



## Evelyn Vaught Garrett

May 6, 1925 - August 31, 2020

Evelyn Vaught Garrett, age 95, of Perryville, Arkansas, passed away Monday, August 31, 2020. She was born May 6, 1925 in Houston, Arkansas, a daughter of Claude Vaught and Virgie Clayton Vaught. She was a member of Houston Assembly of God Church.

Evelyn was born into a farm family near Houston, Arkansas. A middle child, she had 3 older brothers and 3 younger ones, but no sisters. She grew strong and played basketball at the Houston School before graduating. She grew up into quite a lady, raising 5 children, 3 boys and 2 girls, all successful and still living. Evelyn loved her children and their families passionately and was always very family oriented. Later in life, in 1971 she married Al Garrett. They lived near Bigelow and in Perryville for 48 years. Evelyn and Al spent much of their retirement years traveling from state to state in a succession of recreational vehicles, mostly camping with friends and attending conventions of ham radio enthusiasts. Evelyn was creative and talented with her hands. She excelled at a variety of crafts including crocheting and quilting. She became an accomplished oil painter. Evelyn will long be missed by her many friends and family.

She is survived by her children, Richard Ussery of Perryville, Jerry (Joanie) Mahan of Greenbrier, John (Tracy) Ussery of Maumelle, Jane Mullins of Perryville, June (Bob Robinson) Gilbert of Perryville, Alfred Garrett, Jr. of Perryville, and Mary (Ronnie) Frey of Bigelow; brothers, Norman Vaught of Perryville and Bob (Joyce) Vaught of Perryville; grandchildren, Brad (Carrie) Tubbs, Alisha Stone, and Lace Mahan (Jordan) Avar; three great grandchildren; and four great great grandchildren.

Graveside service will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, September 3, at May Cemetery with Bro. John Chapman officiating.

# Events

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**SEP** **Graveside Service**02:00PM

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May Cemetery

Houston, AR, US, 72070

# Comments

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“ So very sorry for your loss. Keeping you all in our thoughts. Peace be with you.



**Dana Bonham** - September 03 at 04:17 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss,Evelyn was always so sweet and kind to me,she never failed to speak to me no matter where we ran into each other,Prayers for the family!

**Anita Adams** - September 03 at 03:54 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear of Evelyn's passing. Such a sweet person and always so very pretty.  
Always enjoyed our visits. She will be missed.

**Carrie Porter** - September 02 at 10:27 PM

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“ I remember it was Evelyn n Melton anniversary. Jane n I decided to cook them dinner. We got the chicken out and neither of us had ever cut up a chicken. We had so many pieces. We fried it and Evelyn loved it. She was a very special lady in my life.

**Valetta Parham** - September 02 at 07:07 PM

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“ Sweet Lady, she will be missed. Prayers for the family.  
Pat Montgomery

**Pat Montgomery** - September 02 at 04:30 PM

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“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Evelyn Vaught Garrett.



September 02 at 01:48 PM

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“ Oh all the great conversations Mrs Evelyn & I have had over a haircut!! We've laughed, cried, Prayed & tired to figure out life!! But mostly she talked about her beautiful family and how much she loved them. It was very seldom that she didn't have a smile on her face and a laugh in her voice. I am so thankful that I was blessed enough to share time with her and know this beautiful soul! I will miss you my sweet friend. God bless you all

**valerie frith** - September 02 at 12:26 PM

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“ Blue & White Sympathy Standing Basket was purchased for the family of Evelyn Vaught Garrett.



September 02 at 12:20 PM

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“ oh my, she was such a sweet lady and so talented, I am so glad she gave me a plant, I will cherish it even more. Prayers for her family, she will be missed.

**Kathy and Gary Rankin** - September 01 at 08:17 PM

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“ Springtime Wishes was purchased for the family of Evelyn Vaught Garrett.





September 01 at 07:28 PM

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“ Lovely lady. Ms. Evelyn was always so sweet and kind.

**Sharon Lawson** - September 01 at 06:14 PM

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“ When I first met Evelyn I thought she was so very pretty. In addition to her good looks she was very artistic, one of her prize accomplishments was a very unique quilt, with which she won first place at the State Fair. She has a big collection of beautiful paintings she has done over the years.  
Evelyn had the type personality that always made everyone feel like she was glad to see them and always had a smile. She loved life and made lots of memories with her precious Al and her children. She was always referred to as Great Mother, and that she was. She is missed.



**Alice Wallis** - September 01 at 05:07 PM

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“ So sorry to hear of passing of Aunt Evelyn. She was one classy lady. Thoughts are with the Family.

**Carroll and Kathy Allison** - September 01 at 04:43 PM

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“ I know that Mrs. Garrett will be missed terribly by all those who loved her. Sending prayers to all of the family.

**Mandy Wood** - September 01 at 04:11 PM

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“ She was a wonderful Grandmother.. i have memories of us crafty and painting together. She was always patience with me and taught me so much.. I love you, Grandma..

**Alisha Stone** - September 01 at 01:29 PM