



## Delores Johnston Belous

*July 12, 1941 - June 22, 2021*

Delores Johnston Belous of Fairview, Texas passed away on June 22, 2021 at the age of 79. She was born on July 12, 1941 to Arthur and Mary (Bolte) Ollenburger in El Dorado, Kansas. Delores graduated from Durham High School in Durham, Kansas. She earned her associates degree in Cosmetology, and she attended Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas. Delores worked in Topeka, Kansas at Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas for over 30 years until her retirement. She was a fashionista, wine connoisseur, social butterfly, and life of the party. Delores was the beloved matriarch of her family. She was a member of Hope Lutheran Church Missouri Synod in Topeka, Kansas.

She is survived by her companion, Bill Belous; children, Mary Cooper and husband, Lloyd of Fairview, Texas, Micheal Johnston of McKinney, Texas, Kim Sumpter and husband, Bob of Topeka, Kansas, Tony Johnston and wife, Cheri of Topeka, Kansas, Eddie Johnston and fiancé, Patricia of Topeka, Kansas; grandchildren, Emily, Aprilynn, Jeremy, Cody, Justin, Alex, Michael, Caleb, Joshua, Raeahna, Zoie, Zion; great-grandchildren, Ian, Owen, Violet, Phoebe, Zoey, Azale, Hazel, Ryla, Madison, Levi, Zack, Kaiyleana, Lily, Silas, Joseph, Jeremy Ray, Jaiyden and Abigail; sister-in-law, Doris Ollenburger; numerous nieces, nephews and other loving relatives.

Delores was preceded in death by her parents, Art and Mary; husband, Ray Johnston; sons, Michael A. Johnston and Mark Belous; brothers, Robert and Dean Ollenburger.

Family and friends are invited to the funeral home on Thursday, June 24, 2021 to pay their respects and to sign the register book.

A funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, June 25, 2021 at Turrentine-Jackson-Morrow Funeral Home, 2525 Central Expressway North, Allen, Texas 75013. The family will receive friends 1 hour prior at the funeral home.

Interment will be held at Memorial Park Cemetery in Topeka, Kansas.

The funeral service will also be live streamed at 10:00 a.m., Friday, June 25, 2021 at [TJMfuneral.com](https://celebrationoflife.tv/blog/delores-johnston-belous) on Delores' obituary page by clicking on the following link: <https://celebrationoflife.tv/blog/delores-johnston-belous>. After the service,

the recorded live stream will be available for viewing at the same link location.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation North Texas Chapter at [www.cff.org/north-texas](http://www.cff.org/north-texas).

## Memorials

*My friend, Gary Day, was a very good friend of your Mom's. They worked at Blue Cross Blue Shield together for many years. He also knew your Dad. When Gary's wife, Gloria, passed away in February, 2012, your Mom sent a note that really meant a lot to him. I just wanted you to know that he valued her friendship through the years. Gary passed away in February, 2020. I am so sorry for your loss. You're in my thoughts and prayers.*

**NANCY AMES, JUNE 27, 2021**

*I am so sorry to hear of Delores passing. She was just a beautiful woman inside and out. I worked with her at BCBS and she was as you say a fashionista. She always looked great and was as sweet as she could be. Her family is in my thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Deb Morton*

**DEB MORTON, JUNE 26, 2021**

*Dearest family of Delores, I loved Delores as I worked with her for a time at Steinmart. She was the epitome of fashion and grace, and most of all kindness. She was a beautiful soul, always positive and such an encouraging person. I always wanted to see how she was dressed because it was such a treat to see what she could put together. She was immensely talented and I was blessed to know her. Psalm 116:15*

**NANCY STOOPS, JUNE 25, 2021**

*So sorry about your mom! It is so hard to lose parents especially this way. It sounds like she really made an impact on everyone she met. We miss you at Heritage Ranch.*

**JO PUMMILL, JUNE 25, 2021**

*Dear Mary, Lloyd, Emily, Tyler, Ian and Owen, Mike and I are so sorry for your loss. Your mother, grandmother, great grandmother was such a vivacious and loving woman. It was such a pleasure to have meet her and have a change to*

*get to know her. Although it's been a while since we last saw her, one thing was sure, how much she loved her family. Peace be with you. Lynn and Mike Geach*

**LYNN GEACH, JUNE 25, 2021**

*Mary and family, We were so sorry to hear of Delores' passing. Our hearts and prayers are with each of you as you grieve the loss of a great woman. While we wish she could have stayed on this earth forever, find comfort in knowing that she is with Him, free of illness and pain. With our love, Charles, Brian, Lisa, Amy, Ashley and Morgan*

**VERUS WEALTH ADVISORS, JUNE 24, 2021**

*Delores was a wonderful lady and friend. We always enjoyed sitting with her at the Overture social events and sharing great memories. We will especially miss her smiling face.*

**NANCY & JIM O'NEILL, JUNE 24, 2021**

*What a precious and beautiful lady. She will truly be missed.*

**JERI TOLBERT, JUNE 24, 2021**

*Mary, Michael, Bill and family, We met sweet beautiful classy fun loving Delores when Dick and I moved to Overture in March 2020. She and I instantly had a friendship that felt like we knew each other for years. All the times we saw her she looked so classy. Dick would always compliment her on how pretty she looked and she always did. We sat many times having a glass of wine, talking and laughing with she and Bill. She always had restaurant recommendations, we will miss that! Love you Delores and may you Rest In Peace and hurt no more. Diana & Dick Bergman*

**DIANA BERGMAN , JUNE 24, 2021**

*I have only known Delores a short while, but those of us at Overture loved her warm smile and genuine warmth. She was always impeccably dressed and loved and accepted everyone. She will be missed.*

**DEE NEUKRANZ, JUNE 24, 2021**

*Will miss her. She was always so gracious to me and was the perfect hostess. I always told her I never saw her in the same outfit more than once and she*

*would laugh. Will miss you Delores. Now be a "fashionista" in heaven.*

**JOYCE ROSTA, JUNE 24, 2021**

*Delores was a very dear friend. A true bright light in our lives. We love and miss her.*

**PAUL & ANN-MARIE ST. JEAN, JUNE 24, 2021**

*You did a outstanding job in raising your son, Michael, into an amazing man. I love him so very dearly and for this I will be grateful for you always...Lisa*

**LISA S RAMSEY, JUNE 23, 2021**

*I am saddened by the news of Delores' passing. She was the first friend I made in McKinney and we had many adventures together. She struggled because of her health issues. Hopefully she now is at peace. My prayers are with her and her family.*

**JANET FARR, JUNE 23, 2021**

*Delores was such a beautiful, wonderful lady. She always inspired me to try a little bit harder. She was compassionate and thoughtful and I considered her a true friend. I just met her when I moved into Overture in April '20, but she immediately charmed me with her true friendship and caring attitude. I had hoped we would be friends for a very long time. I will miss her greatly.*

**ELIZABETH CARSKADDEN, JUNE 23, 2021**

*Dear Mike, Mary and family, you all are in my thoughts this week. I pray that you hold the memories close and share a few laughs and stories remembering your mother. She was an amazing lady and she is cherished in our memories. God bless you.*

**MARK AND SARAH MENDENHALL, JUNE 23, 2021**

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