



## Mary Rose Pannell

August 19, 1933 - July 1, 2018

Funeral Service for Mrs. Mary Rose Pannell, 84, of Coleman, Oklahoma will be held on Thursday, July 5, 2018 at 10:00 a. m. in the Coleman Church of Christ with Richard Gage officiating. Interment followed in the Tishomingo Cemetery. Mrs. Pannell passed away on July 1, 2018 at the Mercy Hospital in Tishomingo.

Mary Rose was born on August 19, 1933 in Rock Creek, Oklahoma to Clifton L. Hardy and Vearl (Higginbotham) Hardy. She attended school at Coleman, Francis, Marietta and Wilson before graduating from Clarita High School. She later received a Master's in Education from East Central University in Ada, Oklahoma. Mary Rose married James Donald Pannell on December 31, 1953 in Ada and they have lived in Johnston County for over 50 years. She taught in public schools for over 30 years, mostly in Coleman, but also in Boulder, Montana and Russett, Oklahoma. She taught a variety of subjects including high school business courses and English. Her family, church, and career consumed most of her time, but she also enjoyed family vacations, and watching her family members play sports and perform in school functions. She delighted in family gatherings of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. While going to school she enjoyed playing basketball and was an excellent player. She passed away on July 1, 2018 at the Mercy Hospital in Tishomingo at the age of 84.

She is survived by her husband Don Pannell of the home; three sons, Michael C. Pannell and wife Penny of Coleman; Daniel Pannell and wife Neila

of Overland Park, Kansas and Matthew Pannell and wife Michelle of Blanchard, Oklahoma; two daughters, Donola Battles and husband Mike of Kiowa, Oklahoma and Melissa McDaniel and husband Grant of Coleman; her sister, Betty Hardy of Coleman, Oklahoma; fourteen grandchildren; twenty-five great-grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

Her grandsons served as Pallbearers-James Pannell, Caleb Pannell, Tyler Shipman, Kyle Shipman, Elliott McKinnis, Jay Mauck, James Klabzuba, Dave Thornburg, Josh Densman and Caleb Austin.

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# Tribute Wall



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