



Avalene Marie Stafford

June 13, 1925 - April 22, 2013

Requiem Mass for Avalene Marie Stafford, 87, of Flint, will be held on Friday, May 3, 2013 at 10:00 AM at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Flint with Father Timothy Kelly officiating.

Mrs. Stafford passed away Monday, April 22, 2013 in Tyler.

She was born June 13, 1925 in Denver, Colorado to Alphonse L. and Anna Louise Gertler Salazar.

Avalene was a member of St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Flint. She graduated from Huntington Park High School and attended Woodbury College.

She held the position of payroll supervisor for Walker Scott Corporation for 23 years. Avalene was Treasurer of Sun Lakes Women's Association in Sun Lakes, Arizona and President of Boosters Club for men's slow pitch baseball team. She also established and coordinated the prayer line for St. Mary Magdalene Parish. Avalene considered her greatest accomplishment in life as raising five children.

Mrs. Stafford was preceded in death by her parents.

She is survived by her loving family including husband, Gordon "Boyd" Stafford; sons, Christopher Lee Stafford, Stephen Michael Stafford and wife Gael and Mark Lynn Stafford and wife Ginger; daughters, Carol Marie Kelly and husband Regan and Kathy Ann Stafford and husband David; grandchildren, Colin Henry Stafford, Keirstin Ann Stafford, Kara Elizabeth Stafford, Jesse Lowell Stafford, Sarah Marie Kelly, Kyle Regan Kelly, Conor

Michael Kelly, Britt Emily Stafford, Wyatt David Stafford and Reagan Marie Stafford.

Visitation is scheduled from 6:00 to 7:00 PM on Thursday, May 2, 2013 immediately followed by a Rosary at 7:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

If desired, memorials may be made to St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church Building Fund, 18221 FM 2493, Flint, Texas 75762

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

MAY 2. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Requiem Mass

MAY 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St Mary Magdalene Catholic Church
18221 FM 2493
Flint, TX 75762
(903) 894-7647

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Avalene Marie Stafford.* ”



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