



JoAnne Bottoms

September 3, 1940 - December 28, 2025

JoAnne Bottoms of Eureka, Texas was called to be with her Lord and Savior on Sunday, December 28, 2025. She was born on September 3, 1940, in Magnolia, Arkansas to Aubrey and Johnnie Hinshaw.

JoAnne spent her entire life being a faithful and dedicated wife, mother, daughter sister, aunt, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend to so many. She loved and cherished her Lord and Savior, family and friends.

JoAnne and her family moved to Texas in 1955. There she soon joined the local Baptist church, where she was a member for over 70 years. She was very active up until COVID, teaching various children's ages throughout the years, and most recently older adults class for many, many years. She graduated from Mildred High School in 1958. She excelled in basketball and achieved "all-tournament honors" in all tournaments she participated in. She married her high school sweetheart and love of her life, M.R. (Bunk) Bottoms on April 24, 1959.

Among other various jobs, she served as secretary for Mildred High school for many years, and from there, she retired to keep her grandkids. With them by her side, she also sold and delivered Avon for many years.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her sister, Kay Donoho, her sister-in-

law, Dot Hodge and her husband, Jay Hudge, and her brother-in-law, Lynn Bottoms.

JoAnne is survived by her husband of 66 years, M.R. (Bunk) Bottoms; daughter Mindy Wooldridge and husband Jerry of Blooming Grove; son, Van Bottoms and wife, Julleen, from Eureka; two grandchildren Jarod Bottoms, Haley and son, Kase of Eureka; Tresa Llamo-Cohen, Niko and their daughter, Natalia, of College Station; brother Kenneth Hinshaw of Corsicana; brother-in-law Dennis Donaho of Mildred; sister-in-law Karen Bottoms of Navarro; special cousin Margie. Dupree and husband, Gil From Tennessee; and a number nieces and nephews.

Visitation with the family will be held Wednesday, December 31, 2025 from 12pm to 1pm at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home with funeral services beginning right at 1pm in the chapel with Pastor Danny Bidy and Pastor Tony Neal officiating. Burial will follow at Eureka Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to:

Texans on Mission previously Texas Baptist Men.

Cemetery Details

Eureka Cemetery

SECR 3110
Corsicana, TX 75109

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **31**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana
1530 N. 45th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110
(903) 874-4774
info@griffin-roughton.com

Funeral Service

DEC **31**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *A great lady and follower of Jesus Christ. Prayers for the family.
Wayne Spoonts*

wayne spoonts - December 31, 2025 at 03:16 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of
JoAnne Bottoms.*



December 31, 2025 at 10:44 AM



“ *Craig and Jennifer Gazelle planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of JoAnne Bottoms.*

Craig and Jennifer Gazelle - December 31, 2025 at 10:44 AM



“ *The Henderson's purchased the Beautiful in Blue
for the family of JoAnne Bottoms.*



The Henderson's - December 31, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ *The Henderson's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of JoAnne Bottoms.*

The Henderson's - December 31, 2025 at 10:41 AM

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“ Rebecca N. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of JoAnne Bottoms.

Rebecca N. - December 31, 2025 at 10:31 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of JoAnne Bottoms.



December 30, 2025 at 06:45 PM

PA

“ I'm sorry to hear of the passing of sweet JoAnne. She will be missed in our community and in our hearts. She was a blessing to all of us. I know she is finally healed. I'm lifting all of the family and her friends in my prayers.

Pamela - December 29, 2025 at 07:26 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of JoAnne Bottoms.



December 29, 2025 at 03:08 PM

GF

“ Grant and Sparkman Families. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of JoAnne Bottoms.

Grant and Sparkman Families. - December 29, 2025 at 03:08 PM

CM

“ Bunk, Mindy, Van and family,
I am so saddened to hear about JoAnn.
Us Minatra girls have known her for so many years and just adored her. She was the sweetest lady I have ever known, and we all feel so blessed to have had the honor and privilege to be able to call her a dear friend.
Rest in peace sweet lady
With Deepest Condolences
Nelda, Debbie, Cheryl

Cheryl Minatra - December 29, 2025 at 03:00 PM

CM

“ Cheryl Minatra lit a candle in memory of JoAnne Bottoms



Cheryl Minatra - December 29, 2025 at 02:43 PM

RA

“ Ron & Anita Andrews purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of JoAnne Bottoms.



Ron & Anita Andrews - December 29, 2025 at 02:16 PM