



Emma Jean Little

October 31, 1926 - June 15, 2013

Emma Jean Gleghorn Little, 86 of Jonesboro, passed away June 15, 2013 in NEA Baptist Hospital in Jonesboro.

She was born in Charleston, MO; on October 31, 1926 daughter of Ray and Alice Diggs. She lived in Hoxie before moving to Jonesboro in 1962 where she has lived for fifty years.

She was retired from South Western Bell Telephone Company and was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America. She was a member of Charles Chapter 410 Order of Eastern Star, "Hoxie" Where she was Past Worthy Matron. She was a past member of the Hoxie Hooking Club. She had worked at the Fashion Nook Dress Shop and a volunteer at St. Bernard's Auxiliary for many years.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Ray and Alice Diggs; her first husband, Douglas Gleghorn of Jonesboro; son, Douglas Gleghorn; daughter, Judy Fischer; brother, Edward Diggs; and a sister, Margaret Sharp.

Survivors include her husband Elbert Little of Jonesboro; one daughter, Pat Bailey of Conway; one brother, La Vaughn Diggs of St. Louis, MO; one sister, Helen Gullett of Springfield, MO; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren; step-sons of Ron "Barbara" Little of Sammamish, Washington;

Tony Little of Charlotte, NC; David “Dianna” Little of Wesley Chapel, FL, Steve “Jo Ann” Little of Schaumburg, IL; and many other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Lawrence Memorial Park

Colonial Dr.
Walnut Ridge, AR 72476

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **19**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bryan Funeral Home
415 NW Texas St.
Hoxie, AR 72433

Graveside Service

JUN **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ Was so sorry about Jean's passing. What a good friend she was to our whole family. Even when she wasn't feeling good she thought of my mom and brought her soup. I remember all those Friday night game nights....Jo Ann Coleman

Jo Ann Coleman - June 22, 2013 at 09:22 PM

CC

“ I was so sad to hear of Jean's passing. Just saw her a few weeks ago. Many wonderful memories shared. She will be missed.
Clyde Coleman

Clyde Coleman - June 22, 2013 at 09:20 PM

LT

“ Pat and Family,

I am so saddened to hear about Jean. You know I practically grew up in her house in Jonesboro. She was like another Mom to me. She was a very special lady and will be missed by so many.

Regards,
Larue Stevenson Toombs

Larue Toombs - June 20, 2013 at 02:00 PM

GD

I will always remember and love Jean. She was very dear to me. I am her ex-daughter in-law and have never stopped loving her. Fortunately I was able to tell her that before she passed. I know there's a special place in heaven for this incredibly wonderful lady.

Gail DiPasquale - January 25, 2024 at 08:23 AM

BL

“ On behalf of my parents and me, you have our condolences and are in our prayers. Barry Little.

Barry Little - June 19, 2013 at 05:49 PM

DB

“ Elbert, we are saddened by the loss of your wonderful wife, Jean. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Jean was a very friendly sort of person and I am glad that we got to spend time with you and her for the "Little" Reunions and Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,
Bobby & Denise Bratcher family

Denise Bratcher - June 19, 2013 at 04:43 PM



“ Blushing Lilies was purchased for the family of Emma Jean Little.



June 18, 2013 at 07:02 PM