



Olive "Pokey" Ross

September 26, 1936 - May 8, 2020

Olive Frances "Pokey" Ross, 83, of Bowling Green, passed away Friday, May 8, 2020.

Private graveside services will be held at Greenlawn Cemetery in Bowling Green with Homer Poor officiating. Services are under the direction of Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green.

Pokey was born September 26, 1936 to William Perry and Lois Elmore Mickey Tinsley in Bowling Green. She eloped with Joseph Rayburn Ross on December 22, 1956 in Hernando, Mississippi. He survives.

Also surviving are daughters Julie (Pete) Cox of Bowling Green, and Diane (Tim) Rees of Center; five grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and sisters-in-law Dorothy Sisson, Betty Evans, and Wilma Poor.

Pokey was preceded in death by her parents; four sisters; and a baby brother in infancy.

Pokey worked at local garment factories until her retirement. Upon retirement she enjoyed spending time with family, and traveling to the Mall of America, Dodgeville, USA, and House on the Rocks.

Memorials may be made to the United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

PP

“ *Deepest Sympathies to Joe, Julie, Diane and their families. My thoughts and prayers are with you.* ”



Peggy Perkins - May 15, 2020 at 03:39 PM

TD

“ *Tom-jean Dempsey sent a virtual gift in memory of Olive "Pokey" Ross* ”



tom-jean dempsey - May 15, 2020 at 11:19 AM

JS

“ *Jackie Stockamp lit a candle in memory of Olive "Pokey" Ross* ”



Jackie stockamp - May 14, 2020 at 06:15 PM

DE

“ *Sympathy to the Family.* ”



Deanie Ebers - May 14, 2020 at 05:18 PM

CM

“ Loving thoughts to all.

Charlene McCune - May 14, 2020 at 05:08 PM

KG

“ Deepest sympathy to the entire family



Karma Gaw - May 14, 2020 at 02:37 PM

AR

“ Angela Roan lit a candle in memory of Olive "Pokey" Ross



Angela Roan - May 14, 2020 at 11:29 AM

DB

“ Pokey was always my fun aunt. Lots and lots of laughs every time I saw her! Love to Julie and Diane from your cousin Donna Boedeker

Donna Boedeker - May 13, 2020 at 10:26 PM

JL

“ Sincere sympathy to the family. Thoughts and prayers.



Janet Lovell - May 13, 2020 at 09:56 PM

EO

“ Thinking of you at this time. Prayers and peace. Ellen Orf



Ellen Orf - May 13, 2020 at 09:50 PM

DR

“ Sending Heartfelt Sympathy...
Donna Willis Reich & Family



Donna Willis Reich - May 13, 2020 at 09:41 PM

LL

“ Julie- so sorry to hear of the loss of your mom. Thinking of you.
Linda Barnes Leopold

Linda Barnes Leopold - May 13, 2020 at 02:24 PM

CS

“ My heart goes out to Uncle Joe and all the rest of your family! We are thinking of you and love you all!
Love Cindy, Blaine and family



Cindy K Swanson - May 13, 2020 at 02:01 PM

DL

“*Pokey and I were also school friends, she was a year behind me in high school and always bought my books each year. (back then that was the way you did it). She will be missed.*”



Doris Lindsay - May 13, 2020 at 01:28 PM