



Grace Evelyn Brett

August 21, 1918 - August 11, 2016

Services for Grace Evelyn Cain Brett, 97, of Tyler, will be held on Monday, August 15, 2016, at 10:00 AM at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Barbara Morgan officiating. Visitation will begin one hour prior to service from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM.

Burial will follow at Bascom Cemetery in Tyler under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Grace passed away Thursday, August 11, 2016 in Tyler at Trinity Mother Frances Hospital.

She was born August 21, 1918 in Tyler to Ethel Woodley Cain and Moses Jackson Cain.

Grace graduated from Tyler High School and later in life attended Tyler Junior College. She was the oldest living member of First Christian Church, and the Fidelis Sunday School Class of Tyler. She was a charter member of Eastern Star Lodge of Tyler and was a bookkeeper for the GMC truck dealership for many years. Grace loved her family, watching the Texas Rangers and listening to country music.

Grace was preceded in death by her husband William Robert "Bill" Brett in 1969; her parents; and sister, Louise Williams.

She is survived by her loving family, including her daughters, Linda Tidwell and husband Charles Tidwell of Tyler, Patsy Mitchell and husband Peter of Niceville, Florida; 5 grandchildren, Debra McAtee of Tyler, Kevin (Linda) Tidwell of Chandler, Russell (Sara) Tidwell of Flint, Alana (Rick) Myers of

Cabot, AR and Sheri Cooper of San Antonio; and 9 great-grandchildren, Dustin (Elizabeth) Tallent, Kristin (Jason) Thomas of Tyler, Heather (Casey) Jeffrey, Brett Tidwell of Chandler, Jazmin (Jordan) Straight of Gallatin, Texas, Connor Tidwell of Flint, Wade DeLap of Austin, Tyler Cooper of Pittsburg, PA and Savanna Cooper of Birmingham, AL. She is also survived by 7 great-great grandchildren, Kennedy and Ryan Tallent, Gracelynn, Graham, and Granger Thomas, Abigail Tidwell and Hudson Straight; and sister, Gladys Ashby of Austin.

Pallbearers will be grandsons and great-grandsons.

If desired, memorials may be made to Bascom Cemetery Association, 12498 FM 848, Tyler, TX 75707.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Service

AUG 15. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Grace Evelyn Brett



Stewart Family Funeral Home - August 15, 2016 at 09:55 AM

JH

“ Linda and Patsy, I was sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Please know that Kay, Joe and I are thinking of you at this difficult time. Seems like only a short time that we were kids on Lake Street. Your mother was a true friend to our family.

Judy Horsley - August 21, 2016 at 09:24 AM

DC

“ Linda and Patsy, I am so sorry I could not be at your Mother's service. I did view it on the Stewarts Page. It was lovely, Whose grandchildren? I am sorry for your loss and I know you will miss her terribly. Glad I got to see her at the Reunion at the Potpourrie House Brunch and visit with her. She was so full of life. Patsy sure hope you move back to Tyler.

*My prayers are with all of you,
Dusty Lehmann Campbell*

Dusty Lehmann Campbell - August 16, 2016 at 12:17 PM

DB

Linda & Patsy, Prayers goig up for ya'll on the loss of your mother, cousin Grace. I only had the pleasure of being around her a couple of times, one early childhood and the other when we visited your Mom and Dad, right after Karen and I were married back in the early 60s. I do remember her as a beautiful , kind lady, but you knew she was strong. I liken her to a throwback to the old time pioneer women, strong yet kind. May God comfort the family. Dewey W, "Cyclone" Brett.

dewey brett - August 22, 2016 at 10:00 AM