



Mrs. Joyce Ann Denton

April 7, 1939 - April 19, 2024

Joyce Ann “JoAnn” Denton was born on April 7, 1939, in the small town of Gideon, Mo. She departed this life on April 19, 2024. She was a long-time resident of Cardwell, Mo and worked for the Southland School District for 33 years.

JoAnn was a loving mother, grandmother, and friend. She loved to read and travel with her daughters and spend time with her grandchildren. Watching old westerns and devoting time to her dog Peanut was also among favorite things she enjoyed.

On New Year’s Day, 65 years ago, she married William “Bill” Denton. He preceded her in death on May 29, 2005. She was also preceded in death by her parents; a son-in-law; two grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren; a brother-in-law; and two sisters-in-law.

JoAnn is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Marie (Tommy) Mitchell, Peggy (Charlie) Walker, and Linda Darlene Nipper; 14 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; six half-brothers; three half-sisters; a sister-in-law, Shirley Cobb; many special nephews, nieces, cousins; and some very dear friends. She is also survived by more than 70 foster children. Many of these are now young adults that JoAnn has maintained a very close relationship with.

A celebration of life is planned for JoAnn at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 4, at Lake Street Baptist Church in Paragould, Ar. Jody Faulkner and Wayne Faulkner will officiate. A private burial will follow at a later time in Cardwell Cemetery.

JoAnn's legacy was helping underprivileged youth. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the church in her memory for its youth program or to a local foster children's program.

Tri-City LLC Crematory Funeral Home is honored and privileged to serve the family of Mrs. JoAnn Denton. Online condolences may be expressed at www.Tri-CityLLC.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAY 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

Lake Street Baptist Church
812 East Lake Street
Paragould, AR 72450

Tribute Wall

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“ I loved JoAnn. I spent many nights at their home with Peggy, my BFF of 53 years. Rest easy Jo. Your race is run!

Sharon Knight - April 30, 2024 at 03:36 AM

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“ I had the pleasure of knowing Joann and working with her st Southland. Prayers for the family .

william fletcher - April 27, 2024 at 05:29 PM

KB

“ I used to stay with Joyce and Bill and their 3 daughters on Eads Street when I was little I love this family

Karen Leisure Bourbon - April 25, 2024 at 02:40 PM