



## Joan Sides

June 15, 1933 - December 13, 2024

Joan Sides, age 91, went to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on December 13, 2024, in Lindale, TX. She was born on June 15, 1933, in Winchell, Texas to the late Hiram “Tom” and Emma Idell (Currie) Johnson. Joan married her husband, Paul Gerald Sides, on April 4, 1953, in Hillsboro, Texas.

Joan and her husband, Paul, found their true passion once they retired. Together they worked tirelessly to introduce as many people as possible to the nation of Israel, the biblical sites within the Holy Land as well as the Jewish people, history, culture and religion. During their 10 trips to Israel, they took over 350 people from the Dallas and Hideaway areas. Many who travelled on the tours expressed how special and impactful the experience was in their lives. Both Joan and Paul felt truly blessed to have had the opportunity to plan and lead the tours. It was the highlight of both of their lives. Joan was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Paul Gerald Sides (2015); her brothers, Terrell Johnson and Thomas Johnson; her sister, Nelda Patison; and several nephews.

She is survived by her son, James Mark Sides of Hideaway, TX and her daughter, Paula Ann Leikert and husband John Frederick Leikert of Hideaway, TX; and many nieces and nephews. A graveside service will be held for the family.

# Cemetery Details

## New Harmony Cemetery

9920 FM 724  
Tyler, TX 75704

# Tribute Wall



“*Joan was a dear friend to me. We met in Bible study at Hawl Church. We attended their 50th Anniversary. A wonderful lady. Rest in Peace Dear friend*”

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**Joan Mullen** - December 14, 2024 at 02:22 PM