



Bette Huffman

JUL 15, 1930 - JUL 18, 2012



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Memorial services for Bette Jo Melton Huffman, 82, will be Saturday July 21, 2012, at 1:00 p.m. at First Methodist Church, with the Reverend Mike L. Schutz officiating. Visitation will be held at Rader Funeral Home Friday July 20, 2012 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. Mrs. Huffman passed away Wednesday July 18, 2012.

Bette Jo was born July 15, 1930, in Longview, Texas. She was a member of First Methodist Church.

She worked for Killingsworth Oil for 26 years. Bette enjoyed cooking, dancing, watching movies, traveling with her husband and spending time with her dogs. Her family was her pride and joy and she loved spending time with her family. Her loving and sweet nature made everyone that she came in contact with feel special. She will be remembered for her beautiful smile and always wanting to protect her family. She was active in Jaycettes, DAR, Eastern Star, High Hopes Garden Club, Dorcus Bible Study and was an active member of the Henry Foster Sunday School Class at First Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother Howell Melton, her son John David Huffman, and her daughter in law, Carol Huffman.

She is survived by her loving husband of 63 years, Jerrell Huffman, her daughter, Becky Killingsworth, and husband Mike Killingsworth, of Longview; five granddaughters, Christi Chapman, and husband Clint Chapman, of Albany, Texas, Allison Bateman, and husband James Bateman of Hamilton, Ohio, Catherine Huffman of Albany, Texas, Staci Killingsworth Perez, and husband Ryan Perez of Longview, Texas, Cari Heatly, and husband John Tom Heatly of Albany, Texas, and eight great grandchildren.

The family wishes to thank all those who helped care for Mrs. Huffman, especially Maxine Bowen, Nanette Epps, Cheynice Lanier, Melba Moore and Texas Home Health.



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Memorial contributions for Bette Huffman may be sent to Asbury House or First Methodist Church of Longview.



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous posted:

I was saddened to hear that Bette has passed.##imported-begin##Stephen King##imported-end##

July 22 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Mr. Huffman, Becky and family:Heaven is a happier place now because Mrs. Bette Huffman is there! She was the kindest Southern lady I believe I've known anywhere. She will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Best regards, Debbie Floyd##imported-begin##Deborah L. Floyd##imported-end##

July 22 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Such a lovely lady! And, a loss to so many. Stephanie Rhea and Lady Margaret Peterson##imported-begin##Stephanie Rhea and Lady Margaret Peterson##imported-end##

July 22 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Mr. Huffman, Becky, and familyI am sorry to hear about Mrs. Huffman. My prayers are with you during this difficult time. Since John and I started to school together at Judson, and you coached me in Little League Baseball, I had the opportunity to know Mrs. Huffman very well. She was always involved in school and baseball activities. I was also glad to visit with her at some of the Judson reunions. I know she will be missed.##imported-begin##Dan McQueen##imported-end##

July 21 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Gerald and Becky...Barbara and I share your loss of Bette. Our prayers are with all of you. I certainly remember the good times during our younger years on Judson Rd. May God bring Peace and Comfort to you and yours.Mike and Barbara##imported-begin##Michael N Gilstrap##imported-end##

July 21 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Jerrell and Family, My sincerest sympathy to you all. Bette was such a sweet person. Love, Mary Cahill##imported-begin##Mary Cahill##imported-end##

July 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jerrell, Becky & Family - So sorry to learn of Bette's passing. Your family has always had a special place in my heart. May God bless your family during this difficult time. Love, Susan & Alex##imported-begin##Susan Hurley##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

To Jerrell, Thinking of you with love, Claire Foster##imported-begin##Claire Foster##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Jerrell, Becky and family, I am sorry for the passing of Honey and will always remember her as a dear neighbor and friend. God bless, Mark##imported-begin##Mark Fuller##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

My sympathy in your time of loss. E. P. Storie Mrs. Harold##imported-begin##E. P. Storie##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Mr. Huffman, Becky & family, I'm so sorry to hear that your dear sweet wife and mother passed. I enjoyed visiting with her and seeing that wonderful smile. My prayers are with you during this time. Love All, Suzanne##imported-begin##Suzanne ##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

So sorry for your loss. blessings. Sue Ann Joyce Mccaleb##imported-begin##sue ann cocke##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Wayne & Beth Holdridge##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We Love you!##imported-begin##Tommie & Betty Daniels##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jerrell and Becky, we are praying for God's comfort for you and the whole family during this time of sadness. Bette was a wonderful Christian woman whose kindness was spread to many during her life.##imported-begin##Virginia and Larry Boswell##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jerrell and family, Sending deepest sympathy and prayers with love at this time of loss and grief. Bette will always be remembered for her smile, kindness, dignity and grace.##imported-begin##Helen S. Ferrell##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Please accept our sincere condolences at this difficult time. Betty was a sweet, warm and lovely person and we remember her and all the happy times. God bless you all.##imported-begin##Theda and Julie Hvezdos##imported-end##

July 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jerrell, Our prayers are with all of you at this time. What a sweet, happy lady Bette was!! Know she will be missed.##imported-begin##Brenda and Michael Liverman##imported-end##

July 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Becky & Jerrell and family - please know that we send sincere thoughts of sympathy to your family in the loss of Bette. We know the loss of losing a Mother, so our special caring hugs are for all of you at this time. Bette always had a sweet and kind smile - such a lovely lady. I know you will miss her.##imported-begin##Jimmie & Gaylon Snider##imported-end##

July 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Betty was a very special person. I remember her very well as I was growing up. She always had a special smile for everyone.##imported-begin##Jerry and Diana Gilstrap##imported-end##

July 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Becky & Family I was so saddened when I read of your tragedy. I can still see her sweet smile and the glow that she had while her family was near. A wonderful woman like your Mom will no be soon forgotten. Not only was she a great Mom - she was a woman of strong character and as gentle as a new born lamb. I consider it a privilege and an honor to have known her. I pray for peace for you and for your family in the rough days ahead. May God be your guide. Mary & Weldon Hopkins 3914 FM 450 N Hallsville, Tx 75650##imported-begin##Mary & Weldon Hopkins##imported-end##

July 17 at 7:00 PM



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