



Ruby G. "Zada" Little

June 20, 1925 - March 8, 2017

Ruby G. "Zada" Little, 91, of Roodhouse passed away Wednesday, Mar. 8, 2017, at the Passavant Hospital in Jacksonville. She was born June 20, 1925, in Greenfield, the daughter of Harry and Edith Story Maberry. She married Charles Tupper. Ruby later married Dale Little, Feb. 28, 1969, in Arenzville.

Surviving is her husband, Dale of Roodhouse, children, Hershel "Bud" Tupper of Jacksonville, Loretta Little of Roodhouse, and Ronald Little of Chapin; many grand, great, and great-great grandchildren; and siblings, Lois Frye, Connie Anderson, and Nora Hoots all of Jacksonville, and Ronnie Walls of Carrollton. She was preceded in death by one son, Charles Tupper Jr.; three sister and two brothers.

Ruby attended the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Roodhouse. She was an employee of Mobil Chemical in Jacksonville a one time and a foster parent to many children.

Funeral services will be held 1:00 pm Monday, Mar. 13, 2017, at the Daws Family Funeral Home in Roodhouse with interment in the Fernwood Cemetery in Roodhouse. The family will meet friends Monday from 11:00 am until time of the service at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the family.

Cemetery Details

Fernwood Cemetery

US 67
Roodhouse Il., IL 62082

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Daws Family Funeral Home - Roodhouse
202 West Franklin
Roodhouse, IL 62082
(217) 589-4311
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Ruby G. "Zada" Little

January 28, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ I've always loved my great grandma, Ruby. She was the woman who raised me. Who had to deal with my bs. I would do anything to see her again. When she died, I was stuck with surprise. Not so much surprised, I knew it was coming soon enough. I hear rumors but I am for sure that her and my grandpa Dale, loved each other the most. I love you grandma. I remember those red earrings and that red sweater you wore everyday. May you rest in peace, in the ground- Kiara Trumbo

Kiara - November 01, 2019 at 09:03 PM



“ Debbie "Bob" Gilleland lit a candle in memory of Ruby G. "Zada" Little



Debbie "Bob" Gilleland - March 13, 2017 at 08:42 AM



My deepest and most heartfelt sympathy and condolences. Zada, was a true friend and caregiver to those she loved. She will be missed.

Debbie "Bob" Gilleland - March 13, 2017 at 08:47 AM



“ loved that Lady she had a big Heart

Chris Maynard - March 11, 2017 at 06:22 PM

LG

Zada was known by many, and loved by all. I never met a more giving lady. Love to Dale and all of family. My you find love through her memory.

Leon (Gilley) Gilleland - March 13, 2017 at 05:57 AM

SW

I loved Zada,! She was always a bright happy flashy lady. We always enjoyed sharing our Rodeo Weekend with her and Dale and a bunch of others. It was the highlight of our year. A great many of that crew were already there and waiting to meet her, and they'll be having quite a reunion. (When you find time, Zada, give my Bob one of your big ol' hugs again!!)

Sue Wilford - March 14, 2017 at 10:30 AM

JE

Our heartfelt condolences to Dale and the family. We loved this lovely lady. She was beautiful inside and out. She will be missed. Larry and Jeanne Mariage

Jeanne - March 15, 2017 at 04:24 PM