



Melba Warren

August 11, 1939 - July 1, 2011

A graveside service for Melba Jo Warren, 71, of Roswell will be held 11:00 am, Tuesday, July 5, 2011 at South Park Cemetery with Pastor Bob Tally officiating. The family will be receiving friends and condolences at 505 Sunrise in Roswell following the service after 2:00 pm. Viewing will be held Sunday, July 3, 2011, 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home. She battled lung disease in her later years. She lost her battle and went to be with the Lord July 1, 2011 at the family home. Melba was born August 11, 1939 to Adron Wood and Bonnie Lois Helmer Wood in Portales, NM. She married Gene A. Warren August 3, 1959 in Roswell. She was a member of West Alameda Church of Christ, and enjoyed painting, reading, gardening, crocheting, quilting, making baby blankets for newborns, and taking care of her family. She was a loving wife, mother, sister, and friend. She will be deeply missed by all her family and close friends. Those left behind to cherish her memory are her loving husband of fifty one years, Gene Warren; two daughters Becky Jones and husband Robert of Roswell and Toni Sturdevant and husband Ron of Roswell; grandchildren Randy Nicholson of Sunland Park, NM, Justin Marker of Roswell, and Morgan Jones of Roswell; great grandchildren Lyah Nicholson and Emrie Nicholson both of Sunland Park, NM; sister Donna Tivis and husband Wayne of Dora, NM; brother Ronnie Wood and wife Chari of Roswell; sister-in-law Lora Wood of Clovis; cousin Phyllis Fuller and husband Ray of Roswell; and numerous nieces, nephews, extended family and close friends. She was preceded in death by her parents

and one brother Jerry Wood. Pallbearers will be Robert Jones, Ron Sturdevant, Justin Marker, Morgan Jones, Jeff Wood, and Shayne Wood. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to the New Mexico Christian Children's Home in Portales in honor of Melba Jo Warren. Please take a moment to share your thoughts and memories with the family in the online register book at andersonbethany.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Anderson Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Melba Warren*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Melba Jo lived next door to my grandmother in Portales when she was about 4 and I was 3. I remember her from my early childhood and am so sorry to hear of her passing. Her father Adron took me on his Pepsi Cola route when I was very young, and I new him also. I have some pictures of Melba Jo taken when she lived there. I will be glad to email copies if the family wishes. God Bless. Don Adams*

Don Adams - July 06, 2011 at 10:59 AM



“ *I was sad to hear about Melba Jo, she was so kind to me when I was a young girl.....we rode the bus together and she would let me sit by her so the big kids would leave me alone.....I lived about 3 miles from her.....I have kept up with her through Ronnie Woods for many years.....I did not want to miss her services but I was in Causey yesterday celebrating my mom's (Tommie Bennett_) 90th birthday..all of you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

pat bennett bullock - July 06, 2011 at 09:17 AM

FE

“ Gene & family,
We just got home from CO. 2 hrs. ago from Freds sisters funeral and read this. We are sooo sorry and sad to hear of Jody's passing. She was my best friend for 54 yrs. I have only happy memories of our carefree youth, and all the later yrs. we got to visit each other. I really loved Jody. Please accept our condolence. You 2 had a long & loving marriage and 2 terrific daughters. It was a wonderful life even thru the tough times you were there for each other. That is more than most couples have now days. We will be thinking of you Gene, and send our love. Sincerely, edna & fred

Fred & Edna Ellis - July 04, 2011 at 09:35 PM

JS

“ Gene our hearts and prayers go out to you and your family. Jody will be greatly missed.

Jim & Norma Streetman - July 04, 2011 at 08:16 PM

SA

“ our sympathies are with you

STAN AND DONA ANDERSON - July 04, 2011 at 07:12 PM

DS

“ Our sincere thoughts sympathy are with you and your family at this time.

Don and Shirley Shaw - July 04, 2011 at 01:55 PM

AR

“ My deepest condolences to you Gene and your family, Jody was a sweet person and will be deeply missed.

Alvie Ned Riley - July 04, 2011 at 12:19 PM

BJ

“ *Melba Warren*

Becky Jones - July 04, 2011 at 12:39 AM

LL

“ *Jody was such a great lady - cheerful and encouraging to others. We have some great memories with her that we'll cherish until we meet again.
God be with you, Gene.*

Leonard Lauriault - July 03, 2011 at 08:46 PM

RG

“ *Oue sincere sympathy to the family. She is a rose that will always be missed by all who knew her. Our prayers are with you all. Much Love Roger and Bev Gealow*

Roger and Bev Gealow - July 03, 2011 at 08:13 PM

DA

“ *We would like to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers. Our Mom will be missed by everyone that knew her smiling face. Her battle was a fight that was lost, not for a lack of trying. She is taking deep breaths now in the presence of God. Again thank you, Love the Warren Family*

Daughters - July 03, 2011 at 05:16 PM