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THE LIFE OF



JOANNA JESSIE EDWARDS

September 22, 1937 ~ December 30, 2019



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Miss Me But Let Me Go

**When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room
Why cry for a soul set free?**

**Miss me a little-but not too long
And not with your head bowed low
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me-but let me go
For this is a journey that we
all must take
And each must go alone.**

**It's all part of the Master's plan
A step on the road to home
When you are lonely and sick of heart
Go to the friends we know
And bury your sorrows in
doing good deeds
Miss me but let me go.**

Joanna Jessie Edwards, 82, was born September 22, 1937 in Eagan, Tennessee. The daughter of Earnest C. Jessie and Hilda Day Jessie, she departed this life on December 30, 2019.

She was raised in Coal Mountain, W. VA, and graduated from Bailyesville WVA High school in 1955. She moved to Las Vegas, NV in 1960. She was of Baptist faith.

Joanna was united in marriage to J.B. Edwards on September 21, 1962 in Las Vegas, NV. To this union one son was born J.B. Jr. She raised cattle, sheep, and goats. She and her husband moved to Willow Springs, MO in 1989. She loved working with animals.

She was preceded in death by her parents, sons J.B. Jr. and Joel; sisters Nancy Melton of TN, and Joyce Fletcher of GA; brothers Earl Jessie of TX and Raymond Jessie of TN.

She is survived by her husband J.B. Edwards; sister Dorothy Thompson of GA; brothers Arvil Jessie of NC and Curtis Jessie of TN; children Maurine Edwards and James Edwards of CA; and two grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

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