



## Joyce Brown

March 19, 1932 - February 1, 2009

Joyce Evelyn Smith Brown, 76, a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother, passed away Sunday February 1, 2009, at Sterling House in Waxahachie. Joyce was born March 19, 1932 in Corsicana, Texas to the late A.T. and Florence Evelyn Smith. She retired from Malakoff I.S.D. as a teacher's aide. In addition to her parents, Joyce was preceded in death by her siblings Narita Hickson, Annie Matthews, Margie Luther, Marie Ragsdale and A.T. Smith Jr. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Joe B. Brown Jr, sister Virginia Ray Pierce of Fort Worth, son Joe B. Brown III, and wife Cindy of Arlington, daughter Melissa Autry and husband Bruce of Olney, grandchildren Matt Autry and wife Crystal, Paul Autry and Bailey Brown, great grandchildren Reagan and Ian Autry and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in Joyce's name to Payne Springs United Methodist Church, 9667 State HWY 198, Mabank, Texas 75156.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce Brown*

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October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Joe,*  
*Joyce was a very special person to us. We will miss her laugh and smile. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the rest of the family. May God be your source of comfort and strength in the following days.*  
*With our love,*  
*Mike & Debby Hill*

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**Mike & Debby Hill** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Although I never had the privilege of meeting Mrs. Brown, I knew of her through her friends. My heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Brown, her children, to all of the family & friends who will surely miss her deeply.*

*May God comfort you each day & bless you with lots of memories to share & treasure in the days ahead.*

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**Rilla Bowles** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Kyle, Julie, Carter & Ellie Hinson** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Despite the fact that it's been years since we last saw her, "Momma Joyce" will always be "Momma Joyce"! She made the best spaghetti and roast in the world!!!  
All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Sharon Pick** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Melissa: My heart is with you even though I am not there, you are in my thoughts. I pray you will find comfort in this trying time and you will be at peace to know that your Mom is in a better place. I know that is soooo hard to believe, but I know that God has her in his hands. I love you and I am thinking of you. Much love, Kendra

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**Kendra Tatum** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Melissa: I am so sorry to hear about your Mother. She was always so fun to be around with her sharp wit & dry sense of humor. My prayers are with you & your family.  
With much love.  
Dawna

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**Dawna Hyden** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Melissa: I am so sorry I could not be there today. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. May your heart and soul find peace and comfort. With love and hugs,  
Jennifer Riggins

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**Jennifer Riggins** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ *Melissa,  
I am sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May God wrap his arms around you and comfort you at this time.*

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**Amber Oliver** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ *Joyce Brown*

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**Roy & Connie Byers** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Joe, Joey and Lisa, I am so sorry that we didn't get the message. Mom did not quite understand. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, our hearts go out to you at this difficult time. I am so glad that Mom and I were able to visit with you (Joe) before Joyce's death. Please let us know how you are doing.  
We love you!!  
Susan and Wanda*

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**Susan Adkins & Wanda Bell** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ *Our prayers are with you in your sorrow.  
Love,  
Nancy and Walter Counts*

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**Nancy Youngblood Counts** - February 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM