



Helen Ruth Thompson

April 3, 1929 - February 16, 2016

Helen Ruth Thompson, 86, of Fort Gibson, OK went home to be with our Lord on Tuesday, February 16, 2016 at her home in Fort Gibson surrounded by her family. Helen was born on April 3, 1929 in Leonard, OK to Virgil and Thelma (Brock) Morgan. Helen received her education at Maynard School. Helen met, fell in love with and later married Ralph Thompson on May 11, 1952 in Fort Gibson, OK.

Helen was Co-Owner of Steveson Propane Company where she ran the office for 18 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Fort Gibson, where she also taught Sunday School for over 20 years. Helen loved to sew and was wonderful at baking pies, she was well known as the Coconut Pie maker. She loved her family and was always attending her grandchildren's school and sports activities. Helen loved cooking Sunday dinners for her family. On holidays it was okay to celebrate at others houses but when it came to Christmas Day, it was a must that everyone come to her house for Christmas Dinner and Apple Dumplings. She loved taking care of babies at the Wonderland Preschool and did so for 23 years.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents, three brothers; Carmel, Arvil & Clifford Morgan and three sisters; Dorothy Morgan, Wilma Drain and Alpha Cooper.

She is survived by her husband Ralph of 63 years 9 months 5 days of the home, daughter; Linda Troutt her husband Dale, granddaughter; Lisa Walkingstick her husband Robby, grandson; Dale Troutt Jr. and his finance

Tonya Pritchett all of Fort Gibson, OK. great-grandchildren; Destini, Nathan, Aubree, Cody Walkingstick and Turner Troutt, Ashlee Barker, Rielee Achtemier, sisters; Wanda Manasco, Sue Morgan, Lillian Weiman husband Jerry, brother & sister-in-law; Maudie Morgan, sister-in-law; Wayne Cooper, brother-in-law, numerous nieces, nephews and friends. Will be greatly missed by Pauline Summerlin long time childhood friend, A very special friend; Shirley Moydell, a longtime friend Maxine Troutt and also a special friend Linda Milton. And her special caregiver, Susan Hogle. The family would like to Thank her special home health friends that took care of her for a few years. A visitation will be held Wednesday, February 17, 2016 in the Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home in Fort Gibson with family receiving friends 6PM-8PM.

A celebration of Helen's life will be held at the First Baptist Church of Fort Gibson on Thursday, February 18, 2016 at 12:00 PM with Pastor Danny Gandara and Pastor Dwayne Thompson officiating.

Committal prayers and interment will follow at Fort Gibson National Cemetery, in Fort Gibson, OK, with Arvil Morgan, John Snelson, Steve McPherson, Kirk Poplin, James Burgess, Brian Rainbolt & Larry Glenn serving as pallbearers. The family of Helen Ruth Thompson has entrusted her services and burial to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home 1224 E Poplar/PO Box 1973 Fort Gibson, OK 918-478-2555

Online condolences may be let at clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com

Cemetery Details

Fort Gibson National Cemetery

1423 Cemetery Road
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home (Fort Gibson)
1224 E Poplar St
Fort Gibson, OK 74434
(918) 478-2555

Service

FEB 18. 12:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church
304 E Hickory
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Ruth Thompson*

January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Ralph and family, Georgia Waggoner and family wanted to let you know you are in our thoughts and prayers over the loss of Helen. Helen was a sweet and precious person and a wonderful neighbor for 40 years. We are thinking of you Ralph during such a difficult time. Helen will be greatly missed. Denise*

Georgia Waggoner - February 18, 2016 at 12:05 PM



“ *I so loved visiting with Helen and Ralph each Sunday morning before church began. They could always be found on the right side, back row and on the right end of the pew. Helen always had a smile and hug for me. She always looked so pretty in her Sunday best. I loved her in pink.*

Sharon Dixon - February 17, 2016 at 01:52 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Helen Ruth Thompson.*



February 17, 2016 at 10:05 AM

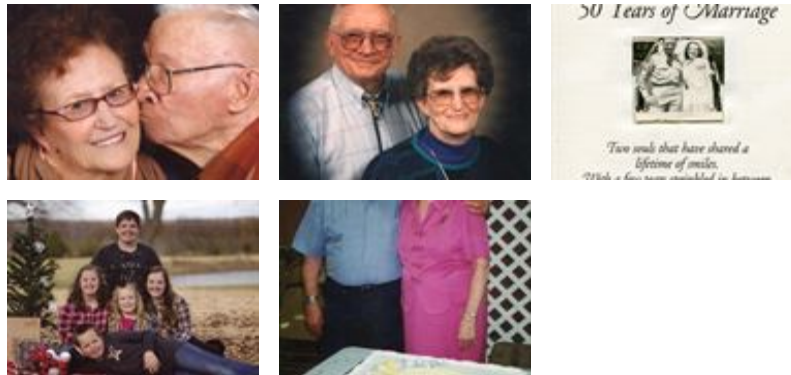
LM

“Helen was my second mother. She was the first person who ever shared the love of Jesus with me. Was sitting beside her at First Baptist church when I was saved. There is a whole town of kids that can say how she shared her Jesus with them. I will miss her but I know where she is and all the beauty she has around her now. Thank you Mom for all the love you gave. I will see you again when it's my turn.

Linda Milton - February 17, 2016 at 05:11 AM



“63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home - February 16, 2016 at 10:51 PM

MB

“Midge Blue lit a candle in memory of Helen Ruth Thompson



Midge Blue - February 16, 2016 at 09:00 PM

MB

Helen and Ralph were two of the first people I met when I moved to Ft. Gibson in 1983. They were always so thoughtful and caring. They were the first to welcome me to the neighborhood when I moved there about 15 years ago. She will be sorely missed.

Midge Blue - February 16, 2016 at 09:02 PM

BM

Helen and Maxine Troutt used to come to Curves and workout and they were so much fun. They kept us entertained and in stitches!! She was one of the sweetest people ever, just like the rest of her family! I know she is at peace in her Heavenly home but will be greatly missed!! My love and prayers go out to all her family and friends!!

Barbara McElmurry - February 16, 2016 at 11:56 PM

SC

“ *Sandra Mosteller Conn lit a candle in memory of Helen Ruth Thompson*



Sandra Mosteller Conn - February 16, 2016 at 08:50 PM

BE

“ *Helen (Nanny) Thompson, I worked with her for many years she is such a sweet lady. I have many great memories of her. May your memories give you peace and comfort. Love Brenda*

Brenda Ellis - February 16, 2016 at 08:07 PM