



Helen Ruth France

March 31, 1943 - August 13, 2019

Helen Ruth France, 76, of Kingman, Arizona, passed away Tuesday, August 13, 2019 in Kingman, Arizona. She was born March 31, 1943 on Beaver Mountain, Oklahoma to Clifford and Edna Mae (Wilson) Self.

Helen was a beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She loved her children and grandchildren. She loved her family and would help them in any way possible. She was a waitress for 35 years. Her gift in life was her ability to listen and she always took time to listen. Helen was an amazing cook. She loved the coast and mountains as a past time. She will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Helen is survived by her 2 daughters, Shelly Blackford and Debra Effinger; her son, Gregory Effinger; a granddaughter, Kimberley Hays; her 4 brothers, William Self, Jackie Self, Carl Self and David Self, all of Oklahoma; a sister, Janet Carroll of Kingman, Arizona; 10 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren; her significant other of 11 years, William Archer.

Helen is preceded in death by her parents, Clifford and Edna Self; her husband, Steven France; a brother, Darel Self; grandparents, William and Angie Wilson and Lee and Alta Self.

A memorial Service will be held 2:00 P.M. Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at Faith Community Church in Whitefield, Oklahoma

Burial will follow in Mountain Home Cemetery on Beaver Mountain under the direction of King & Shearwood Funeral Home of Stigler.

Cemetery Details

MOUNTAIN HOME CEMETERY ~ BEAVER MOUNTAIN

Previous Events

Viewing

AUG **20**. 12:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

R.E. SHEARWOOD MEMORIAL CHAPEL

808 EAST MAIN

STIGLER, OK

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AUG **21**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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SERVICE

AUG **21**. 2:00 PM (CT)

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH
10954 W. HWY 9
WHITEFIELD, OK 74472
(918) 967-2554

Tribute Wall

JC

“ I will miss my sister more than words could ever describe. I know she is in the arms of Jesus! He body is at rest and her spirit is with Jesus, She is no longer suffering physically or emotionally. I love you Sister so very much, I appreciate all that you did for me when I was a child.
Love and miss you 🥺

Janet Carroll - August 21, 2019 at 12:09 AM

AP

“ Helen was my second cousin. Born in the same year and as children we were best friends and we loved each other very much. As we grew our lives went in different directions but the love in our hearts never changed. I love her today as I did then. She will always be with me in my heart. Rest In Peace.

Ann Fuller Price - August 19, 2019 at 07:07 AM

JC

Ann, she has told me didn't Times how you two were best friends! She loved you very much as well!
Thank you, ❤️

janet Carroll - September 18, 2019 at 08:29 PM

HA

“ My condolences to Helen,s family. Sad to loose such a sweet lady so young. God Bless her soul.

Howard Avery - August 18, 2019 at 12:39 PM

JC

Thank you Howard. ❤️

janet Carroll - September 18, 2019 at 08:30 PM

JC

“ *Helen was my only sister, I will miss her more than words can say. Sister has been there for me my whole life from the time I was born to now.*

I am thankful she isn't in pain physically and emotionally any more, she had been sick for a long time and now she rest in the arms of Jesus! Love you Sissy and will be with you again some day! ❤️

Janet Carroll - August 17, 2019 at 07:13 PM