



## Mary Therese Johnson

May 30, 1930 - June 14, 2012

Clay Center resident Mary Therese (Johnston) Johnson, 82, died Thursday, June 14, 2012, at Rose Brook Care Center in Edgar, NE.

Rosary will be 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 18, 2012, at McLaughlin Funeral Chapel in Clay Center, NE. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Harvard, NE with Father James Benton officiating. Interment will follow at the Clay Center Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday, from 1 p.m. - 7 p.m., at McLaughlin Funeral Chapel in Clay Center, NE.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Harvard, NE or the Clay Center Senior Center.

Therese was born May 3, 1930, in Concordia, Kansas to Raymond and Viola (Delude) Johnston. She married Carl W. Johnson, Jr. on October 1, 1950. They lived in Concordia, Kansas until they moved to Clay Center, Nebraska in 1972. Therese worked at the Clay Center Village Shoppe for many years.

She was active in the Saint Joseph's Church in Harvard, Nebraska and the Clay Center Senior Center. She enjoyed cross stitching, her grandchildren and her many friends of the Clay Center and Edgar communities.

Therese was survived by her 5 children. Sons, Thomas R. (Jeanne) Johnson of Concordia, Kansas; David W. Johnson of Clay Center, Nebraska; Steven R. (Bren) Johnson of Clay Center; Daughters, Cynthia R (Eddie) Splichal of Munden, Kansas; Susan C. Layton of Amherst, New York; Thirteen grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, brother, Harold "Bo" (Barb) Johnston of Concordia, Kansas and sister, Ann Crosby of Humble, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and 2 brothers James and Gary.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *She was one sweet lady. Fond memories of her live on here in Cincinnati. We were first cousins, but she was 23 years my elder. I remember when I was about 16 and she must have been around 39. I was looking through an old photo album with her and Viola, and came across a picture of her when she was about 16. I commented something along the lines of "You use to be pretty hot". I was set straight that "use to be" was not the correct way to phrase that. I never made that mistake again. Every day I still use the yarn covered clothes hangers that Viola made. It never fails to remind me of where they came from, and thoughts of both of them always bring a smile to my heart. If any of you find yourselves passing through Cincinnati way be sure to look me up. 513-860-9929*

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**Marc Kirby** - April 23, 2016 at 10:41 AM

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“ *Family,  
We are sorry for the passing of your mom, our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of loss.  
Love,  
Brad and Lora*

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**Brad and Lora Johnston** - June 19, 2012 at 06:53 PM