



# Jean Saxon Nation

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**P**ERRY -

Erma Jean Saxon Nation passed away unexpectedly at home on December 28, 2019. Jean was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and friend. She was born February 21, 1935, in Elbert County, Georgia, to the late Eddie Frank Saxon and the late Martha Olivia Grimes Saxon. She married her beloved husband, Harold Ward Nation, in June of 1951 and celebrated 67 years of marriage before his death. As a longtime resident of Perry, GA, she was known and loved by the community and spent many years as a bookkeeper for Walker-Rhodes Tractor Company. She loved working in her garden and was always eager to share the labor of her love with her friends and family. Jean will best be remembered for the kindness that she showed to everyone she met and the sacrifices that she made for her family.

Jean is survived by her son, Harold Douglas Nation (Luci) of Perry; her daughters, Alice Gay Nation (Frank Brinkman) of Muncie, IN, and Vickie Carol Graham (Eugene) and Donna Lynne Watson (Julian), both of Perry. Also left to cherish the memories they made with Jean are six grandsons, six great-grandsons, and three great-granddaughters. She is also survived by her siblings, Mildred Burt, Mary Adkins, and Eddie Frank Saxon, Jr. Her wings were ready, but our hearts were not. Funeral Services will be held Monday, December 30, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. in the Chapel at Watson-Hunt Funeral Home. Visitation will be held at 10:00 a.m. Interment will be in Perry Memorial Gardens immediately following the service. Condolences for the family may be left in the online guestbook at [www.watsonhunt.com](http://www.watsonhunt.com). Watson-Hunt Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.



# Events

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## Visitation

- Monday**, December 30, 2019
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Watson - Hunt Funeral Home**  
1208 Main Street, Perry GA 31069



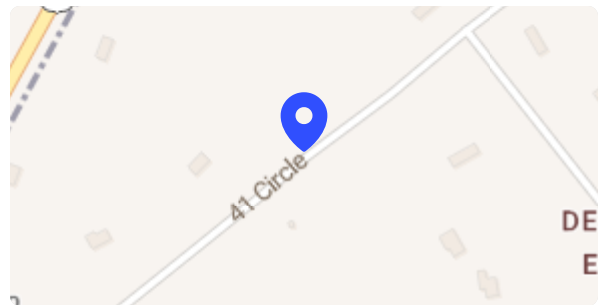
## Funeral

- Monday**, December 30, 2019
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## Cemetery Details

- Perry Memorial Gardens**  
2106 Highway 41 North, Perry GA 31069





## Tribute Wall

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GB

**Gayle, Frank And Brandon Borah** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. So sorry to hear about Mrs. Nation.Gayle, Frank and Brandon BorahByron, Ga

January 5 at 4:02 PM

YG

**Your Extended Family At Gtri.** sent a Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White to the Nation family.



December 30 at 6:52 AM

JA

**Joe Alligood** posted:

Mrs. Jean was a sweet lady always liked her very much and what a loss to this family...so sorry for your Mothers passing one so close your hearts...may she always rest in peace with your Dad...Lord bless this family in the difficult days ahead and Prayers for this family!!

December 29 at 11:28 PM

KS

**Keith & Saralyn Smith** lit a candle in honor of Jean.

Donna, Vickie & Family, I am so sorry to hear of your Mama's passing, I know your hearts are broken. I know all too well how hard it is to lose your sweet Mama unexpectedly. I rejoice & have faith in knowing I will see my parents again when I get to Heaven as will you all. I know your Mama & Daddy had a precious reunion like no other and will be waiting patiently to hug each of you again. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you In the sad & difficult days ahead. Love & Hugs ♥🙏



December 29 at 7:38 PM

EW

**Elaine Wright** posted:

To the Family of Jean Nation, Our Family will share your loss. Mrs. Jean was one Special Part of Our Life. The Boys and I send sympathy to each of you, and the grand children also. Sorry to not have been to see her lately, but she stopped by for a visit a few days ago. We will miss her. Prayers and Blessings-for all. Elaine, Mo,Jess,Ben and Dan Wright.

December 29 at 4:41 PM



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**Brenda Butler** posted:

Mildred, Eddie, and family sorry to hear this. May the Lord give you peace at this time. Love to all Brenda Butler,Crawford

December 29 at 9:22 AM



**Mark Berndt** posted:

I came to know and love Mrs. Nation through her grandson Matt. Whenever Matt and I went to her house if it was supper time she would always invite us to eat supper with them. She was a loving gentle woman as was her late husband Harold. They were kindest people you could meet. She will be greatly missed.Mark Berndt

December 29 at 6:22 AM



**Jim Moody** posted:

I worked with Jean for 10 years. She was one of the nicest people I have ever met. I often thought of Her . Rest In Peace Jean. You will be sorely missed.Jim Moody

December 29 at 12:37 AM



**Linda Goodman** lit a candle in honor of Jean.

Dearest Gay: It was with such sadness that I showed Mother Jean's photos. She's not cognizant of a lot, but she recognized your Mom's smile and said "long ago". Mother was at the Courthouse and Jean at Walker-Rhodes and, I think, in the same Sunday School class. I am grateful for your mom's dear friendship - especially in recognizing Mother's dementia, even during a time when so much was going-on in her own life. I will forever remember her as ALWAYS a Caring and Compassionate Lady. We were blessed with her friendship.

December 28 at 5:44 PM



**Sandra Argo** sent a virtual gift in honor of Jean.

Vickie, I am so sorry for your loss. I will be praying for you and your family. Your mom was a special lady.

December 28 at 3:26 PM





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**Anonymous** sent a Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers to the Nation family.



December 28 at 3:24 PM



**Leelee Murphy Lewis** posted:

Douglas and family, You are in my thoughts and prayers.

December 28 at 3:07 PM



**Faye Watson Lambert** December 30 at 4:31 AM

Rest in peace , prayers for all family and friends



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jean by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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