

**Branson, Nancy Denise** | 1946-2011  
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Funeral for Nancy Denise Branson, 65, of Newark was Oct. 14 at The Hills Church of Christ in North Richland Hills with Tim Hogan officiating. Burial followed at Aurora Cemetery. Branson died Saturday, Oct. 8, 2011, in Alvord. Born May 18, 1946, in Indiana to Daniel Bruce and Urzela Elmira (Edwards) Whitesell, she married John Edward Branson May 30, 1967, in West LaFayette, Ind. She was a member of the Red Hat Society and The Hills Church of Christ. Branson is survived by son Robert Branson and wife, Chansomatha “Kristi,” of Newark; brother Bud Whitesell of Terre Haute, Ind.; sister Pat Rippee of San Francisco; and grandchildren Aydan and Zoe Branson. Pallbearers were David Johnson, Jason Bond, Larry Dixon, Don Bassham, Carl Sisk and Jim Withers.