Elizabeth Ann Poe Zumwalt went to her heavenly home on September 08, 2013 after several months of ill health. Ann was born July 19, 1928 in Baxter Springs, Kansas to Homer Lee Burress and Velma Elizabeth (Conley) Burress and had attended schools in Granby, MO.

Ann and John Harvey Poe were married in 1945 in Granby, Missouri. Their first son John Harvey Poe, Jr. was born in 1945, following by their second son Alan Lee Poe in 1947 and their daughter Andrea Delice Poe Grissom in 1952. John and Ann lived in the Granby and Joplin area their entire life. John preceded Ann in death in 1995.

On Valentines Day in 1999, Ann married Melvin Zumwalt in Joplin, MO. They were both very active at the Joplin Senior Center, enjoying dances, spending time with friends and playing games of dominoes, bowling or pool. Ann was a Christian and was a member of Southside Apostolic Faith Church in Joplin, MO.

Ann was preceded in death by her parents, her husband John Poe in 1995, daughter Andrea Poe Grissom in 2011, young son John Poe, Jr. in 1948 and her brother Billy Lee Burress in 2005.

Ann is survived by her husband Melvin Zumwalt, Joplin; a son, Alan Poe and wife, Linda, Toledo, Ohio; step-sons, Bill Zumwalt and wife, Lynne, Joplin Missouri; Jack Zumwalt and wife Mary, Chiang Mai, Thailand and a sister, Barbara (Sug) McCullah, Granby, Missouri. She is also survived by 12 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild and several nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Ann will be missed by all who loved her, but we rejoice in knowing that she is no longer in pain and is enjoying her well-deserved eternal reward.