



## Beth Ann Jackson

November 2, 1953 - September 9, 2025

Beth Ann Jackson, 71, departed this life peacefully to her heavenly home with her daughter by her side on September 9, 2025. She was born November 2, 1953, in Waco, Texas.

A graduate of Judsonia High School, Class of 1971, she went on to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in 1975 and Master of Science degree in 1976. Her commitment to education continued throughout her life. In 1988, she received a Master of Arts degree and later achieved a PhD. In 2017, she received an 'appreciation for dedication' and an 'excellent services to students' award from Fayetteville Public Schools. Beth was a member of Searcy First Methodist Church and the Murray Sunday School class.

Although teaching was her gift, her greatest passion was her family. Beth always found pleasure in nurturing others, both inside and outside the classroom. She valued time with her grandchildren and was overjoyed to welcome her great-grandson into the family. In her younger years, she had a deep love for raising and showing American Quarter Horses and cherished her time riding. Later in life, after moving back home, she found purpose on her farm, where she enjoyed the land and the constant companionship of her beloved dogs.

Left to cherish her memory is her daughter, Elizabeth "Liz" Morris Scarbrough (Josh); granddaughters, Emily Ann Parish (Drew) and Madison Renee

Scarborough; great grandson, Kaison Steven Parish; brother, Tom Jackson (Susan); nieces, Dr. Brittney Jackson (Dr. Luke Seeker), Meredith Georghiades (Yanni), Amanda Longoria (John David), Mary Margaret Jackson; sister in law, Lisa Pledger Jackson; Aunt and mentor, Mary Ann Jackson; friend, Kathy Flake and lifelong friend, Pam Hinkle.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Dr. CW and Marianne Jackson; son, Matthew Jackson Morris; and brother, Robert Glenn Jackson.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, September 14, 2025, from 4:00pm – 6:00pm at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy. A Celebration of Life service will be conducted on Monday, September 15, 2025, at 10:00am at Searcy First Methodist Church, 304 North Main. Interment will follow at White County Memorial Gardens.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net)

# Cemetery Details

## White County Memorial Gardens

Eastline Road  
Searcy, AR 72143

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **14.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)  
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## Celebration of Life

SEP **15.** 10:00 AM (CT)

First Methodist Church  
304 North Main Street  
Searcy , AR 72143

## Interment

SEP **15** (CT)

White County Memorial Gardens  
Eastline Road  
Searcy, AR 72143

# Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Beth Ann Jackson



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - September 12, 2025 at 04:34 PM

JP

“ I know it has been a while since Beth Ann passed but I just found out a few days ago...Beth Ann lived next door to my parents John and Geraldine Pratt. They too have passed away. BethAnn had a heart of a servant and generous with her time to any that were around her...Miss you BethAnn thanks for taking care of Dad the assisted living in Searcy...He just loved you and you were the reason he chose to live there until death..... John and Karen Pratt

John Pratt - April 07 at 05:21 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Beth Ann Jackson.



September 13, 2025 at 11:10 AM

TO

“ I'll miss Beth being in the Murray Class. She always offered insight and asked great questions. She loved talking about her family and her animals. God give peace to all who grieve.

Todd - September 12, 2025 at 08:32 PM



“ I am so sad to hear about this! I was just thinking about her not too long ago. She was my high school teacher at West Campus back in 96 to 99. I sure enjoyed her Child Care class. She was there for a lot girls for sure. She was Higgs then. What a special lady she was.



Gena Sanders - September 12, 2025 at 08:24 PM

KF

“ My heart goes out to all the family. They are in my thoughts and prayers. She was a very dear friend and I have been blessed to have known her.

Kathy Collins Flake - September 12, 2025 at 06:54 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Beth Ann Jackson.



September 12, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Beth Ann Jackson.

September 12, 2025 at 08:58 AM

HW

“ So very sad to hear this news! She was my friend, teacher and mentor.  
While she taught at Bradford school district she was a very integral part of my life and continued education. I loved her dearly and I'm sincerely saddened to hear of her passing. Prayers for her family and their comfort 🥀🙏🙏  
Rest in peace Ms. Beth Ann ❤️❤️  
Holly McCall Wilkerson

Holly Wilkerson - September 11, 2025 at 10:04 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Beth Ann Jackson.



September 11, 2025 at 02:58 PM

SI

“ Sidney & Terry Inscore purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Beth Ann Jackson.



Sidney & Terry Inscore - September 11, 2025 at 02:03 PM

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“ Sidney & Terry Inscore planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Beth Ann Jackson.

Sidney & Terry Inscore - September 11, 2025 at 02:03 PM