



Virginia Brown

July 3, 1909 - February 24, 2008

Graveside Services will be held for Virginia Blue Scofield Brown of San Antonio at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, February 27, 2008, at Rose Hill Cemetery, with Rev. Frank Seaman officiating under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home; 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy, Tyler 75703. Virginia died peacefully on February 24, 2008, in San Antonio. She was born on July 3, 1909, to the late Nancy Hortense Allison and John William Blue in Vinita, Oklahoma. She attended Kansas University, where she was a member of Pi Beta Phi. In college and for the remainder of her life, she pursued her natural talent in the fine arts, becoming an accomplished watercolorist. Her keen interest in art led her to become a docent at the McNey Art Museum and an active member in the San Antonio Watercolor Society. She was also a devoted member of the First Presbyterian Church of both Tyler and San Antonio. In addition to painting, music played an important part in Virginia's life. She taught primary piano to children, emphasizing ear training and beginning skills. She later created schools throughout East Texas, teaching young people ballroom dancing. She will be remembered for her love of color, design, music, and dance. Virginia was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Charles Clinton Brown; and her siblings, Richard Whiting Blue, II and Mary Elizabeth "Betty" Blue Sidwell. She is survived by her children, sons, Barney and wife Jan of Akron, Ohio, John and wife Cynthia of Houston, Texas, and daughter, Nancy and husband Dennis Passmore of San Antonio, Texas; her grandchildren, Chris and Sheryl Scofield, Bob and Nicole Scofield,

Emilia Scofield, John and Denise Scofield, Chuck and Beth Scofield, Holly Land, Louise Land, James and Rocio Land; and eight great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Share Our Strength, attn: Amy Zganjar, 1730 M Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20036. For more information or to express condolences, visit www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com.

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“*"Miss" Scofield did her best to teach ballroom dancing to reluctant grade schoolers in the early 50s. Now retired at age 65, I am taking dancing lessons with my wife and find myself remembering "Miss" Scofield. I even quote her and enjoy hearing Benny Goodman music because it takes me back to jitterbug lessons. She taught us manners as well as a few dance steps. I still drive past the little building where she taught. Good memories thanks to Miss Scofield.*

Steve Hillis - February 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM