

Funeral Service

New Gottland Covenant Church McPherson, Kansas Friday, July 14, 2023, at 2:00 PM

Officiant Pastor Daniel Parry

Prelude Video Tribute Music

"His Eye is on the Sparrow" by Keith & Kristyn Getty
"I Will Rise" by Chris Tomlin
"Hymn of Heaven" by Phil Wickham
"I Can Only Imagine" by MercyMe

Service Music

"How Great Thou Art "
"It is Well with My Soul"
"Because He Lives"
"When We All Get to Heaven"
Marie Woodruff, pianist

Casket Bearers

Nick Johnson Ransom Hawthorne Tim Willis Austin Mackey Dillon Flood Adam Huser

Ushers

Gary Abell Duane Kaiser

Final Resting Place

New Gottland Lutheran Cemetery

Memorial Donations

Memorial donations can be made to New Gottland Covenant Church in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation & Luncheon

Patty's family wishes to express their sincere gratitude for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Following the burial, the family invites all back to the church for refreshments and fellowship.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



In Loving Memory Patricia A. Johnson

November 28, 1938 - July 6, 2023





A Celebration of Life Patricia Ann Johnson

Patricia A. Johnson, 84, of McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away on Thursday, July 6, 2023, surrounded by family at the McPherson Hospital. Patty was born on November 28, 1938, in McPherson, KS, the daughter of Elmer C.L. and Elizabeth Fern Martinson.

She graduated from McPherson High School in 1956 and Brown Mackie Business College in Salina, KS. On December 15, 1957, Patty was united in marriage to John LeRay Johnson at the New Gottland Lutheran Church. This union was blessed with three children, Jeff, Jackie, and Jerri.

Patty worked at Farmers Alliance, the McPherson County Appraiser's Office, McPherson County Abstract, and was the office manager for the family business, Johnson Electric. For several years, Patty also worked at the McPherson Museum.

She was a member of New Gottland Covenant Church where she was a former church organist, a Sunday School teacher, and the Program and Music Director for Vacation Bible School and Children's Christmas programs for many years. She belonged to Covenant Women's Group and was a longstanding member for almost 60 years in Happy Homemakers FCE. She was a leader in the Empire 4-H Club and active member of a local Multiple Sclerosis support group.

Patty had many physical challenges over the years due to having Multiple Sclerosis. Yet, her deep faith in the Lord Jesus and her love for her family compelled her to keep going and find ways to adapt. She celebrated and participated in her children's, grandchildren's, and great-grandchildren's lives and accomplishments. She always encouraged and prayed for her family. She loved to send cards and share gifts as she remembered everyone's birthday, Christmas, and special events. She is a wonderful example to us all on how to love the Lord and serve others.

Survivors include: her loving husband of 65 years, John LeRay Johnson; three children, Jeff (Karolyn) Johnson of McPherson, KS, Jackie (Charlie) Phillips of Enterprise, KS, and Jerri (Brian) Mackey of Bel Aire, KS; eight grandchildren, Nick (Liz) Johnson, Rebekah (Ransom) Hawthorne, Sarah (Tim) Willis, Cassie (Trevor) Kolinski, Callie (T.J.) Bell, Carlie (Adam) Huser, Allison (Dillon) Flood, and Austin (Maggie) Mackey; 11 great-grandchildren; and many extended family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Elmer & Fern Martinson, and two brothers, Donald Eugene Martinson and Bill "Meatball" D. Martinson.





