



Reon Knight Hendley

September 28, 1923 - March 8, 2018

The joyous celebration of the life of Reon Rose Knight Hendley, 94, of Tyler will be held Saturday, April 7, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. in the Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bob Logan officiating. In a final generous gesture, much like her entire life, she has donated her worldly body to UT Southwestern Medical School so that doctors in training and other medical professionals may learn from her body's life experience.

Mrs. Hendley passed away Thursday, March 8, 2018 in Palestine. She was born September 28, 1923 in Caddo Mills, TX to Eldon Rose and Ila Nancy Payne Rose. She attended school in Caddo Mills and Tyler and worked most of her adult life, retiring from Kelly Springfield Tire Plant on the last day of 1988 after 25 years. Reon was a member of Tyler Christian Church and a charter member of The East Texas Steel Guitar Association. She loved to laugh and bring a smile to everyone's face.

Reon was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Herschel Knight and Bruce Hendley and her sisters, Ila Wright and Avinell Collins. She is survived by her loving family including children, June and Cecil Saxon of Elkhart, Gloria and Tracy Jordan of Whitehouse, Bruce and Pat Hendley of Forney, Karen and William Tingley of Tyler, Billy Hendley of Tyler; niece, Barbara Wright-Buteau and husband Don of Mesa, AZ; nephews, Hal Collins and wife Brenda of Arlington and Carl Collins and wife Val of Tyler; twelve grandchildren; thirty-

three great-grandchildren; thirteen great-great-grandchildren; five great-nieces and nephews; and four great-great-nieces and nephews.

If desired, memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Alliance of Smith County, 211 Winchester Drive, Tyler, TX 75701.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Reon Knight Hendley



Stewart Family Funeral Home - April 07, 2018 at 10:31 AM



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Reon Knight Hendley



Stewart Family Funeral Home - April 03, 2018 at 11:56 AM



“ Loretta Martinez lit a candle in memory of Reon Knight Hendley



Loretta martinez - April 17, 2018 at 01:36 AM



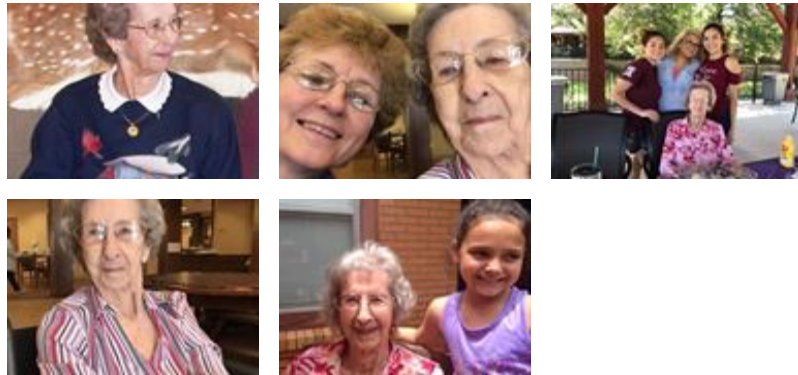
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Loretta martinez - April 17, 2018 at 01:21 AM



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