



Mrs. Betty L. McKnight

August 7, 1931 - October 31, 2017

Graveside funeral services for Mrs. Betty McKnight, 86, of Carthage, Texas will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, November 4, 2017 at the Odd Fellows Cemetery with Dr. Dale Reed officiating. Burial will follow under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday prior to the graveside service. Mrs. McKnight died October 31, 2017 in Carthage, Texas.

Mrs. Betty Lou Holland McKnight was born August 7, 1931 in Mooringsport, Louisiana. She was the baby or four children born to the marriage of Walter Dayton and Emma Lou Lofton Holland. She was raised and schooled in Mooringsport and later married Murrell Leroy McKnight. Together they raised two sons in a loving home. Betty was a homemaker, animal lover, excellent cook and baker to the family she cared for. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, and sisters, Margie Cockerham, Ruth Douglas, and a brother, Walter Carroll Holland.

Mrs. McKnight is survived by her devoted sons, Larry McKnight and his wife Deanna of Carthage, Tommy McKnight and his wife Kaylan of Carthage, grandchildren, Jeff McKnight and wife Misty of Beckville, Melissa McKnight of Carthage, Tammy McFarland and husband Michael of Troup, Timothy McKnight and wife Kris of California, Justin Jones and wife Natalie of Carthage, and Graham Jones of Carthage, nineteen great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends. Serving as pallbearers will be Jeff McKnight, Tye McKnight Lane McKnight Kolby Briggs, Logan Briggs, Justin Jones, and Graham Jones. Honorary pallbearers will be Bill Evans and Nelson Monroe. A guestbook may be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Odd Fellows Cemetery
South St. Mary Street
Carthage, TX