



Freda Mae Welter

October 1, 1932 - October 22, 2018

Freda Welter, known to her entire family and friends simply as “Mimi,” went to Heaven in the early morning hours of Monday, October 22, 2018 surrounded, in love, by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mimi was a true beacon of light; the kind of person you wanted to be like but knew you couldn’t quite measure up. She was funny when she didn’t mean to be; independent because she had to be; and compassionate because she wanted to be. She taught life lessons to her family, not through memorable quotes or specific directives, but simply through her actions and her thoughtfulness towards others.

Mimi was tough in the face of adversity, but placed the kindest touch on everything in her path. She was always, always there for the people in her life...whether she was babysitting after school, working an extra shift at the restaurant, or simply answering your phone call at any time of day or night.

A “night owl” by nature, Mimi was famous for being up until midnight yet awake in time for breakfast—even at the age of 86. She loved to talk because she was genuinely interested in your day, your thoughts and your life. She never judged, never pressured you to think in contradiction to your beliefs, and never stopped you from speaking your mind. She was simple and easy to please, but also strong and firm in her roots.

Freda was born on October 1, 1932 to Spencer O. Sisson and Lucille Garrett Sisson of Plumerville. She was married to Alex Welter, Jr. of Morrilton for 45

years until his death in 1995. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents and her son, Earl Welter. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia Welter Miller of Morrilton, her son, Johnny Welter of Greenbrier, 13 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

In addition, Mimi had many friends and acquaintances who loved her for her kindness and her compassion. Anyone who has ever met her knows that Mimi was the kind of person who deserves a thousand words to describe her kindness, her tenacity, and her genuine love for life. Yet her humbled approach to life wouldn't dare allow her take the credit for how much value she gave to all our lives. She was truly an amazing woman, and we are all better people for having known and loved her. She will be forever loved and forever missed. Memorial service will be held 11:00 a.m. Friday October 26, at Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. Family will receive friends one hour prior to service at the funeral home. Private burial at a later date. Arrangements are by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Harris Funeral Homes - Morrilton
1325 Oak St
Morrilton, AR 72110
(501) 354-4575

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Freda Mae Welter*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant was purchased for the family of Freda Mae Welter.*



October 24, 2018 at 03:36 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Freda Mae Welter.*



October 24, 2018 at 03:32 PM



“ *Johnny, Trish and families,
I am saddened to hear that our Mimi has passed away. She was genuinely one of the sweetest people I have ever met. I loved to be at family gatherings when Mimi was present. I pray for precious memories of Mimi to flood your souls and for peace and comfort in the upcoming days. I love you all. Kelly and Randy Tapley*

Kelly Tapley - October 24, 2018 at 02:53 PM

YT

“ Your friends in the IMO, the AR PASSE Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Freda Mae Welter.



Your friends in the IMO, the AR PASSE Team - October 24, 2018 at 11:55 AM

EB

“ I worked with Ms Freda and her family at Welter's Drive In many years ago. She was the sweetest lady I could have ever asked to work with, a real gem.....
Trish, Johnny and families please know I send my condolences to all of you.....Earlene Black

Earlene Black - October 23, 2018 at 08:19 PM

LB

“ Melissa and family I'm so sorry to here of your loss. Freda was one of a kind we clicked a few years ago and I saw her almost every week. You and your family are in our prayers. Heaven has gained a true angel. May you find peace that she brought so much joy to everyone she met.

Lynn Beavers
Conway Ar.

Lynn Beavers - October 23, 2018 at 04:34 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Freda Mae Welter.



October 23, 2018 at 02:02 PM



“ Trish, Terry and I send our deepest condolences. God Bless. Terry and Cheryl Harper

TCHarper - October 23, 2018 at 01:17 PM



“ The Central Region Team, Anthem Inc purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Freda Mae Welter.



The Central Region Team, Anthem Inc - October 23, 2018 at 12:09 PM