



Tressa Lucille Corley

March 14, 1931 - March 3, 2018

Tressa Corley went to be with the Lord on March 3 at the age of 86. She was born in Visalia on March 14, 1931 to Alfred and Lucille Taggart. She attended schools in the area, and worked in the packinghouse of Visalia Citrus in her early years. While skating at the local rink, a young man on leave from the military stole her shoe in order to meet her. On December 13, 1947 Tressa married Marvin Corley, the young man who not only stole her shoe but her heart. They made their home in Visalia, where they would raise their three children. Tressa was a wonderful mom, grandma and great grandmother. She loved to cook, sew and host holiday family dinners. Central to her life was her Christian faith. As a faithful member of Visalia First Assembly of God Church she spent many years volunteering in Sunday School. Her smile, genuine love and giving heart were an inspiration that will be missed by all she touched.

She is survived by her husband of 70 years, Marvin Corley; daughters Ginger (Bob) Lee and Connie Crawford; son Lonnie (Diana) Corley; brother Al "Bud" Taggart and sister Jessie Perry; grandchildren Shawn Corley, Shane Ice, Aaron Lee and Lauren Crawford; 7 Great Grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, March 11, 4-7pm at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel in Visalia. Graveside services will be at Visalia District Cemetery on Monday, March 12 at 10:00am with a luncheon immediately following at the

Visalia Elks Lodge, 3100 W Main St. In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to your favorite charity. Condolences can be made to www.salseranddillard.com

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 East Caldwell
Visalia, CA 93277

Graveside

MAR 12. 10:00 AM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Tressa Lucille Corley*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - March 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ *Marvin and the Corley Family,
I am deeply saddened by the loss of your wonderful, loving wife,
mother and my special friend Tressa.
We are never prepared to lose someone we love, however we have
hop and the wonderful promise that Tressa is resting peacefully in
the arms of our Savior, with no pain and no more sorrow. We too will
meet her at our heavenly home that He has prepared.
May the love of God, family and friends comfort you during this
difficult time and the days that follow.
Please accept my condolences, she will never be forgotten because
she was my very special and loving friend.
I'm so sorry for your loss.*

Love and Prayers,

Bev Patton

Beverly Patton - March 10, 2018 at 04:25 PM

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“ My deepest condolences to Marvin, Lonnie and all of the Corley family. It is reassuring to know that Tressa is more alive today than she's ever been. It was a privilege to have known her. I have great memories of sharing time with Marvin, Tressa and Lonnie at the local watering hole. My thoughts, prayers, and warm wishes are with you during this difficult time. Hugs.

Love,
Dave Wheeler

Dave Wheeler - March 08, 2018 at 11:39 PM

JB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at your time of loss. Tressa was a gracious lady and we will miss her at Corley family gatherings. Janet Blankenship and family

Janet Blankenship - March 07, 2018 at 05:28 PM



Deanna
Owens

“ Uncle Marvin, Ginger, Lonnie & Connie, thinking of you all during your time of loss. Deanna (Spear) Owens

Deanna Owens - March 05, 2018 at 09:45 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Tressa Lucille Corley.



March 04, 2018 at 06:34 PM