



## Myrtle Marie Van Fleet

January 25, 1934 - August 8, 2017

Myrtle Marie Van Fleet, 83 year old resident of Gentry, Arkansas, died August 8, 2017 in Springdale, Arkansas. Born January 25, 1934 in Barry County, Missouri, she was the daughter of Benjamin Harrison Sarten and Josephine Nichols Sarten. She graduated from Colcord High School in 1953. Myrtle married Donald "Don" Van Fleet on March 20, 1958 in Bentonville, Arkansas. She lived most of her life in Northwest Arkansas and Northeast Oklahoma. Myrtle was a retired cafeteria worker from the Gentry Public Schools. She attended church at Springtown Pentecostal Church of God.

She was preceded in death by her parents, four brothers, and four sisters.

She is survived by her husband, Don Van Fleet of the home; five daughters: Jeanette Howell and husband Everett of Jay, Oklahoma, Anita Blankenship and husband Earnest of Gentry, Arkansas, Brenda Van Fleet of West Siloam Springs, Oklahoma, Debra Strickland and husband David of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Kristi Hollaway and husband Bobby of Gentry, Arkansas; twelve grandchildren; twenty-three great grandchildren; one sister, Virginia Swatsenberg of Tulsa, Oklahoma; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, August 12, 2017 at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, with Pastor Dennis Jech and Pastor Harley Sarten officiating. Burial will follow at Row Cemetery, Colcord, Oklahoma.

Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Friday, August 11, 2017 at  
Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs.

# Cemetery Details

## Row Cemetery

Row Cemetery  
Colcord, OK 74338

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

AUG 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

AW

“ *To all, we are so sorry for your loss. Myrtle was a very sweet lady. Prayers for comfort during this difficult time...*

*Jan, Amy, & Tera...*

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**amy williams** - August 11, 2017 at 06:37 PM

AW

“ *Amy Williams lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Marie Van Fleet*



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**amy williams** - August 11, 2017 at 06:32 PM

PB

“ *My prayers for all the Family at this very sad time. Myrtle was a Wonderful and kind woman and so easy to Love!! God bless all of you. I know it is hard but try to think about all of the good times you have all shared with Her. It helps and She is now with the Wonderful Saviour that She Loved so much! A great person!!! My Love to all of you, Pat Boyle*



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**Patty Boyle** - August 11, 2017 at 04:56 PM



“ 51 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wasson Funeral Home - August 11, 2017 at 12:16 PM

LG

“ Lynne Glass lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Marie Van Fleet



Lynne Glass - August 11, 2017 at 11:26 AM

BS

“ Krisiti and family, So so sorry for your loss. God bless and be with your family. Prayers and hugs.

Bev Saunders - August 11, 2017 at 07:24 AM

EW

“ Evelyn Wilson lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Marie Van Fleet



Evelyn Wilson - August 09, 2017 at 09:52 PM

EW

“ So sorry for your loss. It's only goodbye for now. We'll get to see her again one day. Hugs & prayers.

Love,  
Albert and Family

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**Evelyn Wilson** - August 09, 2017 at 09:51 PM

BS

“ So sorry for your loss, your family is in my thoughts and prayers. May God's peace and comfort be yours.

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**Betty Southerland** - August 09, 2017 at 02:18 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Myrtle Marie Van Fleet.



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August 09, 2017 at 12:53 PM

LH

“ Anita, Kristi & families....I am so sorry for your loss. May your memories & God's love bring you peace, comfort & strength at this difficult time. Death leaves a heartache no one can heal but LOVE leaves a memory no one can steal.



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**Lana Hurt** - August 09, 2017 at 09:42 AM

JL

“ *Janie Leroy lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Marie Van Fleet*



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**Janie Leroy** - August 08, 2017 at 06:52 PM

JL

*Myrtle will greatly be missed, enjoyed working with her, prayers for all*

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**Janie Leroy** - August 08, 2017 at 06:54 PM

CW

*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time and the days to come.*

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**Cheryl Wright** - August 08, 2017 at 08:47 PM

RE

*Prayers, So sorry for your loss. She was a very sweet lady.*

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**Reba** - August 09, 2017 at 08:53 AM

JH

*Kristi: I am sadden to hear of your Mom's homegoing but we have a Hope in Jesus knowing you will see her again some sweet day. You have been such a great stability in her health care for many years and know it was of comfort to her to know you will continue caring for your Dad. May God bless you and give you strength in the days ahead. Much love to you, my friend. - Jean Hickman and Family*

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**Jean Hickman** - August 18, 2017 at 04:50 PM