



Mary Johnson

June 10, 1940 - August 27, 2010

Mrs. Mary M. (Lena) Johnson, age 70 of Ranger, passed away Friday, August 27, 2010 at her residence.

She was born on June 10, 1940 in Brooks County, Georgia, daughter of the late Sam and Valley Smith Merritt. During her lifetime she enjoyed working with crafts, reading books and bird watching . She was employed in the textile industry and was of the Baptist faith.

Mrs. Johnson is survived by her husband, Murray Stephen Johnson, Jr., to whom she was married for 53 years; daughters, Faye Fields and her husband Jeff of Ranger, Carrie Christmas and her husband Michael of Calhoun, Stacy Long and her husband Jack of Sugar Valley; sons, Glenn Johnson and his wife Nancy of Lugoff, SC, Joe Johnson and his wife Carol of Pelham, GA, Howard Johnson of Louisiana, and Lee Roy Johnson and his wife Marie of Fairmount; a sister, Louise Calhoun of Madison, Florida; and a brother, Harold Merritt of Monticello, Florida. Thirteen grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, two great-great grandchildren, and nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. (Lena) Johnson will be conducted Monday, August 30, 2010 at 2:00 pm from the chapel of Max Brannon & Sons Funeral Home, with Rev. Eddie Brannon officiating. Pallbearers serving will include Audie Chapman, Jerney Long, Ricky Kilgore, and David DeFreese. Interment will follow the service in the Haven of Rest Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends at Max Brannon & Sons Funeral Home Sunday from 5:00pm until 9:00pm.

Online condolences may be expressed and the guest book signed at www.maxbrannonandsons.com.

Max Brannon & Sons Funeral Home, a legacy of compassion and care, is conducting the funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. (Lena) Johnson of Ranger.

Tribute Wall

DK

“ We will miss Grandma like crazy! Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family. She was a very sweet, kind and giving lady. We love you 'grandma down the road!'
Danielle, Peter, Addison & Gabrielle

Danielle Kubat - September 12, 2010 at 04:20 PM

SL

“ My Precious Mother. "God saw you was getting tired and a cure was not to be, So he put his arms around you and whispered, "Come with me." With tearful eyes we watched you as you faded away, Although we loved you dearly we could not make you stay. Your golden heart stopped beating, your hard working hands to rest, God broke our hearts to prove to us that He only takes the best." Mom I love you dearly, the pain is so intense, but my memories we have of you will help us through the days ahead. I know you are with me and you are watching each and everyone of us. We will see you again some sweet day. Your Precious Daughter.....Stacy

Stacy Johnson Long - September 03, 2010 at 10:42 AM

VB

“ CARRIE AND MIKE sorry to hear about your loss, we are praying for you, she was a good person, we love you both victoria, aron, ashley, james, cody, tiffany

victoria howell barfield - September 01, 2010 at 04:55 PM

DC

“ howard,stacy,carrie,joe,i am sorry to hear about the loss of your mother !!!so many years had gone by since i seen all of you but my prayers are with you all ! david corn

david corn - September 01, 2010 at 12:43 PM

BT

“ I just wanted to say how deeply sorry I am for your loss. I will be praying for each of you in the days ahead. Aunt Lena was a wonderful lady, each of her children are a testament to that. She and Uncle Junior had such a beautiful relationship. Their love for each other was always obvious. They were not only husband and wife but also best friends. Aunt Lena will be deeply missed. We all love her dearly. Our thoughts in the days ahead will be of happy memories of her and times shared with the entire family. We will say special prayers for each of you and hold you close to our hearts. With deepest love, Belinda

Belinda Thompson - September 01, 2010 at 10:21 AM

LG

“ Stacy I am sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers. Much love!

Leslie Guess - August 31, 2010 at 09:35 PM

LN

“ Stacy and Family, Once again Janice and I would like to say how very sorry we are for your loss. If there is any way we can help please let us know.

Levi Nix - August 30, 2010 at 02:21 PM

GR

“ I am so sorry about your loss. May god be with you through this difficult time.

GRACIE(WEST)MAHAN - August 30, 2010 at 11:27 AM

LB

“ *We are truly sorry for the loss of your mother.
Lean on us for strength, and always remember how much we care
about you.
We are here if you need us.*

Lydia & Dave Burns - August 28, 2010 at 08:25 PM