



## Rose Roberts

October 10, 1939 - October 6, 2007

Funeral services for Rose Thompson Roberts, 87, of Roswell will be held at 1 pm Tuesday, October 9, 2007, at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home. Burial will follow in South Park Cemetery. Rose passed away Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007. Visitation for Rose will be Monday from 2-8 pm and Tuesday from 8 am to service time at the funeral home. Rose was born on October 10, 1919 to Steve Ferns and Rosa Ann Nigles Ferns in Kansas. She and Lealen Roberts were married Nov. 5, 1982 here in Roswell; he survives Rose at the family home. Rose loved to fish, spend time at the Joy Center with her friends, and spend time with her grandchildren and their families, Chad Roberts, and Darin and Rachel and their children, Jackson and Kennedy. Rose was a hair dresser and real estate agent for many years before her retirement. In addition to her husband, Lealen, Rose is survived by her step-children, Garry Roberts and his wife, Susie, Shirley Smith and her husband, Elbert, of Oklahoma, Dannah Brown and her husband, Gene, of Portales, and Pam Reed and her husband, Bill, of Clovis; a brother, Lawrence Ferns of Roswell; nine grandchildren; seventeen great-grandchildren; two sisters, Helen Haslee of Kansas and Luella Buhman of St. Joseph, MO; her companions (her miniature greyhounds), Cowboy and Buddy; and numerous nieces and nephews. Rose was preceded in death by her first husband, Joe Thompson, two sisters, Theresa Davis and Mary Hix, and one brother, Joseph Ferns. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made in Rose's memory to the Joy Center 1822 N. Montana Avenue Roswell, NM 88201.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Rose Roberts*

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December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Lealan and family. I was so sorry to hear about Rose. She was such a doll, always had a smile for me when I came into the Joy Center. She always made me feel like someone cared about me. I know we will all miss her very much. She will be in all our thoughts and prayers. Love to all of you. Barbara & Harry Vorce*

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**Barbara & Harry Vorce** - October 09, 2007 at 10:38 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy on the loss of your loved one, Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Love Valton and Dorothy*

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**Valton, Dorothy Vanginault** - October 07, 2007 at 09:48 AM