



## Janet Stratton

August 1, 1922 - October 3, 2017

Janet Joyce Ollerton Stratton  
1922-2017

Our beloved mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt and friend Janet Joyce Ollerton Stratton passed away on October 3rd at age 95. She will be greatly missed.

Janet was born to Preston Ollerton and Zina Guthrie Ollerton on August 1, 1922 in Tempe Arizona. She was the second of four children. They were raised on a ranch, which she loved, outside of Tempe. As a young girl Janet enjoyed playing with her brothers and was especially delighted when for her 5th birthday her parents gave her an often requested gift of a baby sister named Shirley.

After graduating from high school, Janet left Arizona to attend college at Brigham Young University. While there she got a degree in Elementary Education but more importantly she met and fell in love with her eternal companion Franklin K Stratton. They were sealed in the Mesa Temple December 27th, 1943.

Frank and Janet established their home in Orem, Utah. There they farmed, taught school and raised their wonderful children. Janet was a devoted homemaker and an excellent housekeeper, cook, and seamstress. She was a loyal member of the LDS church, serving in many positions. The highlight of her church service was as a missionary with her husband in Madrid, Spain. She was also active in the community, working as a librarian and helping to design and build the library at Sharon Elementary School in Orem.

Janet loved her pets, her doll collection, her flower garden, and to read (especially children's books). Frank and Janet created a strong family unit and provided countless opportunities for their family to get together and enjoy one another and the outdoors. Janet was preceded in death by her parents, brothers, her husband Frank, and three of her children, Frankie, Kerry, & Lori. She is survived by her daughters, Carol (Samuel) Yadon, Susan (Dennis) Harding, Janet (Alma) Schurig, David (Joan) Stratton, and Steven

Stratton and 22 grandchildren, 64 great grandchildren, and 1 great great grandchild.

Funeral Services will be held Wednesday, October 11th at 11:00 am at the Orchard Stake Center, 810 East 600 North, Orem, Utah, where a Viewing will be held prior from 9:30 to 10:30 am. Interment in Orem City Cemetery.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

# Cemetery

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## Orem City Cemetery

1520 North 800 East  
Orem, UT, 84097

# Events

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**OCT 11** **Viewing** 09:30AM - 10:30AM

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Orem Orchard Stake Center  
810 East 600 North, Orem, UT, US

**OCT 11** **Funeral Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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Orem Orchard Stake Center  
810 East 600 North, Orem, UT, US

# Comments

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“ I met this amazing lady when i was married to her son David she was the most kind harded lady her family was so awesome loving kind i would stop n and visit her when i was n Orem and she always treated me the same very loving !

**Teresa Stratton** - December 20, 2017 at 05:31 PM

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“ I first met Janet as Hermana Stratton in Spain when we were both new missionaries. She and Frank both were a huge support to our little LDS branch. She fed us missionaries at holidays and many other times, giving us a touch of home. And we taught the Branch Primary kids and neighbor kids too. Then I got to work for Tour West after my mission during my BYU years. They are a great family and I loved knowing Janet in Spain and in Utah. She was a great support to Frank in all his endeavors and they both were examples I will always remember. I'm sorry for all of you losing Janet here, but I imagine Frank is overjoyed to have Janet by his side again.

**Tonya** - October 08, 2017 at 07:51 PM

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“ What a wonderful woman. A super kind person. An example for everyone. We worked in the Ward library together for five years. She worked so very hard to have all the Primary materials ready and going for Sunday. From Kelly Long

**Kelly Long** - October 07, 2017 at 10:31 AM

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“ Your mom was indeed a wonderful woman. She was always so kind to me when I would come over to your house. You definitely were born of goodly parents. Loved both your mom and dad.

**Susan Fairbanks Horne** - October 05, 2017 at 11:15 PM