



Myrtis Perryman Johnson

November 6, 2013 - December 18, 2007

Funeral services for Myrtis Johnson, 94, will be held Friday, December 21, 2007, at 10 A.M. in the Chapel of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale Texas, with burial to follow in the Lindale City Cemetery. Mrs. Johnson died Tuesday evening in Statesboro, Georgia, under the care of Vista Care Hospice.

She was a life long resident of Lindale, TX, until 2005, when she moved to Statesboro to be near her niece. As the great-granddaughter of early Smith County settlers from Georgia and Kentucky. She was the granddaughter of Dr. H.L. Tate and Mary Ellen Terry Tate and William Perryman and Mary Boyd Perryman. She was the daughter of J.N. Perryman and Rashe Tate Perryman.

Myrtis married Truett Johnson in 1937 and was the manager of Gulf States Telephone Company until the advent of dial phones in the early 1950's. Afterwards, she enjoyed helping her husband in his business and participating in her hobbies of gardening, playing bridge, and fishing at 13 Club Lake, where they were members. She was a lifetime member of the First United Methodist Church, of Lindale, where she sang in the choir.

Mrs. Johnson was preceded in death by her husband, Truett Johnson; half brother, Buie Tate Love; sister, Louise Perryman Russell; and brother, J.N. Perryman, Jr.

Survivors include nieces, Janet Russell Mathis, of Statesboro, GA and Patti Perryman Vermillion, of Raleigh, NC; nephews, Donnie Johnson, of Lindale, TX, Ronnie Johnson and Billy Johnson, both of Tyler, TX.

In lieu of flowers the family request donations to be made to the First United Methodist Church, of Lindale, P.O. Box 367, Lindale, TX 75771.

The family would also like to thank the staff of Gentilly Gardens, of Statesboro, who made the last two years of her life happy ones.

Tribute Wall



“ *Myrtis Perryman Johnson*

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“ *Mrs. Johnson and my mother, Julia Ruth Bowdoin Smith were good friends while they were growing up in Lindale. As a child, I heard many good family stories about Mrs. Johnson and the Perryman family. My condolences to the Perryman/Johnson families.##imported-begin##Betty Smith##imported-end##*

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