



Joy Humphries Stewart

March 27, 1943 - January 5, 2026

Mrs. Joy Humphries Stewart, age 82, of Arab, Alabama, passed away peacefully at Shepherd's Cove Hospice in Albertville, AL on Monday afternoon, January 5, 2026. Born on March 27, 1943 in Morgan County, AL, Joy was the daughter of Boyce Humphries and Doris Emmie Snow Humphries.

Joy grew up in the Hulaco Community of Morgan County, graduated from Fairview High School, and was a member of Grandiflora Church of Christ. She chose Arab as her forever home and spent her career working diligently in the sewing industry. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, William Oscar "W.O" Stewart, in 2003.

Known for her strong work ethic, Joy also enjoyed shopping, tending to her flowers, traveling, and most of all, spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

She is survived by her daughters, Margaret Vaughn (Tony) and Lisa Armes; her grandchildren, Abbie Self (Jordon), Ethan Armes, William Vaughn, and Anna Claire Vaughn; one great grandchild, Chandler Self; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Boyce and Doris Humphries; her husband, W.O. Stewart; brothers, Sherrel Humphries and Mike Humphries;

and sister, Dot Humphries Albright.

Family and friends are invited to honor Joy's memory at a visitation from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Wednesday, January 7, 2026, at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 AM on Thursday, January 8, 2026, at Arab Memorial Cemetery, officiated by Brother Andy Kennedy. Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel is honored to assist with the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Arab Memorial Cemetery

565 South Main Street
Arab, AL 35016

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Graveside Service

JAN 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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