



Mary Danehower Varvil

October 10, 2009

Mrs. Mary Lenora Danehower Varvil, age 58, of Forrest City, died Saturday at her home in Forrest City. Her death came sudden and unexpected.

Mrs. Varvil was born August 22, 1951, in Forrest City, and was the daughter of James E. Danehower and Marie Burns Danehower. She lived in Forrest City all of her life, was retired from the U.S.D.A. Farm Service Agency, was a farm consultant, was a member of the Farm Bureau Women's committee, was Vice-President of the Cattleman's Association, and was a member of the Palestine Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Varvil married Joe Varvil in 1975, and he survives her along with one son, James Varvil of Corning, Arkansas, one daughter, Beth Varvil of Bowling Green, Kentucky, and three brothers; Ronald K. Danehower of Kansas, Oklahoma, David 'Buddy' Danehower of Greenwood, Mississippi, and Jerry Danehower of Rogers, Arkansas.

Services for Mrs. Varvil will be held at the Palestine Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery.

Visitation will be Tuesday 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 for the on line registry.

Tribute Wall



“ Joe Sorry to hear about Mary she was a kind and sweet lady. She will be greatly missed by her community and friends our prayers are with you and your family . Your Friend Bobby Morphis

October 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Joe, James and Beth I am so saddened by the passing of such a wonderful person. I will keep with me forever the memories I have of her near to my heart. She always had a smile to share with someone else. Puddin made my son a beautiful blanket when he was born which will be cherished for eternity as will the memory of all of the thoughtful things she has done in her life. I will make sure that Nicolaus knows that his Great Aunt Puddin made that for him although they never had the chance to meet.

James and Beth, I know how it is to lose a mother at a time in your life when you seem to need them the most. You will get stronger and hopefully the bonds with each other will too. Celebrate her life and her memory because you will always have her wonderful spirit with you.

Have faith that you will be together again in heaven.

You are in my thoughts and my prayers.

October 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Joe, James and Beth. I'm so sorry about the passing of Mary. She was a great asset to the farming community here in St. Francis county. She will be sorely missed. Please let me know if we can help you any way. Our prayers are with you, Mitch Crow

October 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Mary has been a permanent fixture in this office for 3 1/2 decades. She has served the farmers in the county well. No one will ever learn the maps and the layout of St. Francis County quite like her. She maybe gone but will never be forgotten. We want to thank you for sharing your wife and mother with us as well as the entire farming community. May you find strength and peace in this great time of loss and know she loved each of you tremendously. We will also miss her just as you and share a world of great memories. With great love and admiration.

October 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Family, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Mary. She was always so sweet and kind. You are all in my prayers. God bless you.
Elizabeth Smith

October 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I am saddened to hear of Mary's passing. She was a wonderful, kind person and she will be greatly missed. I knew her from our contact through the Cross County FSA Office. My thoughts and prayers are with your family in this time of sudden loss.

October 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this sad time. May God Bless each of you.*

*Vicki Skinner
Monroe Co. FSA*

October 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Puddin' was always so sweet and kind. I know she will be sorely missed by her family and community.
God Bless.*

October 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mary Varvil Family,
I am so saddened for your family. Mary was a wonderful person, our office visited with her on a frequent basis, when we did, she always spoke of her family, especially her children and how proud she was of their accomplishments. She was so proud of you. She will be missed.
Lamar*

October 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about the passing of Mary, I worked with her a litte over 18 years. Your family are in my prayers. May God comfort you during this time of sadness.*

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