



Sandra June Shipp

August 22, 1939 - August 8, 2020

Sandra June Shipp, 80, of Longview, Texas passed away on August 8, 2020 after her battle with cancer. A celebration of life will be held at 2 PM Tuesday, August 11, in the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview with Rev. Jay Jackson officiating. The service will also be webcast at www.raderfh.com on her obituary page for those unable to attend. She was born in Ft. Worth, Texas to Ernest and Mabel Long on August 22nd, 1939 and moved to Longview at the age of 2 where she lived until her death. She met her soul mate, Carroll Mack Shipp in the 3rd grade while both were attending Campus Ward. They started dating in their sophomore year at Longview High School and married in 1958, the year after their graduation and were happily married for 62 years.

Sandra worked in the Longview ISD system and was an administrative assistant at First Methodist Church, Longview for 25 years, where she and Carroll were active members and members of the Waddell Sunday School class. Sandra had an unwavering love and dedication for her Lord, her husband, and family and friends. This was evident in everything she did.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her stepfather Guy Nivens, in-laws, Les and Myrtle Shipp, and one brother, David Long.

Those left to cherish her memory are her husband, Carroll; her son, Howard and wife Vickie of Kilgore; daughter Sheila Rogers and husband Danny of Kilgore; sister, JoAnn Malone of Longview. Her grandchildren: Kyle Shipp and fiancé Carrie Burns, Stephanie Collins and husband Chris, Lara Zahn and husband Dustin, Patrick Simmons and wife, Hannah, Branson and Nicole Rogers and Bailey Rogers. She was also survived by 3 great grandchildren, Bailee, Cullen and Cooper and numerous nephews and nieces.

The family would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to Dr. Neeraj Sharma and Anita Steelman and staff of the Texas Oncology Center of Longview.

Memorials can be made to the Newgate Mission, Longview if desired.

A memorial guestbook may be signed online at www.raderfh.com.

Events

AUG **Celebration of Life** 02:00PM

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Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview
1617 Judson Road, Longview, TX, US, 75601

Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



Rader Funeral Home - August 11, 2020 at 09:07 AM



“ So sorry for your loss of Sandra.
She was one of God's warriors and a dear friend. I will miss her terribly. To the family-I share your grief!

Martha Fuhrman - August 11, 2020 at 01:58 PM



“ Miss the good times we shared working and attending church together. To the family I am sorry for your loss. Betty and Tom Hunt

Betty Hunt - August 11, 2020 at 03:34 PM



“ A beautiful service for a beautiful woman, inside and out. You will be greatly missed, Sandra.

Christy Triage - August 11, 2020 at 03:43 PM



“ An external video has been added.



Rader Funeral Home - August 10, 2020 at 10:50 AM



“ Remembering Sandra from Jr. High and High school days. She was a kind and sweet friend always with a smile.
Margaret Baker Rhodes

Margaret Baker Rhodes - August 11, 2020 at 03:58 PM



“ You have been a precious friend to me since we were young....you were a good and faithful servant at all times ...good and bad times...I learned from your strength....today you are with Jesus and I rejoice tho I will always miss you...I love you deeply.....Linda

Linda Wicker Lackey - August 11, 2020 at 02:45 PM



“ Carroll

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Ronnie & Marsha Dotson

Ronnie Dotson - August 11, 2020 at 01:45 PM



“ Sandra was such a dear, sweet friend. She will truly be missed by the Rawlins family. We have such beautiful memories of Sandra in both happy and sad times. She was so supportive and loving to my family when my dad passed away. -A true Christian friend.

Kathleen Greene - August 11, 2020 at 11:59 AM



“ Sandra was one of the kindest, most loving people I have ever known. She was a true friend (more like another mom) and mentor to me when I was still wet behind the ears and took my first “real” job at FUMC. I have many precious memories of her. My heart goes out to Carroll and her family. She was one of a kind and I will never forget her.

