



Elsie Jewel Howerton

October 26, 1909 - July 26, 2007

Elsie Jewel Howerton, age 97, of Pauls Valley quietly passed away in her sleep on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at her home surrounded by her loving family. She was born in this same house on October 26, 1909, the oldest child of Charles Edner and Fannie Beatrice (Martin) Johnson. Elsie was musically inclined and loved playing the piano. She played at the Royal Theatre in Pauls Valley during silent movies, played at many churches and taught piano for several years. Elsie became the bride of William C. Howerton on August 1, 1927, and the two were married in her home on Pear Street. In 1940, W. C. and Elsie moved to Oklahoma City to work in the defense plant. Upon retirement, they returned to Pauls Valley. W. C. and Elsie had been married almost 72 years at the time of his death in 1999.

She was one of those strong women of hardy pioneer stock who instilled in her children her love and faith in the Lord. She has left an indelible impression in her family of strong moral character, hard work and love for one another. Her compassion and caring for her family and friends set an example for us all.

Elsie is survived by her children, daughter, Louise Stevens and her husband Dan of Pauls Valley; and sons, Bill Howerton and his wife Shirley of Alex, Oklahoma; Richard Howerton and his wife Foy of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Gerald Howerton and his Wilma of Franklin, Tennessee; Don Howerton and his wife Paula of Newcastle, Oklahoma; and David Howerton and his wife Barbara of Rockwall, Texas; 20 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren and 18 great-

great-grandchildren; 2 brothers, Roy Johnson of Hennessey, Oklahoma and Eldon Johnson of Eugene, Oregon.

Funeral services for Mrs. Howerton are scheduled for Monday, July 30, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. in the Wooster Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home. You may send a condolence to the family at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com.

The family prefers that any memorials be made to Valley Hospice: 100 Valley Drive, Pauls Valley, Ok 73075

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Pauls Valley)
1601 South Chickasaw
Pauls Valley, OK

Visitation

JUL 29. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Service

JUL 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home Chapel
1601 S. Chickasaw
Pauls Valley, Ok

Tribute Wall



“ *Elsie Jewel Howerton*

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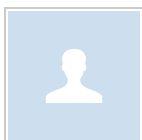


“ *May our Aunt Elsie's memories always be a blessing.*

Watching the photo show brought to the surface many fond memories of Elsie & Cal and our family.

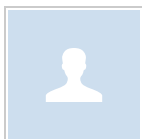
Love, Linda (Davis) Dorfman##imported-begin##Linda Dorfman##imported-end##

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“ *I remember when my great-great grandma gave me a stuffed bear that I really liked and it is special to me.##imported-begin##Magnolia Hazel##imported-end##*

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“ *I love my great-great grandmother and she was very nice. I loved her sense of humor. I know she is happy to be in Heaven with God and with Great-Great Grandpa.##imported-begin##Hanah Hazel##imported-end##*

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“ *It is true that love and memories last forever. I will remember my great-grandmother's sense of humor the most. I am filled with joy each time I think of her and I know she is walking in Heaven with the Lord.##imported-begin##Lacy Hazel##imported-end##*

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