



## Eldean Whorton

December 20, 1936 - September 18, 2022

Eldean Clesta Whorton, 85, of Huntsville; passed away Sunday, September 18, 2022, at home. She was born Sunday, December 20, 1936, at Anaheim, California; to Forest Earl and Lucile Genevieve Amstutz Theuret.

Eldean married James Kenneth Whorton on Sunday, April 5, 1959 at Huntsville; and together they were parents to three children. She worked at Butterball for many years and volunteered at Paws and Claws Thrift Cottage after retiring. Volunteering in her community was important to Eldean, who was a member of the Aurora Ladybugs Extension Homemakers Club. In addition to being a hard worker, she was always on time for everything. Visits with others and supporting her grandchildren's sports activities were some of her favorite things.

Eldean was preceded in death by her husband and her parents. She is survived by her two sons, Keith Whorton and Kenneth Whorton, both of Huntsville; one daughter and son-in-law, Teresa and Steve Hudson of Huntsville; honorary son and daughter-in-law, Jerry and Brenda Frederick; seven grandchildren, Jimmy and Magnolia Thomas, Jeremy and Lauren Thomas, Brian and Candice Whorton, Bobby Whorton, Brittany and Logan Hattabaugh, Shelly and Cord Riley, and Aaron and Laken Whorton; two honorary grandchildren, Chad and Dana Frederick, and Kayla Frederick; 13 great-grandchildren; 4 honorary great grandchildren; one sister, Marie

Thomas of Orange, California; one niece, Linda and John Tessitori of Orange California; one cousin, Marlene Hansard; and her best friend, Carol Horton.

The family will receive friends 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, Thursday, September 22, at Brashears Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 2:00 PM, Friday, September 23, 2022, at Brashears Funeral Home with Ted Walker officiating. Pallbearers will be Jimmy Thomas, Jeremy Thomas, Brian Whorton, Bobby Whorton, Logan Hattabaugh, Cord Riley, and Aaron Whorton. Honorary pallbearers will be the ladies at Paws and Claws Thrift Cottage, Patty Ford, Jerry Frederick, and Chad Frederick. Interment will immediately follow services at Aurora Cemetery. Services are entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory of Huntsville.

# Cemetery Details

## Aurora Cemetery

Madison County Road #5675  
Huntsville, AR 72740

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

SEP **22**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory  
509 North Gaskill Street  
Huntsville, AR 72740  
(479) 738-2123  
<https://www.brashearsfuneralhome.net/>

## Funeral Service

SEP **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Vivid Recollections* was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 23, 2022 at 08:23 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 22, 2022 at 11:35 PM



“ *Betty Wood* lit a candle in memory of Eldean Whorton



**Betty Wood** - September 22, 2022 at 09:29 PM

JG

“ Sincere condolences to the entire family. I worked with Eldean at the Butterball facility for many years. She was an active member of the safety team, taking that role seriously by ensuring the safety and well-being of all associates. And did it with a smile. God bless you Eldean.



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**Jim Gilbert** - September 22, 2022 at 05:12 PM

BW

You will be miss by all of your butterball family God bless you Eldean

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**Betty Wood** - September 22, 2022 at 09:34 PM

MS

“ May the light of Eldeans smile never be forgotten.



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**Mariette Spidel** - September 22, 2022 at 01:23 PM

MS

“ Eldean was a faithful volunteer for Paws and Claws Thrift Cottage. Her dedication to the store and her shared love of the shelter animals was very evident. Whether visiting the store to shop or to volunteer there, there was never a dull moment with Ms. Eldean and Ms. Carol together.

Condolences to her family and friends. She will be greatly missed.

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**Mariette Spidel** - September 22, 2022 at 01:21 PM

CG

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Charles and Betty Jo Gurley - September 22, 2022 at 11:31 AM

CR

“ So sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed talking to her. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Charlinda Reeves - September 22, 2022 at 11:30 AM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 22, 2022 at 09:51 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 22, 2022 at 09:47 AM

MA

“ You all are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of your loss.

Margaret(Mrs.Austin)Smith - September 21, 2022 at 11:31 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



September 21, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



September 21, 2022 at 05:45 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



September 21, 2022 at 12:39 PM



“ *Keith and all the family members, my prayers and condolences. I know this is a difficult time for each of you. Your mother was a fine lady, I was glad to have known her. Lean upon the Lord during this difficult time.*



**Alvin L Herrington** - September 21, 2022 at 12:18 PM

TM

“ Sending my condolences, she always had a smile an a story to tell. I always loved talking with her.. She will truly be missed

Tamra Mcdonald - September 20, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 20, 2022 at 06:09 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.



September 20, 2022 at 03:04 PM

MF

“ Marlene, Blessings to all the family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Eldean Whorton.



Marlene, Blessings to all the family - September 20, 2022 at 02:45 PM

BW

“ *Eldean was always cheerful and helpful to everyone.  
Prayers and condolences to all her family.  
God Bless you all*

*Tom and Billie Whorton*

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**Billie Whorton** - September 20, 2022 at 01:56 PM

TR

*She was always ready to help anyone she will missed by many my  
prayers go out to her family I am sorry that I can't attend her funeral but  
my prayers will be there she is a great loss to our community*

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**Theresa Rogers** - September 20, 2022 at 05:48 PM

DD

*Eldean was a wonderful lady, always smiling and so helpful and kind.  
She will truly be missed by everyone who knew her. My sincere  
condolences to her family and closest friends.*

*Diann Davis*

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**Diana Davis** - September 21, 2022 at 01:56 PM

JS

“ *Jessica Snodgrass purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



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**Jessica Snodgrass** - September 20, 2022 at 01:41 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



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September 20, 2022 at 01:40 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Eldean Whorton.*



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September 20, 2022 at 12:15 PM