

Mamie "Peanut" Johnson pitcher / infield Batted right hand threw right hand

Born in Ridgeway. S.C. on September 27 1935. She began playing baseball at a very early age. While living in New York she was studying engineering and medicine at New York University. She would eventually move to Washington D.C. and played semi-pro baseball with Alexandria All-Stars, St. Cyprians and other sandlot teams. In 1953 she was signed by the Indianapolis Clowns of the Negro American League where she pitched and also saw action as an utility infielder until 1955. She compiled win-loss records of 11-3 in 1953, 10-1 in 1954 and 12-4 in 1955 while maintaining a batting average of .262 to .284. After ending her baseball career, she completed nursing school becoming a licensed nurse for nearly 30 years.