



Elaine Helton

March 3, 1925 - February 6, 2011

Funeral services for Mrs. Elaine Helton, 85 of Carthage, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 8, 2011 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. James Shepherd officiating. Burial will follow in the Carthage City Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Family visitation will be Monday evening from 6–8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Mrs. Helton passed away February 6, 2011 in Carthage.

Mrs. Elaine Milam Helton was born March 3, 1925 in the Deadwood Community of Panola County, Texas. She was one of eight children born to the marriage of William Jack and Viola Bounds Milam. Elaine was raised in the Logan Community and attended Yarnell schools. She met and later married Forrest Helton on July 31, 1943 and together they celebrated 67 years. Elaine was a homemaker, a pastor's wife on fire for God, a ray of sunshine and was loved by all that knew her. Mrs. Helton was also a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Marshall. She is preceded in death by her parents, siblings, Lillian Warren, Florette Newman, Paul Milam, Thurman Milam, R.J. Milam and Billy Ray Milam.

Mrs. Helton is survived by her loving husband, Forrest Helton of Carthage; son, Forrest Wayne Helton of Houston; daughters, Connie Helton of Shreveport, Louisiana, Nelvin Kinsey and husband Gary of Shreveport, Louisiana, Elsie Riels and husband Mike of Collinsville, Oklahoma; brother, Earl Wayne Milam of Dallas; grandchildren, Christina Willis of Shreveport, Louisiana and Terri McCoy of Bossier City, Louisiana; great grandchildren,

Ariel Willis, Caleb Lucky, Alexis Willis, Eli McCoy and Jillian McCoy; great, great grandson Jaden Fontaine.; numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Previous Events

Service

FEB 8. 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 Elaine Helton



Hawthorn Funeral Home - February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry about the loss of Elaine. Her & Forrest have been Friends of ours a very long time.
Their parents & my were good friends. All were Brothers & Sisters in the Lord.
May God grant peace & comfort to the Family##imported-begin##Sam & Helen Fowler##imported-end##

February 12, 2011 at 12:47 PM



“ Helton family,
Y'all are in my prayers. I wish I could have been there to hug you all. Your Mother was such an inspiration in her faith to me as such a young child. I'm so sorry for your loss. I have missed all of y'all for so many years. My love to all of your family. Sheri Lawrence Culkin##imported-begin##Sheri Culkin##imported-end##

February 11, 2011 at 09:58 PM



“ Bro. Helton and family. You have mylove and prayers. So sorry to hear about Sis Elaine. Praise God you know she has just been transfered to heaven. I wish I could say something too ease your pain but there isn't anything. I know I have been there. This one thing I know , you have Jesus, He will be with you till the end. God bless you and your family,###imported-begin##Wanda Sue (Boyd) Skipworth###imported-end##

February 07, 2011 at 06:01 PM



“ To the Helton Family, I am very sorry to hear of your loss. I remember the Helton's when they lived in San Augustine across from the high school. May God Bless all of you in this time sorrow. I know you will miss her greatly.

Bobby Sowell

Dallas, Texas###imported-begin##Bobby Sowell###imported-end##

February 07, 2011 at 11:59 AM



“ On behalf of all of the staff at Heartsway Hospice, I extend condolences to the family of Elaine Helton. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of grief. May God comfort you with His Spirit and with blessed memories.###imported-begin##Chaplain Larry Tyler###imported-end##

February 07, 2011 at 10:00 AM