



## Mrs. Beckie Faye Coats

January 11, 1921 - November 11, 2015

Funeral services for Mrs. Beckie Wilkerson Coats, 94, of Carthage, Texas will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 14, 2015 in the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Mr. Ricky Womack officiating. Burial will follow in the Deadwood Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 5-7:00 p.m. Friday at Hawthorn Funeral Home. Mrs. Coats died November 11, 2015 in Carthage, Texas.

Mrs. Beckie Faye Wilkerson Coats was born January 11, 1921 in Deadwood Community of Panola County, Texas. She was one of eight children born to the marriage of Joe and Pearl Davis Wilkerson. Beckie was raised and schooled in Deadwood, Texas, where she was a lifelong member of the Deadwood United Methodist Church. She married Asa Houston Coats who preceded her in death in 1990. Mrs. Coats was a longtime waitress for Joe's Café in Carthage. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother who loved gardening and cooking for family and friends. She is also preceded in death by her parents, siblings, Ludie Mae LaGrone, Jack, Joe Lee, Dorris and Tom Wilkerson.

Mrs. Coats is survived by her devoted son, Bobby Johnson and wife Donna of Laird Hill, sister, Norene Womack of Shreveport, Louisiana, grandchildren, Jobe Johnson and wife Diane of Laird Hill, Josh Johnson and wife Amanda of Henderson, Jill Johnson of Padre Island, great grandchildren, Rebekah, Sam and Thomas, numerous nieces, nephews, and a host of friends. Special thanks to the staff of Carthage Health Care for all they have done.

Serving as pallbearers will be, Randall Wilkerson, Noble Dickerson, Darren Wilkerson, Calvin Whiddon, Ricky Womack and Bob Spradley.

The family request memorial donations to the Deadwood Cemetery Association. An online guestbook may be signed at [www.hawthornfuneralhome.com](http://www.hawthornfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **13.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home  
307 West Wellington Street  
P.O. Box 188  
Carthage, TX 75633  
(903) 693-3816  
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## Service

NOV **14.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel  
307 W Wellington St.  
Carthage, Tx

# Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Beckie Faye Coats



Hawthorn Funeral Home - November 13, 2015 at 01:27 PM

JR

“ I'm so sorry to hear about the death of this wonderful lady who was also a great friend of my Aunt Ruth Dale and Uncle Woodrow for many years. My family enjoyed the times Beckie and Ace would come to visit them at Lake Bistineau. She was a beautiful lady inside and out!  
Joyce Shelley Rowland & family

Joyce Rowland - November 25, 2015 at 05:42 PM

CB

“ Cyndi Bell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Beckie Faye Coats



cyndi bell - November 15, 2015 at 11:19 AM

BS

“ Bobby, I am so sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in knowing that your mother is now resting peacefully and is in a better place. Love you and continued prayers for you and your family.

Brenda Johnson Smith

Brenda Johnson Smith - November 14, 2015 at 09:45 AM

BJ

“ Thank you all for your kind words. I love my Mother very much but know she is in a better place. Your thoughts and prayers are appreciated.

Bobby

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**Bobby Johnson** - November 14, 2015 at 06:24 AM



“ 21 files added to the album LifeTributes



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**Hawthorn Funeral Home** - November 13, 2015 at 12:17 PM

BE

“ Mrs. Beckie was such an inspiration to me. Every time she came in to my work place she would have a sweet smile on her face and a compliment to share. She was beautiful inside and out...she always had her hair fixed just right, her nails perfect(we shared nail polish) and she was looking good! I loved her faith in God, we shared that too! She was quite a lady. Bobby, you and your family are in our prayers.

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**Becky Eubank** - November 13, 2015 at 10:41 AM

IR

“ Bobby,  
Chris and I are saddened by your loss. She was a sweet and beautiful lady. She will be missed.  
Ike.

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**Ike Reeves** - November 13, 2015 at 05:38 AM

JC

“ *Our thoughts are with you all.  
Sincères Condolences.  
John & Christy From France*



John COATS - November 13, 2015 at 02:42 AM

JD

“ *Jerry Wilkerson Duke sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs.  
Beckie Faye Coats*



jerry wilkerson duke - November 12, 2015 at 05:36 PM

LB

“ *Lisa Barnett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beckie Faye  
Coats*



Lisa Barnett - November 12, 2015 at 02:47 PM

JJ

“ *I am so blessed to have had her as my grandmother. She was the most loving, caring and warm hearted person. She could cook better than anyone (and always had a pitcher of sweet tea in the fridge). She would let me go "grocery shopping", which is what she and my grandfather called it, which meant I got to go through the pantry and pick out anything I wanted and she would bag it up for me. My summers were spent there and her and my grandfather never complained when I wanted to stay longer. I'll miss her famous red velvet cake, homemade sweet pickles, her laugh and her contagious smile.....but mostly, I'll just miss my Granny. I love you and look forward to you greeting me with open arms when we meet again.*



*Jill*

Jill Johnson - November 12, 2015 at 01:18 PM