



Virgie Sage

November 11, 1926 - March 21, 2008

Service for Virgie Irene Sage, 81, of Bullard, is scheduled for 11:00 AM Monday, March 24, 2008 at Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel with Brother Sam DeVille officiating. Burial will follow at Rest Haven Cemetery in Jacksonville under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home in Tyler. Virgie passed away Friday, March 21, 2008 at Hospice of East Texas in Tyler. She was born November 11, 1926 in Crockett to the late James Robert and Ora Mae Webb. Virgie graduated from Jacksonville High School and later met and married the love of her life and best friend, Kinney Sage in 1947. They enjoyed many adventures traveling across the United States together. Virgie's greatest achievements in life were her children and she devoted everything to the nourishing care of her family. Pallbearers will be Tony Johnson, Wade Frederick, Robert Roper, Gary Don Davis, James Sage, and Justin Roper. She is preceded in death by her parents; five brothers; and daughter, Connie Lee Sage. Virgie is survived by her loving family including her husband of 60 years, Yonge Kinney Sage; sons, Philip Sage and wife Joyce of Tyler and Jimmy Sage and wife Victoria of West Minster; daughters, Danielle Roper and husband Robert of Bullard and Chantelle Davis and husband Gary Don of Tyler; thirteen grandchildren, Leigh Whalen, Denna Sage, Philip Sage, Jr., Russell Sage, Jessica Hanson, Sonia Shah, James Sage, Nicholas Sage, Justin, Roper, Lillian Lundquist, Alexis Lundquist, James Robert Roper, and Missy Davis; eight great grandchildren, Jessilyn Blythe, Nicole Lindsay, Zachary Alfred, Michael Yates, CJ Bratsburg, Nicole Sage, Leah Hanson, and

Morghan Davis. Family will receive friends one hour prior to service at 10:00 AM on Monday, March 24, 2008 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, Tyler, Texas 75703. For more information or to express condolences, visit www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

JS

“*Virgie and I had a lot in common, we were both ornery and hard headed. I think that is why Philip married me because I reminded him of his mother. Virgie would always help keep Kinney in check when he was pestering me. I will always have an empty place in my heart now that she is gone.*

Joyce

Joyce Sage - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“*I knew her as Memaw and she was solid as a rock. She was an awesome grandmother and great grandmother. We always had wonderful discussions and she was never afraid to speak her mind. I'll miss playing cards and dominos with her. We had lots of fun getting pepaw all worked up when we beat him. What I will miss most of all, is picking up the phone and calling her. My daughter, Niko, and I will miss her dearly. God bless you Memaw Sage.*

Philip Y. Sage Jr. "Bubba" - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PS

“*You were my rock, I will miss you as long as I am on earth. I love you Mom.*

Philip Sage - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I feel so blessed to have had a Grandma for 25 years of my life. I never really imagined my life with out her until now. And as I sit back and remember her I realize how much I have learned from her and how lucky we all were to have her in our lives. I will never forget the summers and spring breaks I spent with her and grandpa running around picking flowers,racing the wagon down the hill and eating peaches right off of the tree. Most of all I will always remember running in to grandmas arms for the best hug a little girl could ever ask for and hearing her wisper in my ear I love you the mostest.
~I Love You The Mostest Grandma and I will forever miss you.~

Sonia Shah - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I know I'm going to miss you Meemaw, but you are with God in a better place and I'm comforted by that and I am going to try very hard to live a life that would make you proud. I love you Mee-maw, I'll always be your baby. Russell
I wish I had had a chance to know you longer, I think we would have discovered that we shared of lot in common. I thank God for bringing you into my life last year. You were loved and You will be missed. Leigh

Leigh, Russell and Bill - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NI

“ There is so much I wish I could say, you were a very strong and lively woman and I will miss your enduring spirit. You'll always be in my heart.
Nicole.

Nicole - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ZA

“ I only got to know you for a short time but you were my favorite Great-Grandmother. I love you Meemaw. Zachary

Zachary - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ It's tough to think that my November visit was only the second time I had been able to spend time with you. I am so grateful for the chance to get to know you. You have a great spirit and you impacted my life in a way that is difficult to describe.

I really admire your strength as a woman and will miss you very much.

*All my love,
Jessilyn*

Jessilyn Klause - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ I owe my life to my mother. She adopted me and raised me with the love and caring ways that only she could give. I am proud to be her daughter. I love her with all my heart, and I just wanted her to know that I could never thank her enough for taking me into her life and letting me be apart of it as her daughter.

*I love you Mother,
All my love,
Chantelle*

Chantelle L. Davis - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM