



## Anna Lou (Prater) Morris

January 1, 1932 - January 15, 2019

Services for Anna Lou Prater Morris will be held on Friday, January 18, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. in the Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Eddie Smart officiating. Burial will follow at Tyler Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Anna crossed the veil to her heavenly life January 15, 2019, at age 87, surrounded by her loving family. She was born January 1, 1932 in Montague County, Texas, the youngest child born to William Henry Prater and Anna Belle Ratliff Prater. At age 12, after the death of her father, the family moved to Bowie, TX where she graduated from Bowie High School. After a brief career as a telephone operator, she moved to Dallas and took a job at an insurance company. A co-worker introduced her to Otto Morris Jr., who she married April 18, 1953. They remained married for 32 years until his death in 1985. In 1975, the family moved to Tyler. She was a wife, mother, homemaker, caregiver and worked over a thousand volunteer hours at Trinity Mother Frances and East Texas Medical Center Hospitals.

Anna is preceded in death by her husband, parents and eight siblings. She is survived by her son, Phillip Morris (Wendy) of Ben Wheeler; daughter, Karen Morris Mills (Keith) of Ben Wheeler; two granddaughters, Jennifer Mills of Tyler and Savanna Morris of Ben Wheeler; one great-granddaughter, Gwendolyn Vermillion of Tyler; two sisters-in-law, Bettie Prater of Bowie, TX

and Shirley Prater of Georgetown, TX; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation is scheduled from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. on Friday, January 18, 2019 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

# Cemetery Details

## Tyler Memorial Park

12053 SH 64 West  
Tyler, TX 75704

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home  
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy  
Tyler, TX 75703  
(903) 581-2008

## Service

JAN 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Anna Lou (Prater) Morris*



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**Stewart Family Funeral Home** - January 18, 2019 at 03:01 PM

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“ *Ingersoll Rand Engineering team purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Anna Lou (Prater) Morris.*



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**Ingersoll Rand Engineering team** - January 18, 2019 at 10:52 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Anna Lou (Prater) Morris.*



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January 16, 2019 at 08:34 PM

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“ *From your Kinzler Family in Tyler purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Anna Lou (Prater) Morris.*



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**From your Kinzler Family in Tyler** - January 16, 2019 at 03:11 PM