



Delores Hope Johnson

February 12, 1940 - October 2, 2014

Delores Hope Johnson, 74, of Hideaway Lake, went to be with the Lord on October 2, 2014. Services will be held on Tuesday, October 7, 2014, at 2:00 p.m. First United Methodist Church, Lindale, Texas, with Rev. Jack Cox officiating. Burial services will be at Moore Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Arlington, Texas, Wednesday, October 8, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. The family will receive friends from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. Monday, October 6, 2014 at the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale.

Delores was born in Plainview, Texas, February 12, 1940 to Mollie and Delmer Griffiths. She and her mother continued to live in Plainview while her father served overseas during WWII. Her family moved to San Diego, California where she graduated from Mission Bay High School. Delores excelled as a baton twirler and was honored to march in the Rose Bowl Parade, Pasadena, California. She attended West Texas State University and University of Texas at Arlington. After completion, she became a nurse and worked as a Plastic Surgeon Nurse and Pediatric Nurse. She married the love of her life, Ray A. Johnson, July 18, 1958, and recently celebrated 56 years of marriage. On February 28, 1992, she became a stroke victim. Her doctors told her that she would never walk again and would be bed ridden the rest of her life. But they did not know the strength of Delores. Due to her strong will and determination, she began to get her life back. Like nursing, she began to help other stroke victims. She earned a State Honor, Silver Star, for working with the disability.

She was recognized for helping others deal with stroke. She served as Honorary Chairman for a Fall Festival and was the featured guest. Although she was left with aphasia, she spoke at an annual State Stroke Convention. She did a great job. She loved playing Mah Jongg and Bridge. In Arlington she played bridge with the "Six Pack". A group of ladies who not only loved the game of bridge, but also loved to travel as a group. Delores was a member of First United Methodist Church, Lindale, Texas.

She is survived by her husband, Ray, and sons and daughters-in-law Kerry and Lou, Heath, Texas, Kevin and Sandy, Washington, N C and Chris and Suzette, Arcadia, OK. Her grandchildren were the light of her eyes, Shelly, Bennett, Sarah, Sabrina, Abby and Anna. A brother, Steve Griffitts, North Richland Hills, Texas and sister, Eileen Fox, McKinney, Texas. If desired, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, Lindale, Texas, and American Heart Association.

Cemetery Details

Moore Memorial Gardens Cemetery

1219 North Davis Drive
Arlington, TX 76012

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
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Church Service

OCT 7. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Lindale First United Methodist Church
402 W. Hubbard
Lindale, TX 75771

Graveside Service

OCT 8. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Moore Memorial Gardens Cemetery
1219 North Davis Drive
Arlington, TX 76012

Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Delores Hope Johnson*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - October 07, 2014 at 05:19 PM



“ *Delores Hope Johnson*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Delores Hope Johnson*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Delores Hope Johnson.*



October 06, 2014 at 09:59 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Delores Hope Johnson.* ”



October 06, 2014 at 07:23 AM



“ *May your memories of the wonderful times you shared with your loved one comfort you and your family, today and always.* ”

American_Heart Association - October 05, 2014 at 04:50 PM



“ *Paul & Gloria Belisch & Family purchased the Str
ength & Solace Spray for the family of Delores
Hope Johnson.* ”



Paul & Gloria Belisch & Family - October 04, 2014 at 12:43 PM