



# **Annalee Murphy Duncan**

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## **D**uncan, Annalee Murphy

Annalee Murphy Duncan was born on May 14, 1919 in Van Wert, Ohio to Ira and Mabel Murphy. She passed away on October 8, 2009 at the home of her son in Richardson, Texas. Soon after graduating near the top of her 1937 class at Van Wert High School, Annalee began working for the Central Manufacturers' Mutual Insurance Company in Van Wert and in 1942 she transferred to their San Francisco office. Later she worked for Standard Oil of California. On May 22, 1945 she married Navy Lieutenant Ben Duncan and following the war they moved to Texas. Since 1953 she has resided in Longview and was a charter member of Oakland Heights Baptist Church. She is preceded in death by her husband of 50 years. Annalee is survived by her children, Sheila Moore and her husband Gene of Dallas, Texas; Sylvia Kyle and her husband Fred of Jacksonville, Florida; and David Duncan and his wife Margaret of Richardson, Texas. She is also survived by grandchildren Geoff Moore, Emily Moore Kenton, Randy Duncan, Andrew Duncan and Claire Duncan; and 5 great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends on October 11, 2009 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Rader Funeral Home. A memorial service will be held on October 12, 2009 at 2 p.m. in the sanctuary of Oakland Heights Baptist Church, located at the corner of Judson Road and Eden Drive. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the library at Oakland Heights Baptist Church, 1600 Judson Road, Longview, Texas 75601.



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**Anonymous** posted:

I was so sorry to read about Annalee. My Jack worked for Ben and we cared very much for both of them. She came to Jack's visitation with the Coleman's in April. I've kept up with her at birthday and Christmas time and she with me. I will miss her and I know what a great loss this is for all of you. May God be with you and comfort you.##imported-begin##Pat Parker##imported-end##

October 16 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

David - My thoughts and prayers are with you and your immediate family as you grieve over your mom's passing. Mothers are special people and I am certain you will cherish and appreciate all that she has done for you and your sisters. God be with you all as endure this painful period. In sorrow - Dharma##imported-begin##Dharmarajan##imported-end##

October 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

To Sheila, Sylvia, and David : I know you are thankful for your lovely mother - and that your hearts are heavy with loss. May you find comfort in your happy memories. -##imported-begin##Sally Ray##imported-end##

October 10 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Your mom was a strong Christian woman, who set an example for us all. She will truly be missed. I cherish the memories of our times at Oakland Heights with your entire family. We are sorry that we will miss the services. We are in Connecticut.##imported-begin##Todd and Bonnie Davis##imported-end##

October 10 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

We have a wealth of wonderful memories of Annalee. She was a dear aunt who was always close to me even though we lived far apart except for those 3 years. She will certainly be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. We wish you the peace that only God can give, and the joy of all the memories you have of her.##imported-begin##Bill and Sherry Hubbard##imported-end##

October 9 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Annalee set great examples for so many. My memories of growing up next door to Ben and Annalee Duncan are precious. Do know that you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Kathy TolanFredericksburg, Texas##imported-begin##Kathy Tolan##imported-end##

October 9 at 7:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Annalee by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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