



Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett

September 7, 1949 - March 28, 2015

Memorial services for Bob and Debbie Rockett, ages 70 and 65 respectively, of Tyler will be held on Thursday, April 2, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. at Green Acres Baptist Church with Pastor David Dykes officiating. Visitation will be following the service in the church foyer.

A private burial at Tyler Memorial Cemetery in Tyler, Texas, will precede the memorial service under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockett passed away on Saturday, March 28, 2015 at their home in Chapel Hill, Texas.

Robert "Bob" Harold Rockett was born on April 26, 1944 in Dallas, Texas to Harold "Bud" and Helen Jean Rockett. He graduated from Union Grove High School and after attending Kilgore College, he joined the US Army and fought in Vietnam. He later became a State Trooper for the Texas Department of Public Safety. He retired from the DPS in 1994.

Deborah "Debbie" Elaine Rockett was born on September 7, 1949 in Brownwood, Texas to Emory and Wanda Muehlbrad. She graduated from Sidney Lanier High School in Austin, Texas and after attending the University of Texas of Austin, became a Legal Secretary.

Debbie and Bob met in Austin, Texas and were married on May 18, 1973. They were amazing parents to their three daughters, Julie, Kristie, and Laurie. Their marriage was a true testament of love as Debbie faithfully cared for Bob through his lengthy battle with Multiple Sclerosis. They were devoted Christians and were members of Green Acres Baptist Church. Their faith in

God and each other were an inspiration to everyone around them. Debbie loved spending time with family and friends, gardening, and reading, as well as caring for her many beloved pets. Bob also enjoyed time with family and friends, making jokes, and loved watching westerns. They especially enjoyed time with their grandchildren, Brooklynn and Ty, and camping with their neighbor and long-time friend, Bob Bond.

They were preceded in death by Bob's parents.

They are survived by their loving family including Debbie's parents; children, Julie Rockett and her husband Jeremy McCullough, Kristie Rockett and her husband Chad Sokolosky, Laurie Bryant and her husband Clint; grandchildren, Brooklynn and Ty Sokolosky, and step-grandchildren, Jeremy A. McCullough and Jordan Bryant; Bob's sister, Renita Shofner and her husband Jim; Bob's brother, Dale Rockett and his wife Vicki; Bob's sister, Nikki Rockett Jones and her husband Wayne; Debbie's sister, Teresa DeShazer and her husband Billy; Debbie's sister, Jackie Muehlbrad; Debbie's brother, Mark Muehlbrad and his wife Becky; numerous nieces and nephews along with many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

If desired, memorials may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society, 2105 Luna Rd., Ste. 390, Carrollton, TX 75006 or the National Humane Society, 4039 Gunn Highway, Tampa, Fl. 33618, in memory of Bob and Debbie Rockett.

Cemetery Details

Tyler Memorial Park

12053 SH 64 West
Tyler, TX 75704

Previous Events

Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

Green Acres Baptist Church
1607 Troup Hwy.
Tyler, TX 75701

Visitation

APR 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

Green Acres Baptist Church
1607 Troup Hwy.
Tyler, TX 75701

PRIVATE Graveside Service

APR 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

Tyler Memorial Park
12053 SH 64 West
Tyler, TX 75704

Tribute Wall

 Laurie
Rockett

“ *I love you and miss you very much momma!*



Laurie Rockett - July 24, 2018 at 01:05 PM

CS

“ *Lanier High School Valkyries and Vikettes*



Camille Street - May 03, 2015 at 01:11 PM

BT

“ *Dear Wanda, Emory, and family,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are
with you. Betty and James Thiele*

Betty Thiele-cousin - April 07, 2015 at 07:39 PM

JL

“ Bob was like a big brother to me and Debbie like a sister. Do and will miss them profoundly. Do and will continue to treasure their companionship and friendship. Praying for our Heavenly Father's continued protection, guidance and blessings for their children, their children's families, their parents and siblings. In the name of our Lord and Savior Christ Jesus, our Heavenly Father and the Holy Spirit I pray for Your will to be served, honored and fulfilled. Amen. Have mercy on us all dear Father.

Jarvis Lehmann - April 02, 2015 at 06:25 AM

SK

“ Wanda, Emory and family, we want to express our sincere condolences to you on this terrible loss. We pray that God will hold you and comfort you as you deal with your grief. We love you, Joe and Suzette Kump

Suzette Kump - April 01, 2015 at 04:15 PM

AG

“ Alicia Gilliam lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett



Alicia Gilliam - April 01, 2015 at 12:22 PM

DG

“ Delano Guevara lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett



Delano Guevara - April 01, 2015 at 12:12 PM

ED

“ *Ed Davidson lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Ed Davidson - April 01, 2015 at 12:07 PM

Shirl
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“ *Our hearts are broken - I love your parents and will forever cherish the times I was able to spend with them and the whole family. Such positive, kind, loving and peaceful influences wherever they were. Although our paths diverged a few years ago - we shared our journey at the time God put us together. The influence and love has always remained. Thank goodness for FB so that I have been able to share in your lives even though we have been a distance from each other. Kristie, Laurie & Julie - any time I see a picture of you or remember moments from the past, I see both your parents. They live on through you. They will never be forgotten. I pray for peace and comfort for each and everyone of you in the family. Love you all. Shirl Page & Family*



Shirl Page - April 01, 2015 at 07:38 AM

DC

“ *I graduated from Lanier in 1967 and remember Debbie as a sweet and friendly girl. I've been talking to other high school friends of Debbie, and we're all extremely sad. We want Debbie's family to know that we loved her and we are praying for all of you and also for Bob's family. May they rest in peace. Diane Cooke*

Diane Cooke - March 31, 2015 at 07:20 PM

KI

“ Dear Julie, Kristie, Laurie, Wanda, Emory and all the rest of the Family,
I am so sorry about this tragedy and the loss you all are having to go through. I pray for the Lord to comfort you, as I know He is right there with you. Let Him wrap His arms around all of you at this most difficult time, and give you His peace. Wish I could be there, but I won't be able to make the trip. Peace be with you all - Love, Kathy, Joe and Jarrett Isbell

Kathy Isbell - March 31, 2015 at 06:48 PM

AC

“ Amy C. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett.



Amy C. - March 31, 2015 at 03:26 PM

JC

“ Joy Cross lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett



Joy Cross - March 31, 2015 at 03:17 PM

RN

“ *Rahul Nandi lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Rahul Nandi - March 31, 2015 at 12:54 PM

PZ

“ *Patti Zajdel lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Patti Zajdel - March 31, 2015 at 12:36 PM

NM

“ *Nikki Mouton lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Nikki Mouton - March 31, 2015 at 12:33 PM

BH

“ *Brad Hayes lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Brad Hayes - March 31, 2015 at 12:24 PM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett.*



March 31, 2015 at 11:17 AM



“ *Dear Wanda, Emory and Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you---wish we could be there to hug and comfort you.
May God give you His Peace, His Presence, and His Comfort. With our deepest sympathy,
Gene and Nancy Fuelberg*



Gene & Nancy Fuelberg - March 31, 2015 at 10:31 AM



“ *Michael, Colleen and Makaila purchased the Encanted Cottage for the family of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett.*



Michael, Colleen and Makaila - March 31, 2015 at 10:21 AM

VW

“ I will never forget the day we first met! Richard Vaughn, Bob's high school friend, our 2 oldest girls, n I were waiting to meet you n visit with you 2, as we had just moved to Austin. Bob was smiling ear to ear as you came in the door! A beautiful young woman had stolen his heart! So began a friendship I will always treasure, between you n I. As that friendship has continued to our children! Always a friend,
Victoria



Victoria (Vaughn) Waller - March 31, 2015 at 08:56 AM

CA

“ Caroline Atherton lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett



Caroline Atherton - March 31, 2015 at 07:25 AM

JK

“ Janette Kelley sent a virtual gift in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett



Janette Kelley - March 30, 2015 at 04:47 PM

KH

“ *Kathy Hooson lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Kathy Hooson - March 30, 2015 at 03:24 PM

SS

“ *Sandi Sashkin purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett.*



Sandi Sashkin - March 30, 2015 at 03:05 PM

SS

“ *Sandi Sashkin lit a candle in memory of Deborah "Debbie" Muehlbrad Rockett*



Sandi Sashkin - March 30, 2015 at 02:59 PM