



Naomi Johnston

January 23, 1922 - December 20, 2011

Funeral services for Mrs. Naomi Jane Edwards Johnston, 89 of Carthage, Texas will be 12:00 p.m., Thursday, December 22, 2011 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. James R. Littleton, Jr. officiating. Burial will follow in the Rehobeth Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Family visitation will be Thursday morning from 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Mrs. Johnston passed away December 20, 2011 in Longview.

Mrs. Naomi Jane Edwards Johnston was born January 23, 1922 in Athens, Texas to Richard Foster and Fanny Blanche Castleberry Edwards. The youngest of two children, Naomi was raised in Brownsboro, Texas where she graduated from high school. She met and later married Weston Clark Johnston on August 29, 1939 and together they celebrated 45 years of marriage until he preceded her in death in 1984. A homemaker, Naomi was a longtime member of Rehobeth United Methodist Church where she was active in the Lou Ray Sunday School Class and United Methodist Women. Mrs. Johnston enjoyed working in her flower garden and anything chocolate, but mostly she loved to spend time with her family and friends. She was also preceded in death by her parents; son, Phillip Johnston; daughter, Pam Worthington and brother, Farrell Frazier Edwards.

Mrs. Johnston is survived by her daughters, June Johnston Barnett and husband Don of Longview and Kim Smith and husband Carl of Carthage, 8 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 2 great, great grandchildren. The

family would like to give special thanks to the Texas Home Health and Hospice caregivers.

Serving as pallbearers will be Gaylon Anderson, Wayne Allums, Glen Allums, Joe Allison, Jim Powell and Warren Biggs. Honorary pallbearers will be Gene Whitaker, Danny Anderson and Charlie Walden.

The family requests memorials be made in Mrs. Johnston's name to Rehobeth UMC, 2207 Hwy 59 N., Carthage, Texas 75633.

Previous Events

Service

DEC **22**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel
307 W Wellington St.
Carthage, Tx

Tribute Wall



“ June and family,
So sorry to hear of the passing of your sweet mother. You will miss her terribly as you miss those others who have gone before. I know how hard it is - especially during this season. My condolences to you.
Judi##imported-begin##Judi Keiss##imported-end##

December 23, 2011 at 01:13 PM



“ June, Kim and Family
Thank you so much for allowing us at Texas Home Health Hospice to take care of your dear mother . Each time any of us visisted we enjoyed our visits so very much. Your mother was a sweet angel and now she celebrates a happy reunion with your dad. All my love to you during this difficult time. Susan L. Hill RN##imported-begin##Susan L. Hill ##imported-end##

December 22, 2011 at 10:30 PM



“ Kim,
I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Shelly Quinn##imported-end##

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“ Kim, sorry to hear about your Mother. You and your family are in my prayers. I never met your Mother but I know how much you loved her from our conversations about her. Take comfort in knowing she is in a better place now where there is no sickness.

Your friend

Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Moore##imported-end##

December 21, 2011 at 08:30 PM



“ Kim, I am so sorry to hear about your mothers death, but you know that now she is in a much better place with the Lord. Your family is in our prayers during this difficult time. It is always hard to lose your loved ones, but somehow God helps us thru everything. I love you as a friend and co-worker. God Bless you and your family.

Rosa West##imported-begin##Rosa West##imported-end##

December 21, 2011 at 06:27 PM



“ Naomi was one of the sweetest persons I have ever known. The Rehobeth church family was very lucky to have her and she will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Jennifer Hanlon##imported-end##

December 21, 2011 at 10:21 AM