



Rivie "Ruby" Lee Aiken

June 13, 2014 - November 25, 2014

Services for Rivie "Ruby" Lee Aiken, 91, of Tyler, will be held on Friday, November 28, 2014 at 2:30 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Roy Thoene and Rev. Chad Brantley officiating.

Burial will follow at Flint Cemetery in Flint under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mrs. Aiken passed away Tuesday, November 25, 2014 at The Hospice of East Texas.

She was born June 13, 1923 in Flint to Glen Elwood and Lela Jones Cope.

Ruby was a member of the First Baptist Church in Gresham.

Ruby was a wonderful mother and grandmother and enjoyed the little people in her life. Her smile was captivating and contagious. Among the many things she enjoyed, her favorites were gardening, garage sales, canning and traveling with her family, whom she loved so dearly. More than anything, she enjoyed watching the Price is Right.

In addition to her parents, Ruby was preceded in death by her husband, George F. Aiken, Sr. and a son, George F. "Butch" Aiken, Jr.

She is survived by her loving family including son, William Aiken and wife Bess of Garland; daughters, Carolyn Rice and husband David of Burleson, Pam Steinbeck and John Burns of Cedar Falls, Iowa, Tina Saxon and husband Mack of Gresham; Karla Hutchinson and husband Joe of Flint; 13 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; 10 great-great-grandchildren; 2 sisters; 4 brothers and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Keith Rice, Joey Aiken, Brian Aiken, Aaron Aiken, Joseph Aiken, Scott Aiken, Matt Cooper and Joe Hutchinson.

Visitation is scheduled from 1:30 to 2:30 PM, one hour prior to the service on Friday, November 28, 2014 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

A special "Thank You" goes to the following for providing care of our mother for the past several years, Girling Home Health Care, Inez Allen, Kay Jones, Choice Home Rehab, Providence Park Nursing Home Rehab, Dr. Robert Tompkins with UT Health Northeast and Heart to Heart Hospice.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Flint/Gresham Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 3150, Flint 75762 or The Hospice of East Texas Foundation, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler 75701.

Cemetery Details

Flint Cemetery

19251 FM 2493
Flint, TX 75762

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 28. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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

Service

NOV 28. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Rivie "Ruby" Lee Aiken.*



November 27, 2014 at 06:18 PM



“ *What a beautiful lady both inside and out
,,loved having been a part of her life ,,she
was always smiling and had such grace ,,,my
heart goes out to the family,,,,,Leslie Pyle
,,,sending prayers ,,may God wrap you in his
arms and help you all through this difficult time*



Leslie Pyle - November 27, 2014 at 07:47 AM



Thank you for your kinds words about our mother. She was loved by so many and she loved so many. God blessed us with a beautiful, loving, strong, courageous mother. This is just a temporary place in life and we find peace in knowing we will be with her again. Blessings to you! Karla Hutchinson, "baby daughter"

Karla Hutchinson - November 27, 2014 at 12:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rivie "Ruby" Lee Aiken.*



November 26, 2014 at 11:48 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Rivie "Ruby" Lee Aiken.*



November 26, 2014 at 01:57 PM