



Lillie lola Schomerus

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Lillie Iola Lofton Schomerus, 106, of Longview, Texas, went to be with the Lord at her home on Tuesday, March 15, 2005. The family will receive friends Thursday, March 17, at 6:30 to 8:00 pm at Radar Funeral Home in Longview, Texas, and Friday, March 18, at 6:00 to 8:00pm, at Corley Funeral Home in Corsicana, Texas. Services will be held at 2pm, March 19, at Corley Funeral Home with burial to follow at Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery in Corsicana.

Mrs. Schomerus was born December 11, 1898 to Lincoln Daniel Lofton and Rosa Belle Cantrell Lofton in Portland, Texas. Her ancestry includes early Virginia colonists who settled near Jamestown in 1642, and early settlers in Philadelphia. Her great grandfather helped settle Sachse and Murphy townships near Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Schomerus was married to Weert Sassen Schomerus on May 20, 1914 in Bazette, Texas. They were married for 74 years. In 1975 they moved from Corsicana, Texas to Longview, Texas where Mr. Schomerus died in 1988. At the time of Mrs. Schomerus death, she was the oldest person in the world to carry the Schomerus name.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Schomerus was preceded in death by two sons, Jesse R. Schomerus and Densil W. Schomerus; grandsons, William D. Whitaker and David R. Schomerus; great great granddaughter, Grace K. Haralson; daughter-in-law, Louise Schomerus; and son-in-law, Ralph Antill.

?Mamma? as she was affectionately known by her family and friends, loved to garden, cook, fish, and make beautiful quilts, but her greatest legacy was that of a Christian heritage and prayer. The memory of her love and unselfishness will continue to live in the hearts and memories of her family. Family and friends have been blessed by her wisdom, faith, sweet smile, and gentle spirit. She loved God and was a long time member of the First Assembly of God church in Corsicana, Texas.



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She is survived by three children: Virginia Antill of Corsicana, Texas; William D. Schomerus and wife Marilyn of West Tawakoni, Texas; and I. Frances Phillips and husband Glenn Phillips of Longview, Texas; daughter-in-law Norma Jean Schomerus of Beaumont, Texas; nine grandchildren: Virginia Ward and husband Morris of Athens, Texas; Ronnie Schomerus and wife Jacque of Tyler, Texas; Gay Thompson and husband Johnny of Tucson, Arizona; Mark Schomerus and wife Shirley of Nederland, Texas; Brenda Slaughter and husband Dale of Reno, Nevada; Mike Schomerus and wife Kay of West Tawakoni, Texas; Sherry Schomerus of Quinlan, Texas; J. Bradley Phillips and wife Tricia of Rockwall, Texas; S. Michelle Scheef and husband John of Frisco, Texas; granddaughter-in-law Hilla Whitaker of West Hills, California; and granddaughter-in-law Sandra Schomerus of Moore, Oklahoma. Survivors also include twenty-six great grandchildren, fifteen great great grandchildren, a sister Ruby Hunsucker of Lansing, Michigan, and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family wishes to express its special appreciation to the numerous ones who helped care for ?mamma?s? needs, including Rozy Wyatt, Ila Rhee Ford, Margie Hamm, Gail Jester and Joan Haymes of Lifecare Hospice, and Robert Sansom MD.



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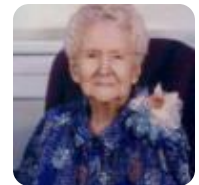
Heather Lofton posted:

My name is Heather Lofton, I'm sorry to post this here but my father stumbled upon this page and wanted to post this message. Lillie was the the sister of his grandfather, my great grandfather, and we would love to get in touch with extended family. You can reach either of us on Facebook if you would like. Thank you. My name is Hugh Lofton Sr., this woman was my grand fathers sister. I would love talk to any body from Texas that knew him or knew my father Norman E. Lofton. You can reach me on Facebook. Thank you.

