



Betty Harris

July 30, 1936 - June 7, 2005

Services for Betty Lou Harris, 68, New Chapel Hill, are scheduled for 3:00 P.M., Thursday, June 9, 2005, at Stewart Family Funeral Chapel with Rev. Mike Ford officiating. Burial will be in Bascom Cemetery under direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mrs. Harris passed away Tuesday, June 7, 2005 at Hospice of East Texas. She was born to the late John D. and Maudie Beddingfield Jacobs on July 30, 1936 in Liberty, Texas. Mrs. Harris lived in the Chapel Hill area most of her life. She retired as a nurse, was past PTA President in Chapel Hill, and was a member of Bethel Baptist Church. She took care of many relatives in her home through the years. She and her husband loved to travel to the hill country. She loved to sew being an excellent seamstress, loved to cook especially for family during special events, and enjoyed working in her yard. She will always be remembered as a devoted wife and mother. She was preceded in death by her parents. Her surviving family includes husband of almost 50 years, Cecil Harris of New Chapel Hill; children, William "Bud" Harris and wife, Thresa, Jayne Gandy and husband, Doyle, Riley Harris and wife, Elaine and Matt Harris and wife, Vicki all of New Chapel Hill; eleven grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren; sisters, Opal Pendergast of Jasper, Verna Norris of Lindale and Jo Alice Westberry of New Harmony; brother, John T. Jacobs of Mount Ida, Arkansas. Pallbearers are her grandsons, William Gandy, Justin Abernathy, Jeremy Mullens, Wayne Keller, Chase Harris and Trey Harris. The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 P.M. Wednesday at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville

Hwy., south Tyler, 75703. Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, 75701. For more information, visit www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ I am sorry for your loss. As you know I thought the world of Aunt Betty. She & the rest of the Harris family were the influence that a young misguided teenager needed to turn his life around. Thank you for being the Loving caring person that we all know you were. You will be missed deeply by this Nephew.

Tommy Jacobs - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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“ My Deepest Sympathy to the family

Paul T. Stringham - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM