



Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani

July 6, 1946 - November 25, 2020

Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani, 74, of Clarksville went to be with the Lord. She was born on July 6, 1946 and died November 25, 2020. She is preceded in death by her parents, Virgil Gean and Helen Weishaupt-Gean, and her sister and brother in law, Judy and Bill Fowler. Virginia was a graduate of Ozark High School and she was a retired employee of Hanes Brand since 2007.

She is survived by Michael Aljassani of Palm Beach; Brothers Jimmy and Paul Gean, sisters Bobbie Ann Gean and Charlen Gean-Bates; her three children, Laura Shook, Teresa Shook, of Clarksville, and Larry F. Jr. and Stefani Shook, of Lumberton, TX; her nine grandchildren, Nikki Gibbs, Crystal Campbell, Meghan Gardner, Darian Ross, Landon Ross, Christopher Shook, Joshua Shook, Zachary Shook; and her four great grandchildren; Ave' Helms, Michael Gibbs, Lincoln Gibbs, and Jensen Fultz; also, several nieces and nephews she loved dearly.

Virginia was an avid softball player in her younger years, loved entertaining her friends, and enjoyed cooking for her family.

Visitation will be held at Shaffer Funeral Chapel in Ozark on Monday, November 30th, 2020 from 6:00 until 8:00 PM.

Graveside service will be held at Houston Cemetery in Altus, AR on Tuesday,

December 1, 2020 at 2:00 PM, officiated by Frank Shook.

Pallbearers: Lance Fowler, David Fowler, Allen Fowler, Christopher Shook, Joshua Shook, Zachary Shook, Landon Ross and Dennis Pearson. Honorary Pallbearers are Johnny Murphy, Larry F. Shook, Jr., Jimmy Gean and Paul Gean.

Cemetery Details

Houston Cemetery

Alix, AR 72820

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 1. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Shaffer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani*



Shaffer Funeral Home - November 28, 2020 at 11:36 PM



“ *Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani.*



November 30, 2020 at 03:50 PM



“ *so very many memories with Virginia...or as VA we used to call her.. we ate, drank and were merry....I remember going to Judy and Bill's house, eating whatever Michael cooked. Even taking a baby that I was watching over to Virginia...the baby had messed bad... wanted Virginia to help change her... she got tickled and handed me a wash cloth...good memories...prayers to all the family...she'll be missed*

Bj - November 30, 2020 at 02:39 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani.



November 30, 2020 at 12:43 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani.



November 30, 2020 at 10:29 AM

AR

“Virginia and I were buddies all the way back to grade school, where we started band together in the fifth grade. There were three of us learning clarinet: Virginia, me, and Ann Johnson Lostal. All of us had taken piano lessons, so we knew how to read music. All the band director had to do was teach us to play clarinet. We were supposed to wait until seventh grade to play in the high school band, but our director gave us uniforms and let us play in the bleachers with the high school band for the football games. We thought we were hot stuff. Marching season ended, and we expected to go back to our beginner lessons, but instead, we were promoted to the big band for real. There we sat, three little sixth-graders on the back row, playing third clarinet music, and thinking we were good. By the time we were ninth-graders, Virginia and I were playing first clarinet music, and Ann had moved to Fayetteville where she switched to bassoon and became an All-State musician. We had a lot of fun in band.

Our senior year, she wrote in my yearbook:

*Andi, You just had to be the brain of the bunch didn't you? Well, if people would just notice they would see how smart I am too. (Ha!) Seriously I hope you get all life has to offer. You are and always will be one of my best friends. Even if we are different, we have one thing in common. Guess what? We both like Clarksville!. Hoo-ray for the Panthers. Good luck to my smartest and most intelligent friend.
Love Ya, Virginia*

She was a good buddy in our formative years. I was lucky to have such a fine person as a friend.

*Andrea (Andee) Anderson Romo
OHS Class of 1964*

Andrea Romo - November 30, 2020 at 08:17 AM

DA

“ I’m praying for you all. Love & prayers Deena

Deena Ricketts Adams - November 29, 2020 at 06:06 PM

JG

“ I have been knowing Virginia for many years! I worked by her, with her and for her at Singer, never was a cross word said between us! After we had both retired, and taken up F.B. as one of our major ways of communication, we added another phase to our relationship, F.B. Friends! We differed greatly in the field of politics and had many spirited debates about the subject! No matter how heated it became, we always ended it with an, "I love you Girl" or a "I love you man", but you're wrong, never quit without making sure the friendship was still there! She was my friend, and I already miss her!

Jimmy M Gould - November 29, 2020 at 03:52 PM



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Shaffer Funeral Home - November 28, 2020 at 11:42 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Virginia Lee Gean-Aljassani.



November 28, 2020 at 05:28 PM

AU

“ Virginia was a strong, but kind person, always willing to help others and share her blessings. I loved talking with Virginia, over the years, we shared many good laughs, much needed.

Anna Underwood - November 28, 2020 at 02:48 PM