscaping around her home. Though she was a hard worker, she also liked pretty things and never went out of the house without her makeup.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lefty Tosta; and her parents, Elmer Koop, Sr. and Elsie Louise Wedel Koop.

She is survived by one son, Steven Tosta and wife Korinne of Decatur, Arkansas; three grandchildren, Jamie Tosta of Highfill, Cody Tosta of Decatur, and Jessica Farmer of Decatur; eight great grandchildren; three brothers, Elmer Koop, Jr. of Oregon, Johnny Koop of Gentry, Arkansas, and Warren Koop of Maysville, Arkansas; and three sisters, JoAnna Koop of Gentry, Becky Donaldson of Springdale, Arkansas, and Judy Donohew of Maysville.

Graveside services will be 2:00 p.m., Friday, March 31, 2017 at Gentry

Cemetery, Gentry, Arkansas, with Pastor Karl Roten officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## Gentry Cemetery

Gentry Cemetery  
Gentry, AR 72734

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAR 31. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *MariAnn was a beautiful woman and I miss our conversations over the phone. I never called her grandma because I think Grandpa robbed the cradle and she looked too young to be called grandma. What a mischievous laugh she had. I loved her.* ”

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**Jerry Keckler** - October 20, 2025 at 12:13 AM

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“ *She was a sweet, loving sister. She had a wonderful laugh. And the cutest smile when she laughed.* ”

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**Warren Koop** - May 18, 2024 at 03:47 PM

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“ *Kimberly Carmickle lit a candle in memory of MariAnn Louise Koop Tosta* ”



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**Kimberly Carmickle** - April 11, 2017 at 02:54 PM