



## Constance Mary "Connie" Fossler

February 21, 1945 - January 20, 2014

Constance Mary "Connie" Fossler, 68 of Arab died Monday, January 20, 2014 in Huntsville Hospital.

Mrs. Fossler was born February 21, 1945 in Pennsylvania, the daughter of Grant B. and Mary E. Gonyo. She was a college graduate, 3 years OBGYN. She was a Registered Nurse at Grant Hospital, Chicago, Illinois and also worked at Saint Therese Hospital, Waukegan, Illinois and locally at Crestwood Medical Center, Huntsville, Alabama.

She was a previous resident of Zion, Illinois, the Beach Park Community. She and her husband Alan Burdell Fossler were married May 8, 1971 and have called Arab their home since September of 1999; she attended the Joppa Church of God.

She enjoyed quilting baby blankets, sewing aprons, crocheting Afghans and also crocheting beautiful embellishments on hand towels for personal gifts and she liked knitting. She also loved gardening, canning and was an excellent cook. Many times she would give of her canned goods and special hand sewn items to family and dear friends.

She was a matron of honor for the wedding of Carol and Allan Gonyo (her sister-in-law and brother) and also a flower girl at the wedding of her Aunt

Verona.

"Connie" is survived by her husband: Alan Burdell Fossler; three sons and daughter-in-law: Charles Alan Fossler, Andrew Burdell and Elizabeth Mary Fossler and David Grant Fossler; a granddaughter: Chloe Elizabeth Fossler; three brothers and sisters-in-law: Thomas Grant and Sue Gonyo, Allan Bruce and Carol Gonyo and Steven Jerome and Midge Gonyo.

Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, January 24, 2014 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, Pastor Jimmy Hamaker, officiating. Burial will be in Arab Memorial Cemetery, Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing.

Pallbearers will be her sons Charles Alan Fossler, Andrew Burdell Fossler, David Grant Fossler and her brothers Thomas Grant Gonyo, Allan Bruce Gonyo and Steven Jerome Gonyo.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, January 23, 2014 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel.

# Cemetery Details

## Arab Memorial Cemetery

565 South Main Street  
Arab, AL 35016

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 23.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel  
1340 North Main Street  
Arab, AL 35016  
(256) 586-4100

## Service

**JAN 24.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Al, Charles, Andrew, David and Family,

*I am so sorry for your loss. Connie was an amazing Christian woman and a beautiful, compassionate, generous soul. I will never forget her. After hearing of her passing I was filled with sadness but also many fond memories. I still have the teddy bear and apron she made for me when I was a child. I will never forget her canned pickles, fruit, and other goodies, playing at your home in Zion after church on Sunday (it was yellow or gold if I remember correctly), or listening to her talk about the Lord and His love for each of us. Lots and lots of beautiful memories! Her loss is felt by all whose lives she touched and none more than you and your family. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Remember that we love you all and as you said in your message Al, Connie is with Jesus and we will see her again. Love, Randy & Esther (Castle) Reece and family*

Esther Reece - January 29, 2014 at 09:12 AM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." was purchased for the family of Constance Mary " Connie" Fossler.



January 23, 2014 at 11:17 AM

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“ Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. We will call you later but know that our prayers go out to you all. We loved Connie and will miss her.

*Your friends*

*Joyce and Guy Gold*

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**joyce gold** - January 23, 2014 at 10:36 AM



“ *Ever Upward Bouquet was purchased for the family of Constance Mary " Connie" Fossler.*



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January 23, 2014 at 10:25 AM



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January 22, 2014 at 07:15 PM

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“ *Our deepest condolences. Please know that we share your grief, and that prayers are with you at this sad time.*

*Bill & Jeanette Cafferty*



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**Bill & Jeanette Cafferty** - January 21, 2014 at 10:14 PM