



Nell W. Williams

July 2, 1924 - February 28, 2022

Nell Leona Smith was born to Zion Whitfield Smith and Grace Mae Buster Smith on July 2, 1924, in Ashdown, Arkansas. She graduated from Ashdown High School. She attended the high school homecomings and was in the parade on her 50th reunion year. She was a dental assistant, she worked for the AR health department, and at the Army depot during the war. She married a sailor from Fouke, Arkansas on February 9, 1949. His name was E.P. Williams

Nell and E.P. had Enoch Paul their son, then five years later Patti Gail, while running The Williams Cafe in Ashdown before moving the family to El Dorado, Arkansas in 1959, to continue in the restaurant business. After helping run several restaurants and a catering business she retired with E.P. to the family property in Fouke.

After becoming a widow in 1984 she traveled more often, spent time taking care of family every time they needed her, remodeled a house, moved in with her cousins she grew up with, and became a Grandmother!

When her health declined, she moved back to El Dorado to be near Patti. Then in 2016 she moved again to Fort Collins, Colorado to be near Paul.

She lived in Golden Peaks until her death on Monday, February 28, 2022 at

the age of 97. She will be missed by all who were fortunate to have known her.

Visitation will be Tuesday, March 8, 2022 from 5 pm to 7 pm at Madden Funeral Home in Ashdown. Services will be Wednesday, March 9, 2022 at 10:00 at the funeral home. Interment to follow at Ashdown Cemetery. Online registration can be done at Maddenfuneralservice.com.

Cemetery Details

Ashdown Cemetery

Peyton Avenue
Ashdown, AR 71822

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Madden Funeral Home - Ashdown
371 N 3rd Street
PO Box 428
Ashdown, AR 71822
(870) 898-3331
<https://maddenfuneralservice.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Madden Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nell W. Williams*



Madden Funeral Home - March 03, 2022 at 09:42 AM

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Aunt Nell was a Godly woman that was as sweet as she was beautiful. She will be greatly missed by a who knew her.

Connie Ardwin Cupp - March 04, 2022 at 04:27 AM

TS

I love you, Nell. We had a lot of good times growing up. Happy days ahead. Thelma

Thelma Setliff - March 05, 2022 at 02:36 PM

BA

A loving soul and a life well lived. Nothing but great times and memories of Nell. Rest in Peace with the Light of God.

Bill Anderson - March 07, 2022 at 12:38 PM



“ *Nell W. Williams*

October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Nell W. Williams.*



March 07, 2022 at 08:35 PM



“ *Bill Anderson lit a candle in memory of Nell W. Williams*



Bill Anderson - March 07, 2022 at 12:40 PM



“ *She was one of the sweetest people we have ever known. Always willing to lend a hand helping other people or just a shoulder to cry on. We spent many a good time getting together and playing dominoes.*

Paul and Patty , we know what a hard time you're having but heaven has gotten another angel. And she is happy now to be with E. P .

We will miss this sweet woman but will never forget the beautiful memories we have of her.

Sending our love and prayers, Dennis & Esther

Dennis & Esther Buster - March 04, 2022 at 08:10 PM

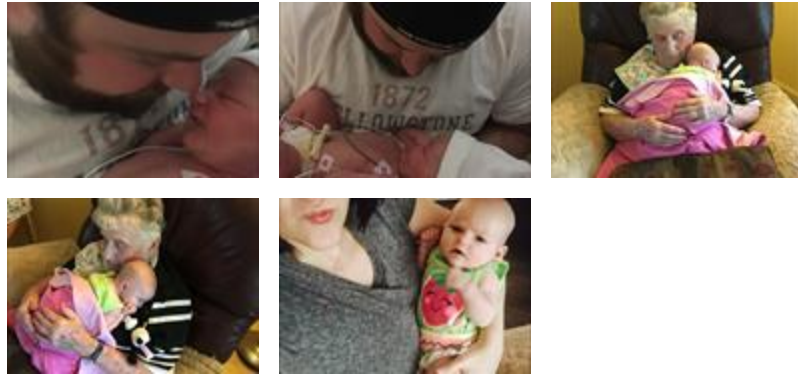


Nell was the mom we all wish we'd had. 💕💕💕

anya west - March 07, 2022 at 04:20 PM



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Madden Funeral Home - March 03, 2022 at 09:42 AM

DN

I love the pictures... it shows a happy life ❤️ And prayers for family.

Donna Nipper - March 07, 2022 at 10:19 AM