



## Evelyn Demarest

June 18, 1936 - August 1, 2008

### EVELYN DEMAREST

Evelyn Demarest age 72 of Springdale died August 1, 2008 at Fayetteville Health & Rehab. She was born June 18, 1936 in Commerce, Georgia to John William and Clara Bell Houington Archer.

She moved to the Northwest Arkansas area 15 years ago from Louisiana. She was a Food Service worker for Shoney's Restaurants. She was a member of New Hope Baptist Church in Springdale and was an avid reader.

She is survived by three sons; Christopher Ray Demarest and wife Alicia of Springdale, David Demarest of Jackson, Mississippi and Richard Adam Demarest of Little Rock, two daughters, Laretta Ann Harrison and husband Jimmy of Springville, Alabama and Donna Henry and husband Joe of Bryant, Arkansas, one brother Jerry Archer of Commerce, Georgia and one sister Betty Jean Ayres of Commerce, Georgia. Twelve grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in Commerce Georgia by Little-Ward Funeral Home.

Local arrangements are by Sisco Funeral Chapel of Springdale [www.siscofuneral.com](http://www.siscofuneral.com)



# Tribute Wall



“ *Evelyn Demarest*

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“ *To The children of Evelyn,  
I had the pleasure of knowing your mother for a short time while she resided at the Maples Nursing Home.  
My mother was placed there 2/06 and at that time was placed at your mother's table for dinner.  
I would eat with my mother every other night and began a relationship with Evelyn as my mother did not speak. Evelyn was such a delight with her stories of being a "Georgia Peach" and how much she loved living in Georgia.  
As time went on when Evelyn was moved to what probably was her last room at the Maples she was my mother's roommate. I would talk with her about Georgia, help her get ready for dinner and help her to the dining hall.  
When my mother passed away in February Evelyn was soooo sad. She watched over my mother being sure people did not forget her when meal time came around. She would say "I take care of your mother when you are not here".  
My sympathies to you at this time.*

*Patricia McKeown*

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