



Edna Ruth Manziel

November 4, 1942 - January 17, 2023

Edna Ruth Manziel, 80, of Tyler, passed away on Tuesday, January 17, 2023. She was born on November 4, 1942, in Little Rock, Arkansas to Tilden Oren Johnson and Vera Frances Hinkle. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Nolan Edward Manziel; daughter, Deborah Lynn Manziel; brother-in-law Bobby Joe Manziel, Jr.; and nephews, Billy Daryl Pyron II and Wesley Michael Heath.

Edna graduated from Tyler High School and Tyler Junior College. Her interest in jewelry prompted her to later become a Gemologist.

Edna was a member of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception and a very active member of the Christus Hospital Cardiac and Pulmonary Rehab Center and a longtime member of the Cedars of Lebanon.

Edna married Nolan in 1962 in Tyler where they shared 56 years of marriage. In their earlier years, she enjoyed all their weekend hunting trips, water sports, boat races and motorcycle cruising. There were so many stories to tell when they got home; they are still entertaining and are laughed about to this day. Edna, also known as Gammi, loved spending time with family and close friends. She was an excellent cook and enjoyed their many long-standing outings at the farm and at the lake, with lots of good food and fun as well as all of their football gatherings at "the shop". She loved sports, especially

watching the famous Dallas Cowboys. We will also never forget our times watching those nighttime movies, channel surfing to keep up with them all.

Edna created new memories over the last few years planning and taking family trips to the beach, cherishing all their time together. She will be greatly missed.

Edna is survived by her daughter, Elizabeth "Beth" and son, Micheal Savoie and wife, Shelby; son, Nolan Jr. and wife, Kelly and their children, son, Nelson and fiancée, Lorna Henderson and daughter, Gabrielle; great-grandchildren Cayden, Paisley, Heidi, Beau, Knox; brothers and sisters-in-law, Norman Paul Manziel, Merigale Manziel Pyron, Dottie Manziel Frank and husband, Bill, Victoria Manziel Heath and Gloria Manziel Saleh; aunt, Joyce Westmoreland. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews, and numerous great and great-great nieces and nephews, along with many cousins and friends.

Pallbearers will be Ric Freeman, Raymond George, Hunter Hartley, N. Paul Manziel, John Paul Manziel, Chris Simons and R.K. Wilson. Honorary pallbearers will be Brad Acree, Ed Schaded, R.B. Shelton and T.C. Smith.

A Rosary will be held Monday, January 23, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy, in Tyler with a visitation following from 6:00-7:30 p.m. The Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, January 24, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. also at Stewart Family Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Rose Hill Cemetery in Tyler.

If desired, donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or the charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

2400 S. Donnybrook
Tyler, TX 75702

Previous Events

Rosary

JAN 23. 5:30 PM (CT)

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

Visitation following Rosary

JAN 23 (CT)

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Ending at 7:30 PM

Service

JAN 24. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Edna Ruth Manziel



Stewart Family Funeral Home - January 23, 2023 at 03:23 PM

LP

Beautiful tribute!

Lisa K Pantlin - January 24, 2023 at 02:45 AM

GC

“ Gail McKinzie Clark lit a candle in memory of Edna Ruth Manziel



Gail McKinzie Clark - January 26, 2023 at 12:03 AM

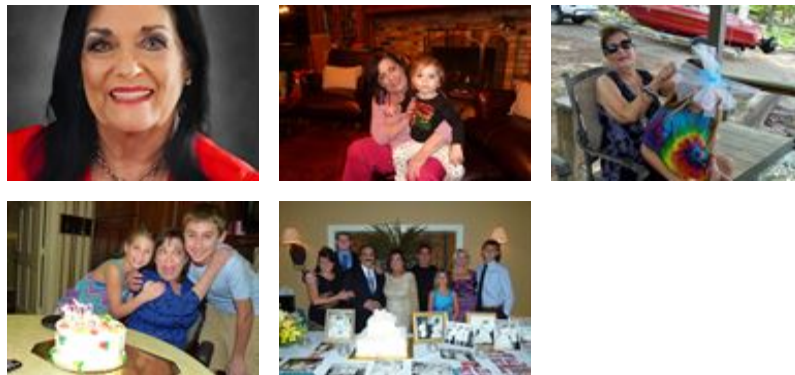
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“ Bless the heart's of those who loved her dearly and those who's life she touched. Beth I know your life is shattered yet again. I pray deeply that God will carry you through the days, weeks, months and years as you navigate through life without your sweet mom. I'm a phone call away if I can do anything or you need a good ugly cry as I just went through the myself. We could help each other. Miss you my beautiful friend 💕

Lisa K Pantlin - January 24, 2023 at 02:42 AM



“ 111 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Stewart Family Funeral Home - January 23, 2023 at 03:21 PM

KA

“ *Edna was such a sweet lady and I became very good friends with her over the past few years. I always felt like I had known her for a very long time and fell in love with her sweet friendship. I'm happy to know she is in heaven with so many that love her too!!*

Karla - January 22, 2023 at 10:25 PM

TD

“ *Tom & Donna Dargewich purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Edna Ruth Manziel.*



Tom & Donna Dargewich - January 22, 2023 at 11:12 AM

JB

“ Edna, I rem. our days in Elememtery/Jr HS. So remember your sweet mom. Then on to HS, where Christe and I had a lot of fun with you and Nolan. You were always kind in every respect. May God bless your family at this time. Judith Briggs AKA Judi Wall

Judith Briggs - January 21, 2023 at 11:40 AM

MT

“ Edna when I think of you I will always smile. Our memories were so fun & you are a very good friend. I will see you in Heaven. RIP.
Martha Jo

Martha Tomlinson - January 19, 2023 at 10:35 AM