



Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake

November 3, 1942 - September 18, 2018

Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake, age 75, of Woodville passed away on Tuesday September 18, 2018 at Marshall Medical Center North. Nita was born in Paint Rock Valley on November 3, 1942 to parents, William Harvey and Willie Mae (Smart) Little.

Nita began serving the community of Woodville in 1983 when she opened Nita's Mini Mart and Café. For over 35 years Nita always operated the store and café with a smile on her face and loving, joking demeanor. Just about anyone who graced the doors of Nita's Mini Mart and Café was greeted with, "Hey, Hon. How are you?" and was told, "Take care and I love you!" as they left. Everyone was family to Nita and she never wanted anyone to be left out.

Funeral services will be held on Friday September 21, 2018 at Scottsboro Funeral Home at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Darryl Chambers and Rev. Danny Gibson officiating. Interment will follow at Union Cemetery in Woodville. The family will receive friends on Thursday September 20, 2018 at Scottsboro Funeral Home from 5:00 p.m. till 8:00 p.m.

Nita is survived by her husband, Joe Drake; sons, Terry (JoAnn) Gayle and Darrell (Paula) Gayle; daughter, Teresa Drake Booker; grandchildren, Mackenzie (Randy) Brown, Brandon (Alyssa) Woods Drake, Logan Gayle, Ethan Booker; great grandson, Sawyer Brown; brothers, Jerry (Marsha) Little,

Dennis Little, Glenn (Macel) Little, and Harvey Jr. Little.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William Harvey and Willie Mae (Smart) Little; brothers, Clarence and Darce Little; and a step son, Joseph Drake.

Nita's family would like to extend their appreciation to the physicians, nurses, and staff at Marshall Medical Center for making her last few days as comfortable and peaceful as possible.

Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery

Co. Rd. 8
Woodville, AL 35776

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 20. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Scottsboro Funeral Home
1502 County Park Road
Scottsboro, AL 35769
(256) 574-3965
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake*

October 05, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *Our condolences to your family. May the God who “binds up the broken hearted and comforts all who mourn” sustain your family during this challenging time (Isaiah 61:1-2).*

Chris - September 25, 2018 at 06:41 PM



“ *Curtis Wayne Maggart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake*



curtis wayne maggart - September 20, 2018 at 03:07 AM



“ *Tammy Carden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake*



Tammy Carden - September 20, 2018 at 02:56 AM

FK

“ So sorry you are gone it want ever be same any more,you were a great friend .ill always keep you in my heart. So as you soar away,rest in peace forever.love you.

FAYe Kimbrough

Faye Kimbrough - September 19, 2018 at 11:27 PM

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“ Faye Kimbrough lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake



Faye Kimbrough - September 19, 2018 at 11:22 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake.



September 19, 2018 at 11:14 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake.



September 19, 2018 at 07:39 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake.



September 19, 2018 at 05:47 PM



“ *Glenn and Glenda Cobb* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake.



Glenn and Glenda Cobb - September 19, 2018 at 04:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake.



September 19, 2018 at 02:48 PM

TC

“ Tammy Carden lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Juanita "Nita" Jane Little Drake



Tammy Carden - September 19, 2018 at 12:36 PM

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Tammy Carden - September 19, 2018 at 11:28 AM

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Tammy Carden - September 19, 2018 at 11:20 AM