



## Velma L. Williams

September 9, 1931 - November 12, 2014

Velma L. Williams, 83, passed away November 12, 2014. Velma was born September 9, 1931 in Sarcoxie, Missouri to William Joseph Williams and Bernice (Pauley) Williams. Velma was a partner and bookkeeper for her husband's business, Henry Williams Hauling. Velma was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church and Alter society. She and her husband worked many years with the Elk's Lodge annual Christmas program where she made Christmas dolls and their clothing. She loved her family and her dog Midget. Velma was united in marriage to Henry N. Williams March 1, 1947 they were married for 67 years, he survives. To this union came seven boys that Velma always bragged she raised seven good boys, Roger D. Williams (Roberta), William Mike Williams (Rhonda), John R. Williams, Mark Douglas Williams (Melissa), Robert E. Williams (Margaret) all of Carthage, Thomas W. Williams (Debra) of Avondale, AZ, and Henry J. Williams (Annie) of Sarcoxie. Velma is survived by 22 grandchildren 31 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild, two sisters Carol Hall of Granby and Norma Cantu of Wichita, one brother Nelson Williams of Joplin. Velma was preceded by her parents, two grandchildren Bobbie Tender, and Henry Thomas Williams, two brothers, one sister and two sister -in- laws. Services will be 2:00 p.m. Monday November 17, 2014 at the Ulmer Funeral Home; Visitation will be from 2:00p.m. to 4:00p.m. Sunday November 16, 2014 at the Ulmer Funeral Home. Burial will be at Park Cemetery Carthage. Contributions can be made to the Diabetes Foundation or the St Ann's Church or your favorite charity in care of Ulmer

Funeral Home. Online condolences can be made at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com).  
Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of Miss Velma. My heart is in tears knowing that she is gone from this world and her family. Sending all of you much love, {{{{{{hugs}}}}}} and prayers.

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**Beth Brown** - November 29, 2014 at 05:49 PM

DC

“ I would just like to send my MOST sincere condolences to all the Williams' family and friends! I will be praying for all of you through this tuff time of loss! I love you guys! (((((HUGS)))))) to you all!  
Dana Armstrong Carver

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**Dana Carver** - November 17, 2014 at 01:02 PM

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“ Hello Williams Family, I was so sorry to hear about your mother. One of the hardest things in my life was losing my mom. I have great memories of your parents and all the little Williams boys in church. Your parents can be proud. Prayers and blessings to all.

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**Barbara Birsner Graue** - November 16, 2014 at 06:28 PM