



Mary Nell Johnson

May 29, 1933 - February 26, 2017

Mary Nell Poore Johnson, 83, of Grand Prairie, Texas, died Sunday.

She was born to the late Chelsea A. Poore and Clemmie A. Hester Poore, May 29, 1933, in Vernon, Alabama. Mary Nell the only daughter and youngest of two, was daddy's little girl. Her brother the late Albert Rex Poore, was the apple of mother's eye. She married the love of her life, the late John Leese Johnson in 1957, and they lived together in Alabama, before relocating to Grand Prairie, Texas in 1969.

Mary Nell was a housewife and was passionate about keeping a clean house, piping hot meals and watching television between loads of laundry. She served the needs of widows and orphans in her community. Mary Nell loved her neighbors through four generations.

Mary Nell enjoyed visiting Bowls Memorial Baptist Church and St John Lutheran Church in Grand Prairie, Texas. She loved to travel on trips with her husband. Mary Nell enjoyed fishing and hunting. She loved plants and would become an expert gardener.

Mary Nell is survived by her sister-in-law: Edree Johnson Adkins, of Alabama.

Mary Nell also is survived by cousins: Imogene Graves, Joe Bickerstaff, Terry

Randolph and Jimmy Hester.

Mary Nell (Great Aunt Mary Nell, GAM-my), is survived by nephews and nieces of Texas, Pennsylvania, Philippines and Alabama: Albert R. Poore III, Karoline Poore, Uriah Poore, Precious Poore, Priya Poore, Joshua Poore, Robert M. Poore, Dorothy Poore, Christine Macnamara, Lauren Macnamara, Michael Macnamara, Freddie Macnamara, Robert M. Poore Jr., Benjamin Poore, Zachery Poore, Christopher Poore, Jason W. Poore, and two on the way! Roy Adkins, Stephanie Adkins, Vernon Adkins and Billie Adkins Spann.

Mary Nell is survived by three pets: Benjamin, her dog, Midnight, her cat and Petey, her bird. She loved all animal life.

Visitation: 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday, March 5, 2017. Funeral: 9:30 a.m. Monday, March 6, 2017 at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home, 500 East Main, Grand Prairie, Texas 75050. Burial to follow at DFW National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

DFW National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway
Dallas, TX 75211

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home
500 E. Main Street
Grand Prairie, TX 75050
(972) 263-5570

Funeral Service

MAR 6. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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“ *This is a sad time for all of us. Mary Nell was so sweet and beloved by all who met her.*

Though the distance these last few years has been far, you have been always been close in our hearts. We have many fond memories of visits to your home, fishing trips to Galveston, and our lengthy phone conversations.

You will be missed more than you know.

Our love to you, Roy, Stephanie and the Adkins family

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“ We would like to share our heartfelt thanks to Aunt Mary...we will always cherish the memories - all those home cooked meals - long talks and laughs - and the love you've shown us till your very last days.

We love you very much - In God's time, we will see you in Heaven!

Words are not enough to express our love...

*Albert Rex Poore, Karoline Poore, Uriah Poore, Precious Poore,
Joshua Poore*

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