



# Marjorie Massey (Lebanon)

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**M**arjorie Lorene Massey, daughter of Charles and Niza Cloninger Allen, was born June 13, 1918, near Nebo, Missouri. She departed this life Friday, September 14, 2012, in her home, in Lebanon, Missouri, at the age of ninety-four years, three months, and one day.

On August 5, 1938, she was united in marriage to Sherman VanBuren Massey, and to this union two daughters and two sons were born.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Sherman, on June 21, 1996; two brothers, Herbert and Marvin; two sisters, Fern, and Lois; and a son-in-law, Charles Myers.

Marjorie is survived by two daughters, Marline Myers, of Lynchburg, Missouri, and Sherline Wade, and her husband, Ormsby, of Plato, Missouri; two sons, Stanley Massey, and his wife, Bette, of Odessa, Missouri, and Clarence Massey, and his wife, Mary, of DeBary, Florida; nine grandchildren, Cheryl, Mark, Bryan, Jonathan, Sherry, Susan, Jim, James, and Karen; twenty great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

She was born and raised in the Nebo, Missouri community, and graduated Salutatorian of her class at Plato High School. After she and Sherman were married, they made their home in the Falcon and Nebo area and lovingly raised their children. In addition to being a devoted homemaker to her husband and family, Marjorie had also worked at the Laclede County Courthouse, the Farm Bureau, and at Fort Leonard Wood. For most of the last fourteen years, she had made her home with her brother in Ozark, Missouri.

Marjorie was a long time member of New Home Freewill Baptist Church near Falcon, and since moving to Ozark, Missouri, she had attended Selmore Baptist Church.

In her spare time she enjoyed crocheting, knitting, and music. She played a little on



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several different instruments and the last song she played was “One Day at a Time”. She also was an avid reader and enjoyed using the computer. Her family was very important to her, and she especially enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Marjorie was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, and was a caring neighbor and friend. We celebrate her life and know that her family and friends will cherish the wonderful memories she created for them during her lifetime.



# Events

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### Visitation

**Tuesday**, September 18, 2012

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM CT

**Holman-Howe Funeral Homes Lebanon**  
320 S. Adams Ave, Lebanon MO 65536



### Service

**Wednesday**, September 19, 2012

10:00 AM CT

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### Cemetery Details

**New Home Cemetery near Falcon, Mo.**  
Falcon MO 65470





## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** sent a Love's Journey to the Massey (Lebanon) family.



September 18 at 8:57 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

I met Marjorie several years ago through Selmore Baptist Church. Her brother, Marvin, told me I should come to their house to meet her because she loved music and I was a novice banjo player. It was such a delight to meet Marjorie and play music with her and Marvin. Marjorie was such a beautiful woman in spirit and her smile and positive attitude were contagious. Although I only made a handful of visits there, those memories are stamped in my mind and I feel blessed to have made her acquaintance.

September 17 at 11:28 AM



**Cindi Carey** posted:

What a wonderful spirit Marjorie had. She always had a kind word and smile for you. Going to miss her here but, looking forward to seeing her again!

September 17 at 11:24 AM



**Melissa Sixkiller** posted:

Marjorie and her brother, Marvin, were both wonderful, Godly people. I had known Marvin & his wife, Zelda, for over 30 years, had the privilege of working with Marvin the 2-1/2 years prior to his passing and had the privilege of being a neighbor to Marvin & Marjorie in Ozark. I wish I had visited with them much more often than I did, as Marjorie was a joy to visit with. She was a very talented musician and even tried to teach my daughter some chords on the guitar and banjo. Another great saint has joined God in heaven! Melissa Sixkiller, Selmore Baptist Church

September 17 at 8:43 AM



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DD

**Dennis Dye** posted:

We loved Marjorie and Sherman like second parents. We have so many loving memories of them both. Sherman helping us work livestock and the fish fries we had together. My daughter and son thought alot of them. Marjorie will be greatly missed. She had a sweet smile and laugh that everyone loved to see and hear. Jesus has another angel with him smiling down on us.Dennis and Vickie Dye Waynesville, Mo.

September 17 at 8:31 AM

DB

**Diana Brice Borkenhagen** posted:

I always came away from visiting Marjorie with a smile on my face, knowing I'd just been with a truly Godly woman that shared her family, her music and her love of the Lord with me. My condolences to all. Diana Brice Borkenhagen (Selmore Baptist Church Shut In Ministry 2008)

September 17 at 7:46 AM

PH

**Phil And Rose Hall** posted:

My prayers and thoughts go to Marjorie's family: Marline, Cheryl, Karen, Ormsby, Sherline, Bryan, Jonathan, and Thelma and all other family. We knew her family better than we knew her here at Selmore Baptist, but when I saw her I always thought about her grandchildren and how proud she must be of all of them. Phil and I are thinking of you at this time as you say a temporary goodbye to a precious Saint. Rose and Phil Hall

September 17 at 7:16 AM



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DW

**Dennis & Brenda Wods** lit a candle in honor of Marjorie.

Our condolences to the family of Marjorie. She was a wonderful and Godly woman who will be missed tremendously. She had the sweetest little giggle and was such an encourager. We will cherish the memories of Majorie and her brother Marvin and his wife Zelda. They were all such a spiritual influence and we praise God for allowing us to cross paths. We look forward to those paths crossing again! Praying for you during this difficult loss. Dennis & Brenda Woods



September 17 at 6:42 AM

PH

**Phil And Rose Hall** September 17 at 7:22 AM

I left a condolence, but I don't see it, so I'll try here. I want to send our thoughts and prayers to Thelma, Marline, Ormsby and Sherline, Cheryl, Karen, Bryan, and Jonathan. Marjorie must have been very proud of all of you. Phil and I were pleased to get to know her a little at Selmore, and we know the family will look forward to seeing this Christian Saint again.

MS

**Mark Massey's Staff** lit a candle in honor of Marjorie.



September 17 at 3:52 AM

CL

**Carla Long** posted:

This summer, while I was visiting my parents, I got to learn some really wonderful things about my Aunt Marjorie and her siblings. It seems they had their own band of sorts and all of them were able to play a musical instrument. They all got together and jammed for entertainment. I never did get to see them perform in this world, but I am really looking forward to hearing them when we all arrive in heaven. Thank you, Stanley, for sharing that with me.

September 15 at 10:46 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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