



## Retha Owens

August 4, 1933 - November 19, 2008

Retha Marie Owens, 75, of Decatur, Arkansas, died November 19, 2008, at Northwest Medical Center, Bentonville, Arkansas. Born August 4, 1933 in Joplin, Missouri, she was the daughter of Harry Carman and Maggie Marie Manos Carman. She had lived in the Decatur area for the past 56 years. She married Ervin Owens in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, on August 2, 1951. She was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her parents; and three brothers, Roy Carman, Ernest Carman, and Gene Carman. Survivors include her husband of 57 years, Ervin of the home; five sons, Larry Owens and wife Kathy of Lowell, Arkansas, Dennis Owens and wife Connie Trammell of Cherokee City, Arkansas, Bryan Owens and wife Twila of West Fork, Arkansas, Ikie Owens and wife Timmie, and Aaron Owens and wife Carol, all of Decatur, Arkansas; one daughter Cheryl Vaughn and husband Mike Lowe of Decatur, Arkansas; 18 grandchildren; and 22 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 3:00 p.m., Saturday, November 22, 2008, at the Decatur United Methodist Church, Decatur, Arkansas.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Thank you for letting us know, Leon would have hated it if he hadn't got to go. Retha looked beautiful, what a wonderful last memory. If you have e-mail I'd like to keep in touch.  
Blessings to all of you, I know tho it's a lost she's well now..

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**Leon and Grace Carman** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. I will always remember how your mother treated your friends (me in particular) while we were growing up. Although she had many responsibilities, she was always kind, friendly and opened her home to us. I am sorry for your loss but I am just as grateful that you were blessed with a wonderful mother.

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**Brenda Glenn** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Simmons Foods** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

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“ We know Retha was the heart of the Owens family and she will surely be missed by everyone who knew her and especially by her family. We offer our sincerest condolences. May God Bless Your Family.

*Donnie and Patsy Cook*

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**Donnie and Patsy (Knox) Cook** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

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“ *OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU  
AT THIS TIME.*

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**MARSHA KESTERSON** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM