



Edna Lunsford Payne Vinson

December 29, 1929 - August 8, 2021

Edna Lunsford Payne Vinson, age 91, of Newport, passed away Sunday, August 8, 2021, with her family by her side.

Edna was born December 29, 1929 to Ance and Ethel Carlisle Lunsford. She spent 34 years in Michigan where she retired as Assistant Manager at K-Mart in Taylor, MI. She lived 2 years in Garland, Texas and then returned to Tennessee.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Warner Payne, husband of 9 years, William C. Vinson, Jr., parents, Ance and Ethel Carlisle Lunsford, brothers, Lee Vernon (Mabel), Clinton (Sue) and Ernie Lunsford, sisters, Audrey (Luther) Woody, Marilyn (J. R.) McClelland, sister-in-law, Betty Turner.

She is survived by her children, Joyce Payne, of Matthews, NC, Sandra (Larry) Pevac, of Centennial, CO, Suzanne Payne (Steven Craig) Alexander, of Chattanooga, TN, Randall (Katy) Payne, grandsons Reed Warner, Ryan Randall, and their mother Diane Payne, granddaughter, Briana Benson (Brent Metcalfe) all of Charlotte, NC, sister-in-law, Margie Lunsford of Newport, special friends Tom and Peggy Strand, also several nieces, nephews, other family and friends.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Wednesday, August 11, 2021, with Funeral service following at 7:00 pm, in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Dr. J. Don Smith officiating.

Burial will be held 11:00 am Thursday, August 12, 2021 in Piney Grove

Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice, P. O. Box 754, Newport, TN 37822.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ I found out recently through Ancestry.com that I shared 25% DNA with Edna. While I didn't know her, I am sure she left a great mark on her family. I believe her brother Clinton was my birth father, whom I believe has also passed. My condolences to the family, I wish them well. Chip Habitz (Detroit)

Chip Habitz - March 04, 2024 at 02:29 PM



“ Edna Lunsford Payne Vinson

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM

JH

“ She was my Grandmother, Eula Willis' best friend growing up. I always loved to talk with her. She had so many stories! I am going to miss her. Prayers to her family.

- Jonathan Harris

Jonathan Harris - August 28, 2021 at 08:19 PM

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“ Prayers, so sorry for your loss

Ella Mae Large and family - August 17, 2021 at 11:20 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Edna Lunsford Payne Vinson.*



August 11, 2021 at 04:09 PM



“ *Edna's legacy will be her kindness, which inspired the love and devotion of her children and grandchildren.*

--Larry Pevac

Larry - August 10, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Edna Lunsford Payne Vinson.*



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“ *Our prayers for you in this time of sorrow and grieving. May you have sweet memories of your mom and May the Comforter be with you to give you peace. Ann and Byron Boyd*

Ann and Byron Boyd - August 10, 2021 at 11:59 AM

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“ Our hearts go out to you and the pain you're feeling now. We're Praying the Lord will surround you with His peace beyond understanding and His comforting arms to strengthen you. "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matt 5:4
With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Jabo & Tammy Francis
Smoky Mt Home Health & Hospice

tammy francis - August 09, 2021 at 04:09 PM

RW

“ Edna and Dub were dear friends of my mother in law , Doris Waltz, at Wellington . Such sweet people !! She misses them very much !!
Our thoughts are with you now as you have lost your dear mom.
Rita and Howie Waltz

Rita and Howie Waltz - August 09, 2021 at 12:14 PM