



Evelyn Jeanette Johnson

March 15, 1936 - April 27, 2025

Evelyn Smith Johnson was born March 15, 1936 to Jeff Roland Smith and Era Tumlin Smith. She had 2 brothers, Ralph (Sonny) and John Caleb (JC), as well as 4 sisters, Joyce, Nell, Carolyn, and Eleanor. She married Clarence Cecil Johnson on November 26, 1954. Together, they had 4 children: Larry, Danny, Tammy, and Sandy.

She enjoyed traveling with her husband Cecil. They traveled all over the world, notably to Australia, New Zealand, Japan, the Grand Canyon, and most of Europe. She was active with her Gilliam Springs church family, and enjoyed spending time with her many friends and family. She also enjoyed time in her garden, and was the recipient of the Arab Beautification Award.

She is survived by her children Tammy Sorter (Clyde) and Sandra Roe (Randal); her grandchildren Jeff Johnson (Asia), Amy Nelson (Joe), Danielle Woodham (Matthew), Dylan Sorter (Kenyonika), and Brianna Sawyer; her great grandchildren Carleigh, Avery, and Landrey Johnson (Jeff); Lila, Charlee, Campbell and Joseph (Amy); Jackson and Bella (Danielle); Kenzie and Brielle (Dylan); and Timothy (Brianna); her sisters, Joyce Owens, Eleanor Stokes and Carolyn Sanders and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her husband Cecil, her sons Larry and Danny, her parents Jeff and Era Smith, two brothers Ralph and JC Smith, one sister

Nell Cantrell, and great granddaughter Esmae Woodham.

The family would like to thank Shepard's Cove and Home Instead for the exceptional kindness and care they provided our mother/grandmother during her final days. The family would also like to thank Gilliam Springs Baptist church, her friends, and extended family for the love and support they have provided throughout the years. Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel entrusted with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Shepards Cove Hospice or one of the many ministries at Gilliam Springs Baptist church.

Cemetery Details

Gilliam Springs Cemetery

1351 North Brindlee Mountain Parkway
Arab, AL 35016

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 1. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CS

“ *Caroline S. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson.*



Caroline S. - April 30, 2025 at 04:30 PM

WT

“ *Wayne and Terrie purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson.*



Wayne and Terrie - April 30, 2025 at 11:00 AM

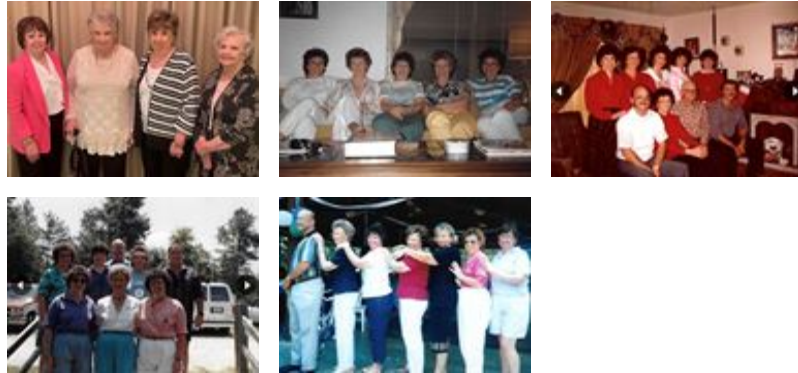
CM

“ *Always with that beautiful smile and kindness in your voice. You will be missed.*

Carol Morrow - April 30, 2025 at 03:29 AM



“ 193 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel - April 29, 2025 at 01:17 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson.



April 29, 2025 at 11:39 AM



“ *The Weaver Family* purchased the *Blue Caribbean Bouquet* for the family of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson.



The Weaver Family - April 29, 2025 at 09:37 AM

EP

“ *Estelle Phillips lit a candle in memory of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson*



Estelle Phillips - April 29, 2025 at 08:32 AM

TB

“ *The Schmalbach's and The Bourget's purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Evelyn Jeanette Johnson.*



The Schmalbach's and The Bourget's - April 29, 2025 at 08:29 AM