



Mamie Ethridge

May 10, 2010

Services for Mamie Louise Ethridge, 100, of Tyler, will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2010, at 11:00 AM at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Bennett and Barbara Campbell officiating. Burial will follow at Glendale Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mrs. Ethridge passed away on May 10, 2010 under the care of Heart to Heart Hospice. She was born November 3, 1909 in Glendale, Texas to Robert Lee and Tiny Catherine Murrey Dukes. Mamie lived most of her life in Galena Park until moving to Tyler in 2007. She had worked for Sears for over 35 years and was a member of First Baptist Church in Galena Park. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Ben "P.B." Ethridge; son, Joe Pat Ethridge; son-in-law, LeeRoy F. Ludwig; and her 4 brothers and 3 sisters. Mamie is survived by her loving family including her son, Charles Robert Ethridge and wife Lucille (Sunny), of Tyler; daughter, Martha Ellon Ludwig of Houston; daughter-in-law, Peggy Joyce Ethridge of Nashville; 15 grandchildren, 29, great-grandchildren, 14 great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews and friends. Visitation is scheduled for Wednesday, May 12, 2010 from 6:00 – 8:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy, Tyler, Texas 75703. Memorials in honor of Mamie Ethridge may be given to Heart to Heart Hospice, 1402 Rice Road, Suite 100, Tyler, Texas 75703. For more information or to express condolences, visit www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

FB

“ Dear Family,

what a wonderful lady your mother and grandmother was. She will be missed, I know, but is with her love, Ben. We loved her very much and love you all also. I know you have already found comfort in our Lord.

Georgene & Freddy Burnett

Freddy & Georgene Burnett - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Louise Ethredge was always such a sweet lady in the church. When visiting her Sunday School class with Dessa Dipboye, my Mom, it was always such a plesure to talk with her. I will always have fond memories of those ladies who were such good friends.*

My condolences to all of the family at this time. Prayers are being said for them.

*Fondly,
Shirley Way*

Shirley Dipboye Way - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *What a beautiful and caring Grandmother. Our family is blessed to have had her with us for as long as we did. I am sure all of the grandkids remember those wonderful Christmas Eves with her and PawPaw. And it appears she was a bit sneaky, because I always remember the German Chocolate Cake that Judy mentioned as being especially for me since it was also my favorite. Mother she loved you dearly which was evident from the smile on her face whenever I went to Tyler with you. I know you weren't able to see her as much as you would have liked, but sometimes quality overrides quantity. Thanks so much to Aunt Sunny & Uncle Charles and all the cousins in and around Tyler that made such a wonderful effort to spend time with her at the nursing home. We will miss her.*

Connie McCammon - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Grandma will truly be missed. She was an inspiration to all of us. As I was growing up and her and Papaw living so close to us she was always there for me no matter what. I will always remember the German Chocolate cake she made every Christmas for me. She knew that was my favorite. She has lived a wonderful 100 years and even though it is sad she is gone, we can rejoice that she had a wonderful life, and we will see her again someday.

Aunt Martha, she loved you so much and you were a special daughter to her. She looked forward to your phone calls every night. Dad, you were her oldest and there is always a special place for the oldest. She had you when she was 18 years old, so you and her actually grew up together. That will always be special to you.

Mom, you were the rock that kept her going all these years. You took wonderful care of her for the last 18 years and I know she was very grateful for all your love and caring that you gave her. She was never a Mother-in-Law but a Mother to you and you showed that in your caregiving to her. Thank you!

We need to remember she is in a better place now, she can see and hear now. She is with Papaw and Uncle Pat, and Uncle LeeRoy and especially with Jesus.

Love her always.

Judy Richmond - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ Charles and Sunny,

I am sadden to hear about the loss of Charles' mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with during this difficult time.

Terry Loving - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Please accept my sincere condolence for your loss. To lose a loved one at any age is hard and the time spent with them never seems enough. That is because God created us to live forever, but unfortunately, because of the Adamic sin we fall short of that. So God made the way out for us by sending us his son, Jesus to ransom back what Adam lost. I hope you can find hope and comfort in God's Word of a resurrection, John 5:28, "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out." We can have faith and hope in this promise along with many others. Also, hold on to the good memories you have.

Tammy McCreery - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ My condolences to the family of Mrs. Ethridge. May you find comfort in the promise of GOD that he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore.

Maggie Rivers - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM