



Rayola Marie Groves

November 5, 1937 - January 24, 2021

Rayola Marie Groves, age 83, of Benton, MO; passed away on January 24, 2021 at Saint Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

She was born November 5, 1937 in Mississippi County, MO, daughter of J. C. McClain and Earline (Delk) McClain. She was united in marriage to John Lee Groves Sr on February 6, 1954 and preceded her in death.

Rayola is survived by her son John Lee (Carla) Groves of Benton, MO; daughter Linda (Blaine) Groves Adams of Jackson, MO; three brothers, Gerald (Daisy) McClain of Charleston, Carl (Linda) McClain and Donny (Mae) McClain both of Sikeston; two Sisters, Wanda Stark of Benton, and Margaret McKenny of East Prairie, two sister in-laws, Paula McClain of East Prairie, and Betty Essary of Anniston, MO; six grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband John, one son Jackie Leon Groves, two brothers John Essary, and Gary McClain, and one sister Freda Woodruff.

A celebration of life will be held later at later date.

Liley Cremation Services was in charge of the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, donations maybe made to New Faith Baptist Church, 806
Co Hwy 514, Sikeston, MO 63801.