



Ida Sestos Murphrey

August 6, 1920 - October 4, 2015

Graveside services for Sestos Murphrey, 95, of Tyler, formerly of Abilene, will be held on Monday, October 5, 2015 at 2:30 PM at Elmwood Memorial Park Cemetery in Abilene with Rev. Dennis Cable officiating, under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mrs. Murphrey passed away Sunday, October 4, 2015 at The Hospice of East Texas in Tyler.

She was born August 6, 1920 in Hot Springs, Arkansas to Tillman and Apone King Rosamond.

Sestos was a member of the Aldersgate United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Murphrey was raised in Hot Springs, Arkansas and attended school in Hot Springs. She moved to Abilene in 1950 where she worked as an auto Title Clerk for the Chevrolet dealership for many years and then retiring from the Title Clerk position in 1985 from the Taylor County Courthouse. Sestos moved to Tyler in 2012 to be near her children.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Murphrey was preceded in death by her husband, Roy W. Murphrey in 1998 and eleven siblings.

She is survived by her loving family including her son, Jim Murphrey and wife Mary Joe of Longview; daughters, Charlotte Myers and husband Robert E. of Tyler and Leslie Lindsey and husband Britt of Newark, Ohio; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her name to the West Texas Rehad Center, 4601 Hartford St., Abilene, TX 79605.

Cemetery Details

Elmwood Memorial Park Cemetery

5750 US 277
Abilene, TX 79666

Tribute Wall

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“ Please accept my heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your loved one . How comforting to know that Almighty God has not only the power but the desire to reunite us with our loved ones by means of the resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 : 28,29

Delores Allen - October 13, 2015 at 07:18 AM

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“ My family would like to send sincere condolences to the Murphrey family for the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and hope from the bible promise at Isaiah 25:8. Pray constantly, avoid isolation, and lean on God as you cope during this most difficult time.

Richardson Family - October 05, 2015 at 05:51 AM