



Marie Branson

June 23, 1920 - August 10, 2011

Marie Branson, 91, of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died August 10, 2011, at Siloam Springs Nursing and Rehab. Born June 23, 1920 in Stillwater, Oklahoma, she was the daughter of William Thomas and Mary Morey Thomas. She married Orvel Carl Branson, Sr., in Henrietta, Oklahoma on July 17, 1937. Marie was a homemaker and pastor's wife. She moved to Siloam Springs in 1974, after having lived in Texas and California. She was a professional wedding cake decorator. Marie was a member of New Life Church where she was active in the Silver Eagles Group. She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one granddaughter, Kimberly Winkler; and one half sister, Mabel. Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Estes and husband Vestal, and Carlene Harrison, and husband Jim, all of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; one Son, Orvel Carl "Butch" Branson and wife Miriam of Rose, Oklahoma; nine grandchildren; eighteen great grandchildren; nine great great grandchildren; and two half sisters, Patty and Bobby Chaney of Kennewick, Washington. Pallbearers will be Brady Voss, Justin Estes, Joe Jones, Ryan Shaffer, Tyler Voss, Scott Branson, Jonathan Branson, and Tucker Branson. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, August 13, 2011, at New Life Church, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Tim Estes and Vestal Estes officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, August 12, 2011, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Tribute Wall

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“ We are so saddened at your loss, but we also know that "Granny" is dancing with Jesus now! What a sweet and beautiful lady she was. Steve will always have fond memories of her coming to the salon. God bless you and give you peace and comfort, and know we are praying for your family.

Steve & Ann Woodruff - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

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“ I know how hard it is to lose your Mother but knowing what is waiting for her makes it better. True we hate to be left for awhile with broken hearts but what a reunion we will have when the Lord calls all of us home. Let our mighty Saviour be your comforter.

Norma Jean Lucas - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

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“ My prayers go out to the family. I will miss her. She was a special lady. Take comfort in our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Sue Jones - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

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“ I'm sorry for your loss. My prayers go out to the family. She was such a nice lady and has a wonderful family.

Sue Jones - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

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“ A great faithful woman. She was a wonderful inspiration. Rest with the Lord.

Brenton O'Brien - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

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“ Aunt Shirley, Carlene, Butch and families,

I am so sorry for your loss. While your hearts are broken, my prayers and love are with you at this time. May the LORD give you His Strength and an extra measure of His Grace as you go through your time of loss and healing.

I am blessed to have known your mother. She helped a homesick boy, away from home for the first time, get through a year of school. She was a godly christian woman who lived what she believed and believed what she lived.

My love to all of you.

Wade Estes - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM