



## Elreda Johnson

June 28, 1932 - July 15, 2024

Elreda was born on June 28, 1932, first of 6 children to Hugh Drain and Mae (Cook) Drain. She had 2 sisters, Dixie and Bonnie. 3 Brothers, Rube, Buster and Donnie. She graduated Cave Spring High School in May, 1950. On June 24, 1950 she married Scott Johnson a WWII veteran and zinc smelter worker. On June 25, 1951 she gave birth to her first child, a daughter Carol. On September 10, 1952 she gave birth to Billy Wayne, her first of 2 sons, and on July 19, 1956 they welcome Dennis Scott Johnson. Daughter Carol married James Durbin and they later had two children, Melissa and Brandon Scott. Bill and wife Mary Sue had four children, Dana, Billie Jean, Darin and Rusty Wayne. Dennis married Jan Nell and they had two boys, Jeremy Scott and Mark.

Elreda and Scott have 8 grandchildren and several great grandchildren and also several great great grandchildren. Elreda and Scott made their home on Tiger Mountain. Many of their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren still live on or very close to Tiger Mountain.

Elreda grew up quilting from necessity and became very good at crafting new works of art and restoring vintage antique quilts. She had the desire to own a business of her own and from sheer will power and determination started her own quilt and antique business. She was the original owner and entrepreneur of the Quilt Barn located on Tiger Mountain. She owned and ran the business

for over 30 years. She became a local celebrity among quilt lovers all over the United States. She has amazing quilts in museums and sold utility quilts as well as very expensive ones to collectors and a few celebrities. Vanna White has one of her quilts. She retired from the Quilt Barn in 2020 after a serious fall and other health issues. Elreda leaves behind her two most prize accomplishments in life. Her family and a nice business which thrived for many years and many fond memories of the friends she made at the Quilt Barn; and many beautiful quilts to share with customers, family and friends.

Elreda loved her children, her home with a beautiful yard and many many flowers. She was very proud of making a successful business doing what she loved to do: Quilting, and going to antique auctions. Her business was featured on TV a few times; Discover Oklahoma featured her business twice. She was also featured in many quilting articles' and magazines.

Her request was a closed casket , one may stop by and sign the register book.

Funeral service will be 2:00 pm, Saturday, July 20, 2024 at the Rogers Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Brett Wheeler officiating. Services are under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **19**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Rogers Funeral Home  
1302 West Main Street  
Henryetta, OK 74437  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



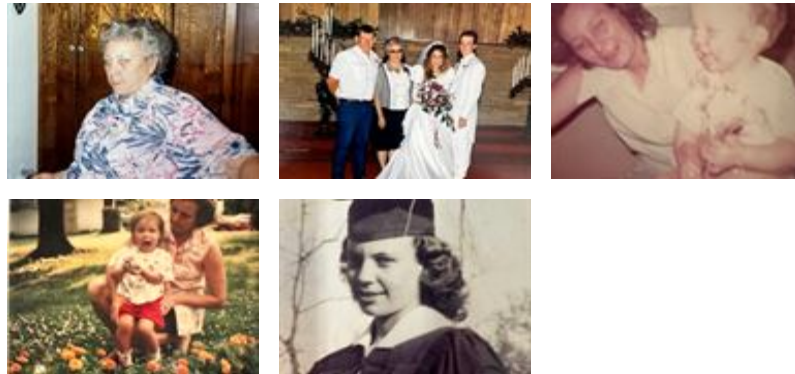
“ *Rogers Funeral home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elreda Johnson*



Rogers Funeral Home - July 19, 2024 at 01:42 PM



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Rogers Funeral Home - July 19, 2024 at 12:33 PM

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“ *Tiger Mountain Rural Fire Department purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Elreda Johnson.*



Tiger Mountain Rural Fire Department - July 19, 2024 at 11:45 AM



“ 25 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Rogers Funeral Home** - July 19, 2024 at 08:40 AM



“ *Sammy and Judy Martin purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Elreda Johnson.*



**Sammy and Judy Martin** - July 18, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ *Dennis, Mark and Jeremy, and all of Mrs. Johnson's family,*

*I just wanted to tell you that I am thinking of you during this time and send my heartfelt sympathy to you.*

*Betty Minyard Allen*

**Betty Minyard Allen** - July 17, 2024 at 09:13 PM

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“ *Condolences to the family*



Shona owens - July 17, 2024 at 07:59 PM

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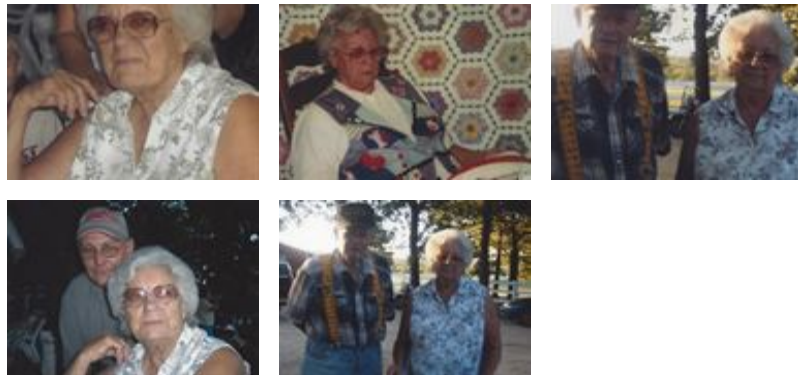
“ *My condolence to the entire family.*



Pamala McFerrin and David/Wilma Anson - July 17, 2024 at 03:15 PM



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Rogers Funeral Home - July 17, 2024 at 08:19 AM

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“ Our dearest family, please know of our sincere love for your precious mother. She and your dad will remain forever in our hearts. We will always treasure our wonderful memories and beautiful friendship. Your dad knew my daddy so well. I loved listening to Scott tell many stories of my daddy and his herd of cattle and hogs. Your mother knew my mother well. She knew she dipped Levi Garrett snuff. Your mother gave me a complete set of eight Levi Garrett snuff glasses. Another treasure for my heart. The day God called her home me and our granddaughters were making homemade jelly in the large stainless steel pot that your mother had given to me years ago. So many beautiful precious memories flood my soul. What a joy to be at her 92nd birthday celebration. She was sooo happy. Our loving God blessed her with 92 beautiful years. We love you all so very very much. Please allow the sweet Holy Spirit of God to comfort your broken hearts and have peace within your hearts and souls. She loved each one of you soo much. God bless. Our love, Sonny and Linda Been

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L Henryetta OK 74437-9401 - July 17, 2024 at 07:50 AM

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“ Refresco purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Elreda Johnson.



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Refresco - July 17, 2024 at 07:23 AM

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“ Refresco planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Elreda Johnson.

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Refresco - July 17, 2024 at 07:23 AM

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“ *Elreda Johnson has been so much more than a neighbor and friend, she was the epitome of 'Don't make excuses, make it happen.' Because she did and she passed her get it done ability to her children.*

*I am so very sorry for the passing of your mother, and our dear friend, neighbor, and Tiger Mountain community member.*

*To all the family, please know our prayers for comfort, peace and love are with you all. Love, Sunny Carrol*



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**SunnyCarrol (Been) Moreno** - July 17, 2024 at 02:20 AM