



## M. Lovenia Hanes

June 12, 1934 - March 8, 2017

M. Lovenia (Smith) Hanes age 82 of Liberty, Missouri passed away Wednesday March 8, 2017 at the Liberty Hospital in Liberty, Missouri. She was born June 12, 1934 in Glencoe, Oklahoma the daughter of Vernie Ray Smith and Esther Pearl (Vanatta).

In September of 1962, Lovenia was united in marriage to Richard E. Hanes. They shared over forty years of marriage before Richard passed away on April 7, 2007. To this union they shared four children; Eldon, Tanja, Lyndel and Ronald.

Lovenia was a selfless person who loved and cared for people. She was very active in her church and was a dedicated prayer warrior. She was a long time Sunday School teacher, Bible Study leader and mentor for Jesus to many. In her early years she enjoyed traveling with Richard. She enjoyed crocheting and cooking for her family and friends. She was very passionate about her country music. She loved all animals, especially Peggy Sue her pup. Most of all, Lovenia was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother who's warm spirit and loving heart will be missed by all her family and friends. In thinking about Lovenia, she could be exemplified by God first, family second and herself third.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Richard; one son,

Elden Briscoe; two brothers, Levon Smith and Lynn Smith; and one sister, Laroma Lee.

Lovenia is survived by her children; Tanja Johnson and her husband Steve of Liberty, MO, Lyndel Hanes of Liberty, MO and Ronald Hanes and his wife Tamara of Kearney, MO; one sister, Lovella Anderson of Oklahoma City, OK; four brothers, Ludie Smith of Oklahoma City, OK, Lewie Smith of Oklahoma City, OK, Leonard Smith of Oklahoma City, OK and Larry Smith of Nashville, Tennessee; fifteen grandchildren; Lesley Shull, Clayton Briscoe, Cody Luster, Joe Luster, Austin Briscoe, Brandon Briscoe, Lindsey Briscoe, Amanda Briscoe, Holly Briscoe, Caylin Briscoe, Megan Sims (Derrick), Alison Ouska (James), Samuel Johnson, Devin Hanes and Julia Hanes; seven great grandchildren, Shyanne Shull, Moriah Fuimaono (Robert), Zailin Briscoe, Heath Sims, Henry Sims, Shepard Briscoe, Clementine Briscoe; six great great grandchildren, Vanessa Fuimaono, Brandon Fuimaono, Austin Fuimaono, Skyla Shull, Dreydon Shull and Joella Shull; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be 11:00 A.M. Monday, March 13, 2017 at the Liberty Christian Church in Liberty, Missouri with the burial to follow at Glenridge Cemetery in Liberty, Missouri. A visitation will be held from 5-7:00 P.M. Sunday, March 12, 2017 at the Maple Hill Funeral Home in Kansas City, Kansas.

The family would appreciate donations be made to Angels Vet Express, 11519 State Hwy C, Savannah, MO 64485

# Cemetery Details

## Glenridge Cemetery

Liberty, MO 64068

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home  
3300 Shawnee Dr  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 831-3345  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com  
<https://maplehillfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

MAR 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Liberty Christian Church  
427 E. Kansas Street  
Liberty, MO 64068

## Graveside Service

MAR 13 (CT)

Glenridge Cemetery  
Liberty, MO 64068



# Tribute Wall



“ *M. Lovenia Hanes*

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October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *M. Lovenia Hanes*

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September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM

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“ I was introduced to Mrs. Hanes roughly about 15years ago. I remember frequently going to her home where she and Richard could often be found laughing at Peggy sue and watching the news from their recliners. Mrs.Lovenia was very kind and loved telling stories of way back when. I remember one Christmas Mrs.Lovenia called me to come over and she had gone and purchased a doll for my daughter, a fire truck for my son and each of them received a bed time story book. That was such a kind and thoughtful act, she was generous that way. Although that memory is sweet and will be in my heart forever, one of my most favorite memories is the time we were having bible study at her home. Mrs. Lovenia and I had visited quite frequently for bible study and she would always tell me about a different desert that she loved. One day I made a cake and brought it over for us to share. She got a tickle in her belly and started telling me about a time that Peggy sue ate a whole cake by herself! NO sooner did she finish with the story, we both witnessed Peggy sue jump on the table and eat our cake...in two bites! We wanted that CAKE! It was soo funny though and she said she was sorry, and we looked at each other and said "we didn't need it anyway". I will miss her infectious laugh her words of wisdom, her generous heart and beautiful spirit. What a blessing she has been to me and my family, My thoughts and prayers are with the family, she will truly be missed.

*PROVERBS 31:28 Her children rise and call her blessed, her husband also and sings her praises.*

*Love always, Carla Mason and family.*

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**Carla Mason** - March 11, 2017 at 09:39 PM