



## Florence Johnson

July 10, 1921 - August 28, 2009

Graveside services for Florence LaVerne Johnson, 88, of Roswell will be held at 10 am, Tuesday, September 1, 2009 at South Park Cemetery, with Dr. Ed Myers officiating. Laverne passed away Friday, August 28, 2009. LaVerne was a loving mother and an awesome grandmother, she loved her family dearly, but she loved the lord above all. She was a very sociable person, enjoyed talking, she loved the outdoors and gardening. LaVerne was a member of the White Shrine and the Eastern Star. She was a great salesperson and a heck of a truck driver. At the age of three, she was able to play the piano by ear, and continued to play throughout her life, she was a marvelous cook, quilt maker, excellent seamstress and an outstanding homemaker. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. LaVerne is survived by one daughter; Vicki Hodges and her husband Teet of Roswell, two grandsons; Tim Hodges and his wife Julie of Roswell, Heath Hodges and his wife Lainie of Clovis, one granddaughter; Heather Romero and her husband Al of Roswell, six great grandchildren; Hunter and Sydnie Hodges, Morgan and Averi Romero, Chelsi and Taylor Hodges, one brother in law; V.D. Blandford of Conchas Lake, two sisters in law; Marie and Katie Scott of Artesia, numerous nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband Charles Wayne Johnson, her parents, three brothers and four sisters. In lieu of flowers the family request that you please make donations to Valley Christian Academy at 2803 W. 4th St. Roswell, NM 88201. Please share your thoughts and memories with the family in the online register book at [andersonbethany.com](http://andersonbethany.com) Services

are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home & Crematory.

# Tribute Wall



“ Florence Johnson

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ Dearest GiGi, How could I Thank You for the wonderful memories and Blessings... You have been a true Joy in my life. Thank you for always faithfully loving my little family. You taught my children how precious life really is and you will truly be missed. Thank you for taking good care of Tim I give you and grandad much of the credit for the good man he is today. You touched so many lives here on this earth. May you rest in eternal peace for our heavenly father promises this. God Speed to You GiGi!!! All My Love, Julie

Julie Lee Hodges - September 04, 2009 at 11:58 PM



“ My dearest grandma you were truly one of a kind and even though we had our differences and some rough times,I have some of the most precious memories with you! No one in this world except for mama could cook like you! The best divinity,and hot rolls,pineapple pie on the planet!!!!!! Oh lets not forget the peanut patties!!!!!! I don't want you to worry about mama Heath and Tim and I will take good care of her! Rest in peace gram theres no more lonely times or being cold wrap yourself in the Lord's loving arms well meet again, I love you gram, Hez

Heather Romero - September 02, 2009 at 01:11 PM

JS

“ All our ladies in the former Adult One Department at First Baptist Church and the luncheon group at La Villa have missed Scottie in recent months. Those that sat close to her in worship services have often commented how much they missed seeing her--often dressed in pink and looking like she had stepped out of a magazine. I miss her hugs and our visits. God bless Vickie and the whole family.

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**Jerry (Seale) Stone** - September 01, 2009 at 12:53 PM

DF

“ What a wonderful aunt she was. I have many fond memories of her and always looked forward to her visits as a young child. Never forget the KOLACHES!! Loved to hear her play the piano. It was so lively and full of joy. She always called me her little "namesake". What a loving aunt she was and I will miss her.

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**Donna Feezel** - August 31, 2009 at 07:56 PM

DF

“ I have the fondest memories of my aunt LaVerne. I will never forget the Kolaches she would make when she came to visit in Artesia. She was truly a special person and one of my favorite aunts. She will be missed.

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**Donna Feezel** - August 31, 2009 at 07:49 PM

CM

“Gigi, You will be truly missed by so many people. I have so many fond memories of you that I will treasure for the rest of my life. You were an amazing woman and it was such a pleasure and a blessing that I was able to be close to you as your great-granddaughter. I will always cherish the times we had together and you will forever remain in my heart! I absolutely adored you, and that contagious smile that will always be in my memory! God graciously loaned you to us and he has taken you home! I know you are smiling down on us and I pray we will someday meet again! I love you, Chelsi

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**Chelsi Matteucci** - August 31, 2009 at 06:18 PM

DE

“My precious, precious aunt! So many memories--all filled with laughter and love. Did you know that there is a "bunny" in every Larkspur bloom? Just one of the things she showed me.... Biscuits & gravy, shelling peas, iris', larkspurs, turning me loose in her car, hot pickles, cashing in pop bottles at Strawn Grocery, playing the piano, a birthday card EVERY year -What a wonderful childhood she helped create for me. I was so blessed and I loved her so much. Rest in peace, Verne--I'll never forget you. Your Deb-O

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**Deb** - August 31, 2009 at 12:00 PM

LG

“Dear Vicki, Tim, and Heath; We are sorry to hear about your loss, you and your family are in our prayers. Sincerely, Larry and Beverly Garner

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**Larry and Beverly Garner** - August 31, 2009 at 11:39 AM