



Mary Louise Armstrong

July 14, 1928 - April 3, 2015

Mary Louise Armstrong, of Morrilton, passed away Friday, April 3, 2015. She was born July 14, 1928 in Higden, Arkansas, the daughter of the late Elmer F. Ogden and Lillian Henderson Ogden. She was the longtime owner of Mama Lou's Goodtime Bar in Morrilton. She was a friend and mother to all who knew her. She had a heart of gold and would feed anyone that was hungry and if needed you could sleep on her couch. She was loved by all who knew her and will truly be missed.

She is survived by her son, John Hayre (Susie); daughters, Barbara Lawrence (Pedro), Mary Payne (Chester) and Lisa Thomas (Timothy).

11 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren, and 8 great great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Johnny Hayre, daughter, Betty Joann McElroy, and grandsons, Ricky Farris and Cody McElroy.

The family would like to thank the staff at Brookridge Cove for the care they provided for Louise during her stay there.

Services will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, April 11th at Fort Reach Church with Bro. Danny Ward officiating. Remembrance gathering will be at 2:00 p.m. at Johnny and Junes Place (Sierra), 1110 W. Broadway in Morrilton. Cookout and music (Lou's favorite). Come and share your favorite memories and stories. Arrangements are by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. Online guestbook: www.harrisfuneralhomes.net

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Louise Armstrong*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *So many good times spent with momma Lou @ her house in Oppelo, cooking , playing music, dancing--many nights I put my babies to bed @ her house after one of her and norbies house parties-she was indeed a friend to all, my kids still talk about those times because no matter how old you get or how many years pass--memories of good times and good friends never fade--RIP momma Lou*

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“ *Will miss her dearly. She always had an ear and a shoulder for any one to talk to.*

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“ *Hayre Family, There are no words to comfort you during this time. Your sweet Momma Lou is dancing in the sky singing sweet music! Keep all of your good memories close to your hearts. Love each other...lean on your friends during the up and coming hard days.*

Love,

~B~

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“ *From the first time I met Aunt Louise in 1968, she always treated me as a "real" nephew. And it just got better over the years. Any time I saw her it was like I had never been gone. I will surely miss her great smile and welcoming hugs.*

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