



Doris D. Presley

June 20, 1934 - October 16, 2016

Doris D. Presley, 82, of Murphysboro, passed away at 8 a.m. Sunday, October 16, 2016, at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital in Murphysboro.

Doris was born on June 20, 1934, in Carbondale, Illinois, to James E. Yow and Virginia O. (Tompkins) Yow.

She was a housewife, who loved to cook and eat, and take care of her kids and grandkids. She also liked to paint ceramics.

Mrs. Presley was a member of New Life Church of Carbondale.

Doris married James "Jim" Presley in July of 1957, in Shawneetown, Illinois, and he survives.

Other survivors include five children and their spouses Vicki and Bill Eberhardt of West Frankfort, Connie and John Harrison of Murphysboro, Tara "Susie" and Brad Qualls of Tamaroa, Curt and Cindy Presley of Murphysboro, and Larry and Amy Presley of Mt. Vernon, IL;

sixteen grandchildren, thirty three great grandchildren and one on the way, and seven great great grandchildren;

one special cousin Phyllis Tow of Carbondale and aunt Bonnie (Presley) Gwaltney.

She was preceded in death by one sister Patsy Dean, one brother in law Robert Presley, and her in-laws Ernest and Beatrice (Baggett) Presley.

Funeral services will be held at 12 noon Wednesday, October 19, 2016, at the Makanda Baptist Church, across from Evergreen Cemetery, where committal services will follow with Rev. Jason Harrison officiating. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 12 noon at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Makanda Evergreen Cemetery Fund. For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

The family would especially like to thank India and Marie from Celtic Hospice and also the staff at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital for the wonderful care given to Doris during her illness.

Tribute Wall



“ *Doris D. Presley*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Our love and prayers go out to this family.*

Apostolic Lighthouse Church, Tamaroa - October 17, 2016 at 08:35 PM



“ *Mom's light will never truly be put out because of her love for the Lord Jesus Christ who is the Light of the world*

1 Thessalonians 4:16 & 17

Connie Dee - October 17, 2016 at 05:59 PM



“ *Oh my gosh this is such sad news!! I used to love to walk across the street and sit on Doris and Jim's porch and chat!! So many good memories!! Keeping you all in my prayers for your strength and peace during this difficult time!!!*

Tammy Walker - October 17, 2016 at 05:02 PM

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“ Our prayers and kind thoughts to Uncle Jim and our cousins. Aunt Doris brought laughter to wherever she traveled and gave love to those that needed it at the times when they needed it the most. She worked hard to raise good and fair minded children and succeeded in her efforts. God bless.

*Mike and Eva Presley
Texas*

Mike and Eva Presley - October 17, 2016 at 03:19 PM

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“ I love you mom, you were one of the best moms in the whole world. I will miss you more and more as days go by.

Tara (Susie) - October 17, 2016 at 01:44 PM

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Tara (Susie) - October 17, 2016 at 01:34 PM

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“ Through it all my mom learned to trust in Jesus and kept the Faith she knew her light would never go out because of her Lord. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord....Rest in Peace mama until we meet again...love you



Connie Dee - October 17, 2016 at 12:09 PM