January 31 at 6:04 PM



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September 13 at 10:43 AM



Anonymous posted:

My sincere and deepest condolences to the entire family.##imported-begin##Shelly Thompson##imported-end##

March 22 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Frances and Glenn; I was so privileged to be able to join you in "praise and singing" your beloved Mamma home to be with the Lord. She was always so gracious when I got to meet her but most of all it warmed my heart to hear Tyler, Trevor, and Tanner talk about their "Greatmamma." They loved her and knew she loved them##imported-begin##Betty M. Scheef##imported-end##

March 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Frances, dear Glenn,our thoughts are with you.We are so glad that we had met your mom 10 years ago, she was so lovely. God bless you and your family. Rudolf Fischer and Ilona,Enno and Florian, Bielefeld, Germany##imported-begin##Rudolf Fischer##imported-end##

March 19 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

You were my inspiration in so many ways. Your kindness, your faith, determination, fortitude and compassion. You were and are an angel whose smile brightened my life. Your love has made a profound impact on me and all I do. Words will never express how much I love you.##imported-begin##Sherry Schomerus##imported-end##

March 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Frances,I was so sorry to read of your mother's passing. But how fortunate you are to have had her with you for so many years.Those special ladies who guided our lives as we grew and matured will always be remembered with love and admiration.With sympathy,Fredda Ware Klock -class of '53##imported-begin##Fredda Ware Klock##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Francis I have alot of memories of you and your family from growing up amd attending First Assembly with my parents,Vernon and Thelma Farish.The entire Schomerus and Phillp's family were certainly special to us.You and the families will be in my prayers during this time.Wish I could be in Corsicana tonite for the visitation,but I've just had some surgery.Please accept my symphathy.Love Peggy##imported-begin##peggy jean farish tipping##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We are praying for you. I will always remember being in Mamma's house as a little girl and admiring all her african violets.Love,Michelle Nichol##imported-begin##Michelle Nichol##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Frances, Glenn and Family-You are in our prayers, in the loss of your "Momma"...what a gentle, tender-hearted Christian example she presented to all.
<http://www.goodnewsinc.net/v4gn/nosting.html><http://grace-for-today.com/1889.htm>"O death, where is your sting?" 1 Cor. 15:55##imported-begin##Larry & Marian Phillips##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so glad that I got to meed her. Nena##imported-begin##Nena Hopkins##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Frances, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Your mom was a lovely lady and a gracious person and it was a pleasure to have met her. God bless you and your family,Pat and Cliff DeSain##imported-begin##Pat DeSain##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

So sorry to hear of Mrs. Schomerus' passing --and shocked as well as I would never have dreamed she was still alive. I grew up "across the creek" from her on W. 13th Ave. in Corsicana and remember what a kind Christian lady she was--would get to play with some of her granchildren sometimes back in the 1960's and remember she and my mother talking about their flowers in the spring. Happy, happy times.##imported-begin##Phillip Gowan##imported-end##

March 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Frances and Family,We send our deepest sympathy on the loss of your mother. We know that you will miss her. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.In Christ's Love.Judy and Ed Lewis##imported-begin##Judy and Ed Lewis##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Please accept our deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one....John and Kathryn Damron##imported-begin##Kathryn and John Damron##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. There are so many good memories we have as we read about the life of "Mamma" as she is know by so many.Maxine FullerBuddy and Pauline Fuller ButlerPaula Cox BallingerFrom all the Fuller and Cox family##imported-begin##Maxine Fuller##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Francis: Just a short note to express my sympathy to you and your husband. You will be in our prayers. Sincerely Johnny Gathright##imported-begin##Johnny Gathright##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

McKenna and I are deeply saddened by the loss of our sweet Mamma. I can remember when I was a little girl she would tell me stories and tell me how special I was. I will always remember her, and I am thankful that I got to know her, even though I didn't get to be with her very often. I know she's up in heaven with Poppa and Daddy.##imported-begin##Christine Whitaker##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

You leave more than you know for the world to share.##imported-begin##Eric Callagher##imported-end##

March 16 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Norma Jean I have many memories of Mr and Mrs Schomerus back in the 1940's going to The First Assembly Church.I have memories of you as someone I was fond of.The Schomerus family was sure favorites of my mom and dad,Vernon and Thelma Farish.I'm sorry to read in the write up that Densil was deceased.You and the family will be in my prayers during this time.Love Peggy Tipping##imported-begin##peggy jean farish tipping##imported-end##

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