



## Melba Chestine Louks

September 17, 1942 - March 29, 2021

Melba Chestine Louks, 78, of Bald Knob, went to be with Jesus on March 29, 2021, in Searcy, Arkansas. She was born on September 17, 1942, in Judsonia, Arkansas, to Chester and Stella Moon. Affectionately known as Tine, she was a devoted wife to her husband of 60 years Alfred Dwayne Louks, and a loving mother to her 3 children. Tine was a homemaker, Sunday school teacher, avid speed reader, and she taught her children how to pray. Her grandchildren loved the things she did with them, including: taking them to church, teaching them how to cook, going to yard sales, playing outside, and really just anything they asked her to do. They often bragged that Mema was the best cook, even better than their moms. She was truly a wonderful Christian wife and mother, who not only told her family how to live, but showed them.

She is survived by her husband, Alfred; children, Stan Louks (Karla) of Searcy and Ronda Martin (Wayne) of Judsonia; grandchildren Andrea Martin Baughman (Hunter) of Judsonia, Callie Louks Warford (Jordan) of Louisville, Kentucky, Evan Martin of Judsonia, and long awaited great granddaughter to be, Kinley Renae Baughman; brothers Bob Moon (Sally) of Hobe Sound, Florida, Gene Moon (Judy) of Maryville, Tennessee, and numerous nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her daughter, Janet Renae Louks, grandson, Ethan Dwayne Martin, sisters, Faye Moon and Ruby Brooks and brothers Raye Moon and Steve Moon.

Visitation will be Thursday from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the Powell Funeral Home in Bald Knob. Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 2, 2021 at the Searcy First Assembly beginning at 2:00 p.m. Interment will follow in the Providence Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home Bald Knob-Judsonia. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Bald Knob)  
1272 Highway 367 North  
Bald Knob, AR 72010  
(501) 724-3201  
baldknob@powellfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.powellfuneralhome.net/>

## Funeral Service

APR 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

Searcy First Assembly of God  
211 S. Benton St.  
Searcy, AR 72143

## Interment

APR 2 (CT)

Providence Cemetery  
Providence Cemetery Rd.  
Providence, AR 72020  
powellbk@cablelynx.com

# Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Melba Chestine Louks



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - April 01, 2021 at 10:36 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melba Chestine Louks.



April 01, 2021 at 04:15 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Melba Chestine Louks.



April 01, 2021 at 03:54 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Melba Chestine Louks.*



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April 01, 2021 at 01:09 PM

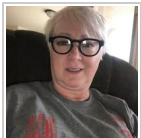


“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melba Chestine Louks.*



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March 31, 2021 at 10:03 PM



“ *Chestine was the sweetest lady. I remember Rhonda and Stan and I and my sister were kids and we were all in Missouri because our dads were working there...Construction. We hung out with them a lot. Some fond memories of that family. you have my sincere condolences. ...*

*Tanya Guinn Fischer.*

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**Tanya Guinn Fischer** - March 31, 2021 at 07:43 PM

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“ Mrs. Louks was a roommate to my mother for a short time at The Crossing in the rehab wing in the fall of 2019. I witnessed the love Mr. and Mrs. Louks had for each other first hand. Mr Louks would visit his wife every single day. My mother was moved to long term care on a different hall so I lost contact with them. Until Covid hit and the lock down occurred. I can remember one day when I was dropping something off there for my mother last summer. As I drove out of the parking lot, I saw him. Sitting in a chair outside of Mrs. Louks room window. He continued his visits with his beloved wife! I witnessed this a few different times. What a blessing to be so loved and to love someone so much! I was blessed to witness such love! Many prayers for Mr. Louks for comfort and for strength. As well as the rest of the family.

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**Debbie Pickens** - March 31, 2021 at 09:04 AM