



JoAnn Feters Obituary

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JoAnn Fetters was born August 3, 1930 to Velva (Crawford) and Bernard Smith of Unionville, Missouri. She joined an older brother LaVan and was later joined by a sister Janis and brother Larry. JoAnn was united in marriage to Everett Fetters on May 22, 1948. To this union four sons were born: Donnie, Jonnie, Jerry and Jackie. She was a cook for 11 years at Seymour Community School while Everett managed the Pester Derby gas station in Seymour. The younger sons Jerry and Jack helped their dad service vehicles and fix truck tires. Everett and JoAnn farmed for several years in Wayne and Appanoose counties. JoAnn enjoyed sewing and even made a wedding gown for a niece. She also was a good cook and no one could compete with Grandma's noodles, lime pickles, hamburger gravy or cinnamon rolls. She enjoyed crocheting and working on quilts in her spare time. They moved to Knoxville, Iowa where she and Everett were employed at the VA hospital. After their retirement they returned to Seymour where she resided for 21 years until her recent illness. JoAnn enjoyed her time spent on the farm being outdoors, keeping her lawn and spending time with her dog Sugar. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, grandson Tyler Fetters, son Jack, mother and father-in-law David and Lula Fetters and several other brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law. She is survived by sons: Donnie (Harriett) Fetters of Hesperia, California, Jonnie (Cheryl) Fetters and Jerry (Penny) Fetters of Seymour, Iowa, also siblings: LaVan (Anna Belle) Smith of Unionville, Missouri, Janis (Art) Klingensmith of Burbank, Washington, and Larry (Mary) Smith of Houston, Texas, brother-in-law Keith Fetters and sister-in-law Barb Fetters, 13 grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and a host of neighbors and friends who will all miss her. . Book Travel to Services To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of JoAnn Fetters Obituary please visit our Sympathy Store.



Tribute Wall

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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 11:23 AM



Thomas Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



October 13 at 11:53 AM



Carla Thompson Carwile - Lakewood, Co - Family Friend posted:

JoAnn was a marvelous mom and a very good friend to my parents, Arlene and Carl Thompson. At my dad's services, she found me and we reminisced. My favorite JoAnn memory was the way she would let the boys make no-bake cookies for us when the Feters and Thompsons gathered to play cards. So much laughter, such good times. My thoughts to the Feters family. Carla

August 20 at 7:00 PM



George And Lois Reynolds - Centerville, Ia - Friend posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with all your family. Remember her beautiful smile and cherish the memories.

August 15 at 7:00 PM



Dee & John Kastner - Ardmore, Ok - Friends posted:

JoAnn was a dear family friend who meant a lot to us and will be greatly missed. So glad we got to tell her goodbye while we was up there. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. Dee & John Kastner and family

August 14 at 7:00 PM



Jan Thomas - Seymour, Ia - Friend posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed eating Thursday Morning Breakfast with JoAnn. JoAnn and I also shared Mary Kay news. I will miss her. I am sorry I cannot attend services as I will be out of town. Blessings to the whole family.

August 14 at 7:00 PM



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Mike And Tiena Lewis - Seymour, Ia - Friend posted:

We are thinking of all of you. We know that it was so hard to sit by and watch all that she had to go thru. She was so good to ask about Sandy when she was sick and you guys going thru this brings back so many memories for us. Just remember that she is at peace now and in much better place. Please accept our sympathy.

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