



## Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch

December 28, 1930 - October 9, 2022

Services for Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch, “Grannie Annie,” will be held Tuesday, Oct. 18, 2022, at 10 a.m. at Southern Oaks Baptist Church in Tyler, Texas with Dr. Brandon Holiski and Dr. Bill Skaar officiating. Burial will be at Perrin Memorial Gardens in Perrin, Texas at 4 p.m. She was born December 28, 1930, in Perrin, Texas to “Luke” and Lois Johnson. “Reborn” on August 12, 1942. She went to her heavenly home on October 9, 2022.

Mrs. Bunch graduated from Perrin High School in 1948 after playing varsity volleyball for 4 years and softball at 2nd and 3rd base. She graduated with a degree in teaching from Texas Woman’s University in 1951. Barbara Ann began her teaching career in Crosbyton, Tx. She also taught in Dallas and Palmer before moving to Grand Prairie in 1963 where she taught for 25 years, 24 of those years spent in the same 5th grade classroom at Ben Milam Elementary from where she retired in 1990. During her years of teaching, she was twice selected as Teacher of the Year, one year competing against her two daughters who also taught in Grand Prairie. Mrs. Bunch served on many professional committees and worked to make the school district a better place. She held life memberships in Texas State Teacher’s Association and PTA.

For many years, she was an active member of First Baptist Church in Grand Prairie and sang with the Serendipity Singers. She was currently a member of

Southern Oaks Baptist Church where she also sang with the My Tribute Choir. She was loved by her Sunday School class and many members of the congregation where she was well known as “Grannie Annie.”

Mrs. Bunch is survived by her loving family, including daughters, Margaret Annette Cook and husband, Vincent Cook, of Arlington Tx, Teresa Garrett and husband, Tony Garrett, of Tyler, Tx.; grandchildren, Kyle Terrell and wife, Heather, of Keller, Texas, Cpl. Kevin Terrell and wife, Katie, of Tacoma, Washington, Dr. Kollin Terrell and wife, Remey, of Arlington, Texas, and Taylor Garrett Rath and husband, Hunter Rath, of Flint, Texas; 5 great-grandchildren and seven nieces and nephews.

Visitation is scheduled from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Monday, October 17, 2022 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7527 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

If desired, memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, Tx ([www.hospiceofeasttexas.org](http://www.hospiceofeasttexas.org)).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

OCT 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Southern Oaks Baptist Church  
601 E. Amherst Dr.  
Tyler, TX 75701

## Graveside Service

OCT 18. 4:00 PM (CT)

Perrin Memorial Gardens Cemetery  
Back Cemetery Road  
Perrin, TX 76486

# Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch



Stewart Family Funeral Home - October 14, 2022 at 10:01 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Life Tributes



Stewart Family Funeral Home - October 17, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ Steve & Fran, Maureen purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch.



Steve & Fran, Maureen - October 17, 2022 at 12:02 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch.*



October 15, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *76 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Stewart Family Funeral Home** - October 14, 2022 at 09:59 AM



“ *From Brian, Nancy, Mack and Sam purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch.*



**From Brian, Nancy, Mack and Sam** - October 13, 2022 at 09:22 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch.*



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October 12, 2022 at 08:49 AM



“ *Praise the Lord as we know that your dear Mother and our beloved friend is with our Savior! I pray that God will wrap His loving arms around you Teresa and Annette and your families. We love Y'all and are praying for you 🙏❤️*

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**D'Ann Frank** - October 11, 2022 at 10:04 PM



“ *Guin Johnson lit a candle in memory of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch*



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**Guin Johnson** - October 11, 2022 at 05:07 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Johnson Bunch.*



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October 11, 2022 at 02:43 PM

JF

“ Oh Annette and Teresa my heart is broken!! I loved Ann so much we shared many wonderful times. Some at TSCW and some later on. I will never forget when we visited you all in Denver--the rain was pouring but we had an unforgettable lunch of McDonalds. I am so sorry that life turned out as it did. She will always be a member of our family. You both are in my prayers!!!

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**Joy Finley** - October 11, 2022 at 10:53 AM

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“ Annette, Teresa and families I am so sorry to hear of your Mom's death. Mrs. Bunch as I called her, was my son's 5th grade teacher. I was her room Mother and so enjoyed working with her. I always was happy to see the posts you did that included her. She always treated me with much respect and I knew she loved my child. She will be missed by all who knew her. With love and prayers.

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**Grace** - October 10, 2022 at 08:57 PM

 Patty  
Kerr

“ I have fond memories of Ann at Inglewood Baptist Church in Grand Prairie. She was always a hoot on the senior adult trips I was able to go on as support staff. She left a mark on so many lives and will be missed. Patty Busby Kerr

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**Patty Kerr** - October 10, 2022 at 07:20 PM