



## Mary Moy Johnson

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812-482-4141 Dateline Jasper, IN Mary Moy Johnson, age 91 of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 7:55 p.m. on Thursday (August 7, 2014) at Northwood Retirement Community in Jasper, Indiana. Mary was born on August 2, 1923 in Augusta, Georgia to Leong and Dessie Woo. She had two marriages. Her first marriage was to Vincent Wong Moy. He preceded her in death in 1969. Her second marriage was to Buell Johnson. He preceded her in death in 2003. Mary was the second of eight children and a child of immigrants from Southern China who were industrious grocery store owners in Augusta, Georgia. Inheriting a strong work ethic, she has been the owner of a number of Chinese restaurants with her first husband Vincent Wong Moy. Following his death, she moved from Madison, Indiana to Jasper, Indiana to assist her daughter and son-in-law, Miriam and John Semersheim, to open the first Chinese restaurant in Dubois County, Ming Tree. Even after her "retirement" she worked for ten years for Schneider's Shoe Store earning top sales person for SAS Shoes before marrying her second husband, Buell Johnson, who preceded her in death. A woman of great faith, Mary enjoyed sharing her Christian faith with others and inviting them to her home church, Central Christian Church of Huntingburg. She also enjoyed a very active social life dancing with other "young" singles and living life to its fullest. Surviving,

Three Daughters;

Mary VanHoy, Indianapolis, IN Miriam Sermersheim and her husband John Michael Sermersheim, Bloomington, IN

Rebecca Falkenberg and her husband Randy, Atlanta, GA

Two Sons;

Paul Wong, Milwaukee, WI

Thomas Moy, Greenwood, IN

Eleven Grandchildren

Seven Great-Grandchildren

Two Sisters

Esther Quan, Houston, TX

Daisy Brazzeal, Atlanta, GA Preceding her in death besides her two husbands was one son, James Moy. A Celebration of Life Service for Mary Moy Johnson will be held at 12:00 Noon on Monday (August 11, 2014) at Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper, IN, with burial to follow at Fairview Cemetery in Jasper, IN. Pastor Craig Taylor will officiate. Friends may call from 10:00 a.m. until Noon before services on (August 11, 2014) at Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper, IN. Memorial contributions may be made to the Central Christian Church of Huntingburg. Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Moy Johnson*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Miriam & John, Our thoughts & prayers are with you at this time of your grieving. Love,  
Oscar & Sally*

**Sally & Oscar Stewart** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Miriam & John: Cappy and I send our heartfelt condolences to you personally and to your entire family. We hope you find peace and comfort knowing your mom now rests in the arms of her beloved Lord.*

**Mary & Sal Capobianco** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our sincere condolences to Aunt Mary's family. She will be remembered for her wonderful personality and zest for life .....She will be missed! Our thoughts are with you.....Sue and Douglas Woo*

**Sue & Douglas Woo** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Sermersheims and all of Mary's family, we are so sorry for your loss. Jon & Emily Bryant and family*

**Emily Weikert Bryant** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *Miriam: I am so sorry for the loss of your Mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Kathy Taylor Stark** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *Dear friends, We just saw Mary's obituary and were so sorry to read about her passing. We just wanted to let you know that we loved your mom very much and that she will be truly missed by us. She was one of our mother's oldest and truest friend! Please know that we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Please let us know if there is anything that we can do for your family. Love, Jennifer, Gay and Greg Jeffries*

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**Jennifer Jeffries** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ *Miriam & John,  
Our most sincere condolences to you on your loss. Each day that passes the pain will subside a bit, but will never go away completely. I hope that with each memory you have a smile along with the tear. Bob & Sheri*

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**Bob & Sheri Reeves** - August 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

FW

“ *We are so sorry for loss of your beloved mother, grandmother, mentor and lifetime friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and family. With deep sympathy, Fengyi and Wei-ming*

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**Fengyi and Wei-ming** - August 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *My sincere condolences to Mary's family. May God bless all of you and comfort you in your sorrow.*

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**Margaret Smith** - August 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ *Miriam and John: We will be out of town for a few days and unable to pay our respects in person. I also don't have your new address. We send our deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your mother, Sincerely, Gloria and Rich Merder*

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**Gloria and Rich Merder** - August 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM