

Joan Catherine King

Age 82, a resident of West Fork, Arkansas, passed away Saturday, January 15, 2022 in West Fork, Arkansas. She was born April 30, 1939 in LeSueur, Minnesota, the daughter of George and Margaret (McCormick) Busse.

Joan had retired from Tyson Foods/Mexican Original after working there for twenty-three years. She was a loving mother, grandmother, and sister and loved spending time with her family. She also enjoyed arts and crafts as well as gardening.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother George Busse, and five sisters Vivian Welch, Ruth Larson, Verna Brown, Valerie Romig and Georgina Busse.

Survivors include one son David King of West Fork, Arkansas; three daughters Laura King of West Fork, Arkansas, Carolyn Hansen and her husband Tom of Red Boiling Springs, Tennessee, and Janet Laster and her husband Russell of Maumelle, Arkansas; one sister Elaine Wilson of Albuquerque, New Mexico; six grandchildren Courtney Center, Somer Bohannon, Mathew Bohannon, Allyson DuBose and her husband Jeff, Madeline Laster, and Hudson Laster; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Grandma's Special Treats

BANANA BARS

1 C SUGAR	1 EGG
1/2 C SHORTENING	1 1/2 C MASHED BANANAS
1 TSP VANILLA	1 TSP SODA
1 TBSP WARM WATER	1 TSP BAKING POWDER
1 1/2 C FLOUR	LARGE MARSHMALLOWS

ICING:

1 C CONFECTIONERS SUGAR
1/2 C MELTED OLEO
JUICE OF 1 ORANGE

CUT MARSHMALLOWS IN HALF; SET ASIDE. CREAM TOGETHER SUGAR, SHORTENING AND EGG. MIX DRY INGREDIENTS AND ADD TO SUGAR MIXTURE. THEN ADD BANANAS AND MIX. POUR INTO GREASED COOKIE SHEET AND TOP WITH MARSHMALLOWS. BAKE AT 350 DEGREES FOR 25 TO 30 MINUTES. COOL AND THEN FROST.



FRESH APPLE CAKE

4 C CHOPPED APPLES	1 TSP SODA
2 C FLOUR	1/2 TSP CINNAMON
2 C SUGAR	1 TSP VANILLA
1/2 C OIL	1 C CHOPPED WALNUTS
2 EGGS	

MIX ALL INGREDIENTS AND PUT INTO A GREASED AND FLOURED BUNDT CAKE PAN. BAKE 350 DEGREES FOR 45 MINUTES OR UNTIL DONE.

Celebrating LIFE AND MEMORY



Joan Catherine King

APRIL 30, 1939 -
JANUARY 15, 2022



Grandkids



Grandma's Garden



I remember Grandma's garden
The beauty and the grace
Of all the lovely flowers
In that dear, sweet place

I remember Grandma's smile
As she planted, pruned, and tilled
Laboring with love and laughter
As this world with joy she filled

I remember Grandma's patience
When we ran amid the flowers
With her beauty all around us
We would spend those precious hours

I remember Grandma's garden
And I'm happy in the knowing
That when she knelt there in the soil
It wasn't just flowers she was growing

-Erin Kilmer



Family

