



## Ealzy Newsom

March 7, 1926 - February 8, 2024

Ealzy M. Newsom, age 97, of Springdale, Arkansas, passed peacefully, Thursday, February 8, 2024, in Fayetteville, Arkansas. She was born March 7, 1926 in Des Arc, Arkansas to Oliver Perry and Nora Patey Perry. Ealzy was of the Pentecostal faith and an avid churchgoer that was well known for singing special songs to the congregation. She was also a voracious bible reader and loved to discuss the bible with everyone. Her bible was her most prized possession. Ealzy was a self-taught expert quilt maker who sewed absolutely beautiful quilts all by hand. She enjoyed her family and attending the yearly Perry family reunions and took part in them as long as she could.

Ealzy is preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Pauline Henshaw and Lucille Arbuckle; one brother-in-law, Jim Arbuckle; two brothers Willard and Floyd Perry; two sisters-in-law, Annamae and Cristine Perry; and two nieces, Sybil Butler and Linda Kay Pullen.

Ealzy is survived by three children, Marie Self and husband Noel of Springdale, James Flener and wife Zia, Patricia Williams and husband Mike of Farmington, Arkansas; six grandchildren, Deanna Self, Dewayne Self and wife Lisa, Cheryl Griffin, Kevin Miller, Stanley Miller and Lacretha Thibodeaux and husband Richard; two bonus grandchildren, Brandon Williams and Lindsay Fredrick and husband Bradley; eleven great grandchildren; three bonus great grandchildren; and nine great-great grandchildren.

Visitation will be 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Funeral service will be 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel in Ozark, with Brother Preston Beeks officiating, with burial at Houston Cemetery in Alix, Arkansas, under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Stanley Miller, Nick Miller, Anthony "Tony" Miller, Devin Thibodeaux, Anthony Bittle, and Ronnie Perry.

To leave an online memorial visit [www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com](http://www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 13. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home  
2315 West Commercial Street  
PO Box 680  
Ozark, AR 72949  
(479) 667-4147  
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

FEB 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Burial

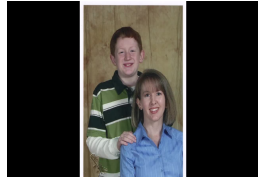
FEB 13 (CT)

Houston Cemetery  
Alix, AR 72820

# Tribute Wall



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**Shaffer Home** - February 12, 2024 at 01:47 PM



“ Prayers and Comfort for the family and friends!!



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**Buzy Bee Flowers And Gifts** - February 11, 2024 at 11:58 AM