Deronda Flemister - August 11, 2020 at 12:14 PM



“ Sandra and I worked together on several church committees. She was always willing to go the extra mile in taking care of the needs of others. The community will miss her and know that she is free of pain and in the arms of our Lord..marge smith

margie smithi - August 11, 2020 at 02:40 PM



“ The service for Sandra was very caring and spoke of many fond memories for their family. So many great Bible verses. I'm so thankful to have known Sandra. She was always such a diligent praying friend and so willing to go out of her way to check in. I will miss her dearly but thankful she is now pain free. Love and prayers to Carroll and their family. Suzi White

Suzi White - August 11, 2020 at 04:18 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 11, 2020 at 09:47 AM



“ Our sympathy to the Shipp family. We remember Sandra fondly from our days at First Methodist. We especially enjoyed our trip to Israel with her and teased her because the people there couldn't seem to pronounce her name right.
Bill & Bonita Presson

Bonita Presson - August 11, 2020 at 09:46 AM



“ A very beautiful lady with class and love for everyone. Know she will be missed by many. Mr C hope you are doing well.

jim crow - August 11, 2020 at 08:30 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 11, 2020 at 07:51 AM



“ What a wonderful lady! It was my distinct privilege to have known Sandra since our early grade school years. She was the perfect example of a true friend. Her home was always open to us anytime we were in Longview. Her children were always just as gracious. She will be missed by many especially by all of her friends from the LHS Class of '57. Our thoughts and prayers are with Carroll Mack, Sheila, Howard and all of the Shipp family at this time. Her passing will leave a big void in so many lives.
Proverbs 31:10-28 Rex and Carolyn King

Rex King - August 10, 2020 at 08:43 PM



“ Carroll,
Russ and I know our lives have been enriched with knowing Sandra and you! Each Sunday as we took our seats in early church, Sandra would immediately turn to us with her lovely smile and warm greeting. She truly was a "special" lady who loved people and loved God! You and your family are in our prayers.

Sally and Russ Brown

Sally & Russ Brown - August 10, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ Sending our sympathy to Carroll and the family.
Margie and Gerald Corley

Margie Corley - August 10, 2020 at 07:52 PM



“ Carroll and family -
Sandra was a faithful servant of Jesus Christ and his church. I will always remember her hard work and dedication to First United Methodist Church of Longview. She and I spent many hours working together and struggling with things like stewardship, evangelism, and facilities. She was incredible in her abilities and devotion. God bless you and hold you in His hand at this difficult time.
Terry Winn

Terry Winn - August 10, 2020 at 06:27 PM



“ Blessed Heart was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 10, 2020 at 05:57 PM



“ Carroll and Family,

Janelle and I are so sorry to hear of the passing of Sandra. Janelle reminded me of the time Sandra came to the hospital when our first child was born. Janelle looked up and Sandra was standing by her bed patting on her. What a sweet lady she was. Love and Prayers.

Jimmy/Janelle Carver

Jimmy Carver - August 10, 2020 at 05:53 PM



“ My memories encompass her presence at First United Methodist Church Longview. While Dad (Rev. Dr. Bob W. Parrott) was senior pastor, Sandra was constantly a tremendous help to him in the day-to-day activities of church administration. Sandra presented a positive attitude in everything she encountered. I have many fond memories of her presence at FUMC Longview

Deborah Parrott - August 10, 2020 at 03:59 PM



“ Carroll, Howard and Sheila, I am very saddened by the passing of Sandra. I well remember all the years she was a secretary at our church. My heartfelt prayers are with you all. I loved and appreciated Sandra.

Mabelle Henderson - August 10, 2020 at 02:40 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 10, 2020 at 01:37 PM



“ The Family of Geonix Oilfield Products purchased the Heavenly Sentiments Spray for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



The Family of Geonix Oilfield Products - August 10, 2020 at 12:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 10, 2020 at 12:14 PM



“ Dear Carroll and Family,
We send our deepest sympathy on the loss of Sandra. She was a very special lady and
will be missed in the Waddell Sunday School Class.
Love and prayers,
Judy and Ed Lewis

Judy and Ed Lewis - August 10, 2020 at 11:59 AM



“ Carroll, we are sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and the family.

Carlos and Frankie Hunt
(Eastman)

Frankie Hunt - August 10, 2020 at 10:58 AM



“ Jerome and I always remember her sweet smile and willingness to help get the 1957 Lobos reunions together. Jerome remembers her from the seventh grade, Mrs. McHaney's class, Foster Jr. High.

Elva Waits - August 10, 2020 at 10:06 AM



“ Carroll,
We are so saddened with Sandra's illness and passing. Our friendship goes back forever! Loved her as a dear friend and treasure those times. Please know that you and your family are in our prayers.

Brenda and Michael Liverman - August 10, 2020 at 08:00 AM



“ Debbie Brown purchased the In Memory - Angel Figurine, 9 in for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



Debbie Brown - August 09, 2020 at 05:51 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sandra June Shipp.



August 09, 2020 at 04:45 PM