



Thelma Junette Setliff

December 19, 1924 - April 16, 2023

Thelma Junette Sellers Setliff was born on December 19, 1924 in Haslam, TX to parents Scott Flynn Sellers and Lessie Baughman Sellers. She passed away at the age of 98 on Sunday, April 16, 2023 at a local nursing facility. She was preceded in death by her husband James H. Setliff, her parents, two brothers and their spouses, Leon and Helen Sellers and Carrol and Lynn Sellers.

Thelma was an active member of the Ashdown Church of Christ. She was self-employed in retail sales. She was a member of the Ashdown High School Class of 1942 and at the 2022 Alumni Banquet she was recognized and celebrated her 80th year since graduation. After high school graduation she went to Texarkana Business College. Thelma was the matriarch of the Sellers-Setliff family gatherings. But she still had time to be active in many community organizations including past president of the Ashdown Cemetery Association, Ashdown Senior Center, as well as NARFE (National Active and Retired Federal Employees). Thelma was also a founding member of the Ashdown High School Alumni Association. Once you met her, you had a friend for life and every time you met her, she had a smile on her face.

Survivors include one daughter, Susan Carol Setliff and her husband Bob Simmons. She was honored with three grandchildren; Scott (Amy Jo) Simmons of Charlotte, NC; Jason (Stacey) Simmons of Ashdown; and Amy

(Brent) Silva of Ashdown. Thelma also had nine great-grandchildren; Bethany (Spencer) Howdyshell; Jessica Simmons; Lauren Simmons; Myra Simmons; Molly Simmons; Micah Simmons; Kaylee Silva; Chloe Silva and Caroline Silva.

David Formby will preside over graveside services on Wednesday, April 19, 2023 at 2 p.m. at Ashdown Cemetery. Thelma will be interred next to her husband James H. Setliff. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Ashdown Cemetery, PO Bo 1135, Ashdown, AR or the Ashdown High School Alumni Association at P.O. Box 862, Ashdown, AR.

Cemetery Details

Ashdown Cemetery

Peyton Avenue
Ashdown, AR 71822

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR **19**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Peyton Avenue
Ashdown, AR 71822

Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Junette Setliff*

October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Scott and Amy, you were so blessed to have such a precious grandmother. And she is blessed to have gained her reward! Would love to see you two. Jack and Annette Foster*

annette foster - April 20, 2023 at 09:17 AM



“ *Sue Haney lit a candle in memory of Thelma Junette Setliff*



Sue Haney - April 19, 2023 at 01:30 AM



Rest in peace sweet Thelma.

Sue Haney - April 19, 2023 at 01:32 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Donna Walden Williams - April 18, 2023 at 10:31 PM

DW

“ *Thelma Setliff family,*

I'm so sorry for your loss. She was so sweet and beautiful lady. Every time I see her and She always loves to talk and smile. Never forgot her. Rest In Peace Thelma. Love you all, Donna Walden Williams

Donna Walden Williams - April 18, 2023 at 10:25 PM

KL

“ *Thelma was a special southern Lady who meant a lot to me !!! We always had our picture made at the alumni banquet of just us !!! I have many pictures to remember the good times !!! We also had lots of conversations at Sudie's !!! A LADY to look up too !!! She will be missed !!! Prayers for Susan and family !!! Hugs and Love, Kay Welch Lincoln*

Kay Lincoln - April 18, 2023 at 01:42 AM

MK

*Thelma always had a smile on her face and had a positive attitude. She will be missed.
Gayle King*

Marina Gayle King - April 18, 2023 at 11:31 AM

SH

Thelma was such a sweet lady and most of all a Christian lady. There are so many things I could say about Thelma but there wouldn't be enough space here.

I will just say that I truly believe that she and my Mother Verna Hill are busy planning big things in heaven.

Thelma will be so missed!

Sue Hill Haney

Sue Haney - April 18, 2023 at 11:49 AM

DG

“ So sorry to hear of *Thelma's* passing. My mom, *Joyce Schiessl*, loved eating lunch with her and the rest of the group when they were at *Reunion Plaza*, as did I, on my visits to *Texarkana*. Will keep all in my prayers.

Donna Garrett - April 17, 2023 at 05:16 PM

DG

Sorry I said Reunion Plaza in error it was Cornerstone

Donna Garrett - April 17, 2023 at 07:10 PM

AM

“ *Annette Tremblay McCandless* lit a candle in memory of *Thelma Junette Setliff*



Annette Tremblay McCandless - April 17, 2023 at 03:55 PM

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“ She was a very sweet lady. Always had a smile. So sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May she Rest In Peace! 🙏❤️🙏❤️🙏

Annette Tremblay McCandless - April 17, 2023 at 03:55 PM