



## Joann Gracey

November 25, 1938 - May 2, 2012

May 3, 2012

Mrs. Joann Gracey, age 73, of Forrest City, died Wednesday at her home in Forrest City. She had been in poor health for the past four months.

Mrs. Gracey was born November 25, 1938, in Tyronza, Arkansas, and was the daughter of Walter Noble Smith and Margaret Perry Smith. She lived in the Palestine, Colt, and Forrest City area most all of her life, was a past employee for Sanyo, a Department Head for Walmart, and Elder Care Provider, and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Caldwell.

Mrs. Gracey married Howard Gracey Jr. in 1974, and he survives her along with two daughters; Pamela Cunningham of Forrest City, and Vickie Cagle of Hiram, Georgia, two sons; Shelton G. Kitchens of Heth, and Howard Keith Gracey of Wynne, two brothers; Watty N. Smith of Etowah, Tennessee, and Donald A. Smith of Caldwell, sixteen grandchildren and eighteen great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Gracey will be held at the First Baptist Church of Caldwell, 2:00 P.M., Saturday, with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday evening, 6:00 till 8:00 P.M., at Stevens Funeral Home with Stevens

Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the on line registry.

# Tribute Wall

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“ When you see Aunt Joann she always had a smile on her face. She was a lovely caring person and will be missed. I glad that she was my aunt and she was loved so much. I will miss you Aunt Joann.

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**Carolyn Bloodworth** - April 12, 2013 at 08:29 AM

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“ I can picture Ms.Joann in Heaven now with my grandmother Mary and others that have gone on...I can see them singing and shouting to the Lord as they have done here on earth...I can see them all young, beautiful, and painfree...and what a glorious feeling I have in my heart knowing one day I will join them!! Bro.Howard, Keith, and Shelton, it has been a long time but know that you are in my thoughts and prayers at this time and will be in the hard times to follow.

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**Darlene Like-Boone** - April 12, 2013 at 08:29 AM