



# Anita Creel Dryman

June 29, 1946 - April 28, 2026

ANITA CREEL DRYMAN, AGE 79

And a resident of the Clifton Community passed away Tuesday night April 28, 2026 at her home. She was born in Mount Hermon on June 29, 1946. Anita owned a dairy, alongside her family, for many years and also milked for other dairyman around the area. She liked fishing and boat-riding in her earlier years, Anita enjoyed watching her favorite westerns and cooking shows on TV and she loved cooking for her family, with lasagna and chicken 'n sausage gumbo being some of their favorites.

Survived by:

2 Sons: Randy Riley,  
Scott Riley both of Clifton

Grandchildren: Ervin Esco McNear,  
Jordan McNear,  
Bradley Christensen,  
Sasha McNear

Sister: Glenda Givens

Sisters in law: Jackie Smith,  
Charlotte June Bradford,  
Jonell Molaski

Nephews: Lucas and Angie Bradford,  
Mark and Cindy Givens and their families

Special Friends: Brenda and Tony Vanover,  
Ray Warren, Chrishelle and Chasty,

Joe Delouise

Also numerous other nieces, nephews and other family members

She was preceded in death by her husband of 38 years Paul Ervin Dryman, parents Bill Creel and Mae Fisher Creel, sister Emma Lou Smith, brother Bobby Joe Smith, daughter in law Candi Clark, father in law and mother in law Todd and Doris Dryman, special friend Ella Mae Warren and other family members.

A graveside funeral service will be held at 11:00 am Saturday May 2nd in the Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery with Rev. Jerry Terrell officiating.

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ *when I was down and out, needing a friend it was Nita Louise and Paul Dryman who told me I could stay as long as it took to get back on my feet.*

joe - May 01 at 12:27 AM

CB

“ *My sister-n-law. A great person to know. She always cooked and fed everyone. She lov d life. I will miss her so much.*

Charlotte Bradford - April 30 at 01:07 PM

RJ

“ *Randy, Scott and Joe purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Anita Creel Dryman.*



Randy, Scott and Joe - April 29 at 03:04 PM