



## Juanita Yvonne Thomas

January 2, 1948 - March 18, 2021

On Thursday, March 18, 2021, Juanita "Yvonne" Thomas of Springdale, loving wife, mother, and grandmother passed away at age 73. Yvonne was born January 2, 1948, to Afton and Katie McChristian Couch of Japton, AR. Born the second of four daughters, she is survived by her three sisters Geraldine Samuels, Margaret Samuels, and Joyce Dunham. In 1982, Yvonne married Dwight E. Thomas. Together they blended families with four children. Yvonne retired from Novar/Honeywell in 2013 after serving upwards of 20 years in management for Warner Cable Company.

Yvonne attended Ray of Hope Community Church of Springdale and sang regularly during Praise Worship. She loved music and was a talented singer. Yvonne and husband Dwight performed in a band with family and friends over the years for fundraisers and community services. Yvonne was an avid fisher. She loved family get-togethers, flea marketing, and road trips. Yvonne was known for her warm personality, strength and independence, and love and compassion for others.

Yvonne was preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her husband Dwight E. Thomas; four children Michelle Ahrents and husband Blaine, Kim Mozden and husband Robert, Anita Thomas, and Clint Thomas and wife Kelly ; 7 grandchildren Brady Ahrents, Sheyenne McDonald, Bryant Savage, Dustin and Derek Shepherd, and Avery and Joe Thomas; several more family and countless friends.

Visitation for family and close friends will be Tuesday March 23, 5-7 pm at

Brashears Funeral Home of Huntsville, AR. Due to COVID-19, please practice social distancing and masks are required. Graveside funeral services will be held at Drakes Creek Cemetery on Wednesday, March 24, 2021, at 10:00 am with Glen Thomas officiating. Pallbearers will be Blaine and Brady Ahrents, Robert Mozden, Bryant Savage, Dustin Shepherd, and Joe Thomas. Services are entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory of Huntsville.

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ Yvonne & I were classmates...I haven't seen her since we graduated. Your description of her is just as I remember. A kind, sweet person with a wonderful smile. Bless you all

Margie Ham - March 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Heart broken. Loved her so much. She has been a part of my life since I was fifteen. The world won't be quite so beautiful, or sound as lovely, with out her. What more can you hope for at the end of your life, than to have been enough and done enough to be missed by the ones you leave behind. She did both and will leave us with beautiful memories until we see her again.

Carolyn (Ross) Brt - March 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Yvonne was such a wonderful person. We worked together at Novar and she welcomedd me there. So warm and relatable. She was my 'work momma'. Love and miss her. Many thoughts and prayers for her family. She will be greatly missed.



Kim Hollingsworth - March 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ My heart is so broken,a Beautiful Angel gone,words can not describe how i feel. But i do know i will meet her in Heaven. Prayers for Dwight,and the children ands grands all the family.May God wrap his loving arms around you at this time of sorrow

Denise Wade - March 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Yvonne, may you RIP. I saw her at our high school 50th graduation reunion. She looked the same as she did in high school. It doesn't seem possible that she is now gone.

*Tom Couch.*

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**Tom Couch** - March 22, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy*

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**Bob & Marcia Howard** - March 21, 2021 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *My condolences to Dwight and his family.*  
*Patti Newton Brown*



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BH

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**Bob & Marcia Howard** - March 20, 2021 at 12:00 AM