



## Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman

October 26, 1931 - October 20, 2015

Our loving mother, and grandmother passed away Monday, October 20, 2015 in Tyler after 83 years of living and loving life, her husband and family. Nancy was married for 59 years to Millard Countryman, who predeceased her in 2013.

She was born in Rockford, Illinois to Hilding Franklin Nelson and Genevieve Gilbert Nelson, and their family gave us the sock monkey through the Nelson Knitting Company of which she was always very proud. Nancy was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and she loved her Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Theta lips are smiling mom. Nancy was also a proud member of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Nancy loved selling real estate for many years in Houston and Tyler, and with her husband, Millard, they were 'Spouses Selling Houses' for many years in Tyler. She has several beautiful and caring friends, especially with Re/Max of Tyler and we are grateful for their support and help throughout her battle with cancer. She also loved playing tennis and with her husband made several great friends in the tennis community.

She is survived by four children and their spouses, Nancy Countryman Collings and husband David of Tyler, Cam and Adele Countryman of Houston, Randy and Lori Countryman of Fenton, MO. and Clay and Shannon Countryman of Baton Rouge, LA; 9 grandchildren, Kyle Countryman and his wife Leslie, Kevin Countryman and his wife Nicole, Casey Collings, Brady Collings, Alex Countryman List and her husband Mark, Kelsey Countryman

Tennesen and her husband Craig, Kate Countryman, Betsy Countryman, and Molly Countryman and 7 great-grandchildren, Mason Countryman, Brice Countryman, Reed Countryman, Anders Countryman, Lily Countryman, Ella Countryman, and Miller List.

The family is grateful for the caregivers who cared for and loved our mother, especially Mariama Darboe who was a devoted nurse, friend and extended part of our family. Nancy is also a proud member of Christ Episcopal Church in Tyler.

Nancy was a wonderful and loving spouse, mother and added so much to our lives. We love you mom and know you are home.

Services will be held on Friday, October 23, 2015 at 10:30 AM at the Christ Episcopal Church in Tyler with Rev. Matthew Boulter officiating, under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Rose Lawn Cemetery in Tyler. Visitation will be held on Thursday, October 22, 2015 from 6:00 to 7:30 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy in Tyler.

# Cemetery Details

## Rose Lawn Cemetery

2003 Blue Mountain Blvd.  
Tyler, TX 75703

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **22**. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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

## Service

OCT **23**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Christ Episcopal Church  
118 South Bois d' Arc  
Tyler, TX 75702

# Tribute Wall



“ *Byrdie Meeks purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.*



Byrdie Meeks - October 22, 2015 at 09:56 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.*



October 21, 2015 at 11:39 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.*



October 21, 2015 at 07:03 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.*



October 21, 2015 at 06:12 PM

LF

“ Love, Kyle and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



Love, Kyle and family - October 21, 2015 at 02:41 PM

SH

“ Stanley & Naomi Hata purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



Stanley & Naomi Hata - October 21, 2015 at 02:19 PM

YF

“ Your, Nobile family purchased the Bountiful Rose Basket for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



Your, Nobile family - October 21, 2015 at 11:16 AM

HR

“ Heather & John Roesink purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



Heather & John Roesink - October 21, 2015 at 11:02 AM

CL

“ Chris & Anne Laramie purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



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**Chris & Anne Laramie** - October 21, 2015 at 10:53 AM

BT

“ BSW Healthcare Team purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



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**BSW Healthcare Team** - October 21, 2015 at 10:24 AM



“ Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



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October 21, 2015 at 09:58 AM

PF

“ Praying for all of the Countryman Family at this hard time.

*Paula Fleming*

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**Paula Fleming** - October 21, 2015 at 08:53 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean-Nelson Countryman.



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October 20, 2015 at 09:52 AM