



Eula Clyde Johnson

May 11, 1923 - March 28, 2024

Eula Clyde Johnson was born May 11, 1923 in Cleburne County, Alabama on the Howell Place to Reuben and Pauline Hill. The fourth of nine children, she transitioned to eternal life on March 28, 2024 at Huntsville Hospital.

She was reared in a Christian home where the family attended the Macedonia Baptist Church. She confessed Christ as her Savior at an early age and was baptized in the Tallapoosa River.

Eula Clyde grew to be a fine young lady and became the apple of Claude Bart Johnson's eye. On May 3, 1941, they were united in Holy Matrimony. Nine children were born to this blessed union (John Edward, Gertrude, Judy, Susie Ann, Marvel JaFaye, Charles Norris, Claude Baxter, Michael Anthony, and James Kenneth). Their oldest son, John Edward preceded Eula Clyde in death.

Her husband Claude was called to preach the Gospel and managed to be both preacher and farmer for many years. He finally stopped planting cotton because he was losing money. Eula Clyde supported him on the farm and in his ministry as he traveled preaching revivals and pastoring four churches simultaneously.

Although she didn't finish school, she taught her children to read and later

attended Adult School - receiving her G.E.D. In addition to being a loving mother and a faithful wife, she also worked outside the home at various times as a housekeeper, a caregiver and as a cook. Known to many as "Mama Clyde," she never met a stranger! She not only taught her children valuable life lessons, but she played with them as well. On Sunday evenings after church, the family frequently played baseball and Mama Clyde taught us all the rules of the game. Even in her senior years, she wanted to be the first batter up!

Sewing, quilting, cooking, visiting the sick, and running errands for those who could not drive kept her busy as she lived out her missionary calling. In the local church, she taught children, served in the Missionary Society, visited and cared for the sick and did what she could to honor God and love His people.

Her long life and rich legacy will continue to be cherished by her children Gertrude Stevens of Oxford, Alabama, Judy (Isaac) Edmond of Huntsville, Alabama, Susie Ann Johnson of San Francisco, California, Marvel JaFaye Jackson of Mobile, Alabama, Charles Norris Johnson of San Francisco, California, Claude Baxter Johnson of Heflin, Alabama, Michael Anthony Johnson of San Francisco, California, and James Kenneth (Jewelyn) Johnson of San Francisco, California; twenty-five grandchildren, forty-three great-grandchildren, and eighteen great-great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends-as well as the Macedonia Baptist Church Family.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 5. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

S.M. Goodson Funeral Homes and Crematory- Anniston
830 Noble Street
Anniston, AL 36201

Celebration of Life

APR 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Macedonia Baptist Church- Heflin
123 County Road 927
Heflin, AL 36264

Tribute Wall

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“ To Sister Judy & Family,
We all know that we must make that final transition one day but it is never easy, especially when it's "Mama!" You were a wonderful caretaker Judy and now your mother's care is in the Lord's hands. There is no better place she could be! Sis. Eula J. made that triumphant journey to age 100--almost 101--that is a life well lived!



My thoughts and prayers remain with you and your family. Now, I hope you will get some rest as well and I do mean R-E-S-T!

Wendi Williams - April 05, 2024 at 03:50 PM

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“ Our condolences to Judy and the family.
Deacon Robert & Mrs. Patricia Lane Bullard,
Jelani and Kira - Taylor's Chapel - Huntsville,
Alabama



The Bullard Family: Taylor's Chapel - April 05, 2024 at 01:56 PM

EK

“ Evelyn King lit a candle in memory of Eula
Clyde Johnson



Evelyn King - April 04, 2024 at 03:34 AM

EK

My heartfelt love, condolences and prayers to the family. Hugs to my bonus sister Marvel and children ❤️

Evelyn King - April 04, 2024 at 03:37 AM

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“ *From your niece, E. Gail Daniel purchased the St rengh & Solace Spray for the family of Eula Clyde Johnson.*



From your niece, E. Gail Daniel - April 03, 2024 at 03:07 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Eula Clyde Johnson.*



April 03, 2024 at 01:13 PM

JJ

“ *What a blessing for Mrs. Johnson's family to have had her kind and loving presence for so many years. I knew her many years ago when my father (Rev. Clifton Jacobs) was her pastor and my mother (Lenora) considered her to be a true friend. I was often inspired by her optimistic views on life. May you, her family, find much comfort in memories made with her during her amazing long life. God bless you all.*



Juanita Jacobs - March 30, 2024 at 01:09 PM