



Connie May Runia

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Connie May Runia, 86, of Longview, passed away peacefully during her afternoon nap on March 17th, 2021.

Connie was predeceased by her parents Jewell and May, her brothers Donald and Charles, her husband Vernon, and her son Steven. She is survived by her three sisters Joyce, Patricia, and Jewel, five sons Vernon, Timothy, James, Roy, and Thomas, her 23 grandchildren, and 19 great-grandchildren.

Connie was born on August 30th, 1934 in Chicago Illinois. She met her late husband Vernon Arthur Runia in Oak lawn Illinois. He was so proud of her and wanted to show her off to everyone. Vernon was offered a job to work on a ranch for two weeks in Texas. They decided to elope and were married in Hot Springs, Arkansas on July 21st, 1951. Connie and husband Vernon were together 54 beautiful years before his passing in 2005. Together they were blessed with six boys who in return blessed her with 23 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. She accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as her savior when she was 12 years old and all she wanted to do was to go to church!!! She was sure to share her faith with anyone who would listen and spread the word of our savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. Connie was a great wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Connie cherished blessing others. Every year she made sure to send each grandchild and great-grandchild a birthday card and/or Christmas card along with updates on her year. Connie was loving, caring, and always thought dearly of her family, relatives, and friends. Connie lived a full and warm life, filled with joy and kindness. She will be fondly remembered and deeply missed.



Events

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Public Viewing

- Sunday**, March 21, 2021
- 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM CT
- Rader Funeral Home**
1617 Judson Rd., Longview TX 75601



Funeral Service

- Monday**, March 22, 2021
- 10:00 AM CT
- Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview**
1617 Judson Road, Longview TX 75601



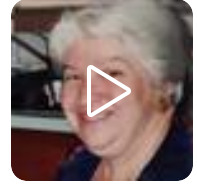


Tribute Wall

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Rader Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



March 22 at 5:46 AM



Trudy Rae posted:

Sorry to hear this roy and tim . You both visited her regularly I do know that 9and u loved ur mom. My condolenses

May 19 at 2:17 AM



Carolyn Runia posted:

Grandma/Great Grandma Connie will be missed dearly. My daughters became great pen pals with their great Grandmother over the past few years, and they were so happy to get to know their great Grandmother. We will forever cherish the relationship we came to build with her. She was sweet, thoughtful, wise, and loving. She is surely now in God's beautiful kingdom, and we will continue to send her our love through prayer.

March 18 at 6:11 PM



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Runia family.



March 18 at 6:04 PM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Runia family.



March 18 at 1:28 PM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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