



Jo Prince

September 4, 1944 - January 20, 2008

Services for Jo Ann Prince, 63, of Tyler, will be held on Wednesday, January 23, 2008 at 1:30 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Bro. Milton Gardner and Bro. Dale Perry officiating. Burial will follow in Rose Lawn Cemetery under direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mrs. Prince passed away on Sunday, January 20, 2008 at her home in Tyler. She was born on September 4, 1944 in Grenada, Mississippi to the late Henry Clay and Annie Laura Perry Carpenter. She was raised in Mississippi, where she graduated from Grenada High School. Jo Ann met her husband, Bennie Prince, Sr., in Jackson, Mississippi. They relocated to Tyler in 1963 and Mrs. Prince dedicated her life to her family as a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She enjoyed southern cooking, cross stitching, puzzles, and going to movies. She was also an active member of Friendly Baptist Church. Mrs. Prince is survived by a loving family including her husband of 48 years, Bennie Ray Prince, Sr. of Tyler; two sons, Ben Prince and wife Suzie of Tyler, and Tim Prince and wife Jennifer of Pine Mills; three granddaughters, Brandi Prince, Jennifer Prince, and Madeline Prince; a step-granddaughter, Dannika Wilson; a step-grandson, Jackie Wilson; and two best friends, Bennette Guy and Wanda Bryant. Pallbearers will be Daniel A. Pierce, Michael Frazier, Chris Smith, Chris Stewart, Danny Boyd, and David Boyd. Visitation is scheduled for Tuesday, January 22, 2008 from 6:00-8:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, Tyler, Texas 75703. Memorials in honor of Jo Ann Prince may be made to Legacy Hospice, 1515 Rice Road,

Tyler, Texas 75703 or to a charity of your choice. For more information or to express condolences, visit www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr Prince I am so sorry about your loss of your "Princess". I was on the web site for another friend that passed away when I saw Mrs Prince's obituary. I hate that we moved because I miss all of my patients from CVC. I know that you might not remember me but I will never forget you and Mrs Prince.*

*Sincerely,
Phyllis Varing
former CVC worker*

Phyllis Varing - January 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Ben,*

I'm sorry i didn't find out about your loss, until I got to work this morning. I am so sorry for your loss, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Look to God and He will give you strength and comfort!

*In Christ,
Linda Ivy*

Linda Ivy - January 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ JoAnn Was an angel to me in more ways than one, she was like a mother to all of the Biggs kids when we were children. I always loved seeing her and Bennie whenever we ran into each other, she always had a hug and a smile for me. She will be missed even though I have not seen her in a while. My prayers go out to the entire family, I will be there on Tuesday night for visitation. I love you all.

Debbie

Debbie Davis (Biggs) - January 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ I remember the many meals Jo Ann fix at Friendly so we could go out on visitation. I will always remember her smile. God Bless you Ray and boys.

Jimmy Dickson - January 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM