



Ann Hill

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Ann Doerrie Hill passed away Wednesday July 18, 2018 in Longview, TX. She was born July 23, 1936 in Moberly, MO to Henry and Berniece Doerrie. Ann was raised in Tulsa, OK and married William C. (John) Hill on August 30, 1957 in Tulsa, OK at Boston Avenue Methodist Church.

Ann graduated from Central High School in Tulsa. She then attended Tulsa University, enrolling as a math major. She joined Delta Gamma Fraternity in 1955. She began working for Pan American Research Company as a programmer on the IBM 650 in 1956. Ann and John moved to Longview, TX in 1959 when John joined Texas Eastman Company. Ann then went to work for Sears as a payroll clerk. She also kept the books for Toujay's dress shop. Ultimately, they settled in Kilgore, TX in 1985 to enjoy the country life with their dogs. Over the years they had 5 dogs, one mixed breed, Rooter and 4 labs: Deacon, Casey, Corky and now Tohbi.

Ann then had the time to finish her college education. Ann graduated Cum Laude from The University of Texas at Tyler in 1994 with a degree in computer science.

Ann enjoyed bowling for over 50 years where she became a Permanent Member of the Women's International Bowling Congress in 1991. She was inducted into the Longview Women's Bowling Association Hall of Fame in 1996.

She enjoyed traveling throughout Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas visiting with her many friends as John pursued his hobby of competitive skeet. She was an invaluable help to John during his time as Secretary -Treasurer of the Texas Skeet Shooters Association.

Ann was a big fan of The Dallas Mavericks for many years...going to games since the 1980's.

The love, partnership and devotion to her husband of 60 years was apparent to everyone who met them. She loved to laugh and lit up a room with her smile. She will be missed by many.



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Ann was preceded in death by her parents.

Ann is survived by her husband, William (John) of Kilgore, TX; brother-in-law, Robert Hill of Addison, TX; nieces Bobbie Nichols and her husband Brent of Louisville, KY; Julie Hill of Corinth, TX; Becky Jenks of Glenpool, OK; Brenda Wilson and her husband Russell of Arlington, TX; Beth Oaks and her husband Mike of Jenks, OK; nephews Curtis Hill and his wife Mona of Tulsa, OK; Jeff Hill of Fort Worth, TX; Danny Hill and his husband Richard Bresette of Queensbury, NY; Charles Hill Jr. of Tulsa, OK; grand-nieces and grand-nephews Samantha Looschen of Georgetown, TX; Brock Nichols and Breanne Nichols of Louisville, KY; Melissa Jenks of Glenpool, OK; Kaitlyn Wilson and Michael Wilson of Arlington, TX; Tyler Oaks and Rachel Oaks of Jenks, OK.

A memorial service will be held in the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home on Saturday, August 4, 2018 at 2 p.m. with Dr. Keith Kelly officiating. Inurnment will be at Rosewood Park Cemetery Serenity Garden in Longview, TX. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to the charity of your choice.



Events

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Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, August 4, 2018

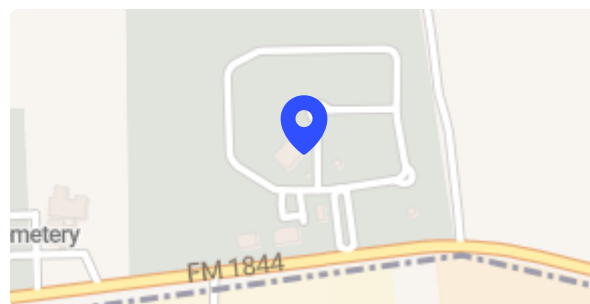
 2:00 PM CT

 **Rader Funeral Home of Longview**
1617 Judson Road, Longview TX 75601



Cemetery Details

 **Rosewood Park**
1884 FM 1844, Longview TX 75605





Tribute Wall

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Libby Gundelfinger posted:

John: Am so sorry I did not respond quicker. I remember Ann very fondly as a skeet groupie along with me. I guess the best comment I heard from her was - "I'd rather watch the grass grow than watch skeet shooters shoot." Treasure all the happy memories of your life together. God Bless you, Libby

August 4 at 9:58 AM



Sam And Anita sent a Classic Sympathy Dish Garden to the Hill family.



August 2 at 12:19 PM



Sharon & Randy Walhood sent a Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray to the Hill family.



August 2 at 5:19 AM



Anonymous sent a European Sympathy Dish Garden to the Hill family.



July 31 at 6:29 AM



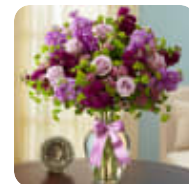
Anonymous sent a Fields of Europe to the Hill family.



July 31 at 6:23 AM



Becky Jenks And Melissa Ellis sent a Shades of Purple to the Hill family.



July 30 at 4:05 AM



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Winona Williams posted:

I have the game of bowling to thank for introducing me to Ann. I had no way of knowing what a wonderful, lasting friendship that would become. I have so many wonderful memories of the times spent locally, state wide, and around the nation traveling with her and her many other friends. Those bowling tournaments brought us closer together and awarded us with cherished friendships. John, you must know how much she was loved and admired by all who knew her. She was truly a joy to be with. I am so grateful I had the privilege of having her in my life.

July 29 at 11:19 AM



Melony Hammond posted:

John, I worked with Ann for 16 years at Sears. She was so delightful, helpful, gracious and made the best fudge, with your help. I learned payroll from Ann. I will always cherish my memories of Ann. My prayers are with you. Melony Carnline Hammond

July 27 at 6:26 AM



Gene Dworsky posted:

Ann was a fun, thoughtful person and will be greatly missed. John, Sally and I are sorry for your loss and you will be in our thoughts and prayers. Gene Dworsky

July 25 at 10:06 AM



Charlie Hill posted:

Her smile and kindness brightened the room

July 24 at 8:54 AM



Jack Park posted:

When Carol and I think back at 59 years of knowing you and Ann, we think of good times, happy times, lots of laughing and fun. Ann was a joy to be with, whether it was Tulsa, Longview, Toujays, Carlitos. Our hearts are hurting for you, John. God bless!

July 24 at 8:26 AM



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Anonymous sent a Classic Sympathy Dish Garden to the Hill family.



July 24 at 8:19 AM



Harry Daniel posted:

John,I am so sorry for your loss.Ann was a wonderful person who will missed by all who have met her. Harry Daniel

July 24 at 7:06 AM



Teresa Dersham posted:

John, the Dersham family sends our condolences. We remember Ann's smile and how she could run the scoreboard at the Tyler shoots back in the day! What fun times they were! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

July 24 at 3:28 AM



Lindsay Plesko-Weinstein posted:

John, Ann was a lovely lady and such a joy to talk to. She will be truely missed. You and your family are in our prayers.Lindsay Plesko-Weinstein

July 23 at 3:26 PM



Ellen Nelms posted:

John, Ellen I are so sad to hear of your loss. Hope you are staying well. Bob and Ellen

July 23 at 2:39 PM



Robert Chestnut posted:

John my heartfelt condolences. Ann was always so kind and helpful when I started out shooting.Robert Chestnut

July 23 at 1:58 PM



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BE

Bruce H Evans posted:

Thoughts and prayers John 🙏 Bruce Evans

July 23 at 1:52 PM

MB

Mary Broyles August 3 at 5:21 AM

John, Praying that GOD will give you peace and comfort during this time of sorrow. I met Ann 45 years ago when I began bowling. When I became a Board member & began traveling to State & National tournaments with her we became good friends she was always our "Driver" & a good one. We always looked forward to our trips because Ann always baked a BIG tin of homemade cookies for us to enjoy while playing cards or dominoes. Lots of fun times She was a very Special friend for all those years & will be missed. Mary Broyles

MG

Myron And Kathy Gee August 2 at 6:10 AM

John, We were very sorry to hear the sad news of Ann's passing. She was a very special lady that will be missed by all who knew her. Our thoughts and prayers are with you always. Myron and Kathy Gee

PC

Patsy Cobb July 26 at 2:56 PM

John, I am so very sorry for your loss. I will always cherish the fond memories I have of Ann, going way back when I knew of her but before I really knew her. Her personality and kindness made me feel as though I was family. She will be hard to replace on. Tuesday morning, but I know she will be watching over her teammates until we meet again on the Golden Lanes in Heaven. Patsy Cobb

JD

J Vernon Drake July 24 at 7:27 PM

John, I know that we cannot feel your loss, but you and your family are in our prayers. A little light went out of the world at Ann's passing. It is hard to believe that we will not see her smile across the table after saying "SCAT" in a game of 31, and then arranging her winnings with all the dollar bills facing exactly the same way. Vernon and Sondra Drake

BC

Brandon Cade July 24 at 7:33 AM

John, I am very sorry for your loss, she was such a special lady and will be missed. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Brandon Cade

BS

Billy Ray Suggs July 24 at 5:13 AM

John, I am so sorry for your loss. Ann will be greatly missed and her absence will be felt for a long time. She was well thought of and loved by all. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Billy Ray and Sherri Suggs

JS

Joanne Sparks July 24 at 3:08 AM

John, I worked with Ann at Sears, she was a great co-worker. We both came from the same area of Missouri so felt like we had something in common. My prayers are with you Joanne



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BE

Sparks

MS

Mechelle Strange July 24 at 2:35 AM

John, I hope you can find comfort in all the memoires of a wonderful life you and Ann shared. She was the first woman that spoke to me when I joined Mike at a Arkansas shoot six years ago. Ann made me instantly feel welcome in the Skeet Community. I cherish our times that we shared having dinner at Long Horn or just hanging out in the A/C in the club house or talking about good places to go eat. She always beamed when she spoke of you and her beloved dog. We will all miss her great smile and her chocolate cake!Big hugs to you, Mike Gerschick and Mechelle Strange

HS

Hank Schmidt July 23 at 3:48 PM

John---So sorry to hear about Ann...Our Best to You....Hank and Sandy Schmidt

JC

Jim Cooper July 23 at 2:55 PM

John, great memories of Skeet, meals together,Spurs/Mavs argument discussions and all of Ann's smiles. Such a lovely lady!We are thinking of you both.Jim and Vicki Cooper

JS

Jim And Jannette Speer July 23 at 2:49 PM

john,words cannot express the hurt and loss i feel. i share your loss,but remember the many times spent together.jim and jannette speer

TD

Tom Deaton July 23 at 2:28 PM

John, our heartfelt condolences to you. Ann was such a joy to be around. She will be missed.Tom and Kathy Deaton

CD

Chris Dorsey July 23 at 2:09 PM

Ann will be greatly missed. John you are in our prayers.Chris & Monique Dorsey

RH

Robert Henderson July 23 at 1:55 PM

We are so sorry for your loss.Susan and Bob Henderson



Memories only last if you share them

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



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