



Mrs. Joy LaVerne Watters

October 3, 1936 - January 11, 2024

Graveside funeral services for Mrs. Joy Watters, 87, of Carthage, Texas will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, January 18, 2024, at the Rehobeth Cemetery with Rev. Dale Walker officiating. Burial will follow under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home.

Mrs. Joy LaVerne Wynn Watters was born October 3, 1936, in Kennedy, Texas. She passed this life January 11, 2024, in Carthage, Texas. Joy was the older of two children born to the marriage of Belvia Cupfert "BC" and Vivian Mae Faught Wynn. She was raised and schooled in Corpus Christi, Texas, graduating Del Ray High School and attended Brazoswood Junior College. Joy married her love James Elbert Watters February 14, 1969, and they celebrated 39 years of marriage before he preceded her in death in 2008. Mrs. Watters spent her career as a real estate broker and owner of Bailey Watters Realty until her retirement. She was a member of the Southside Baptist Church. She loved music, dancing and time in the outdoors fishing or flower gardening. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, and a brother, Dennis Wynn.

Mrs. Watters is survived by her children, Brad Mayer and wife Crystal of Carthage, Rebecca Minyard and Kenneth Randermann of Carthage, James Scott Watters and wife Carolyn of Carthage; sister-in-law, June Wynn of Kempner and her children, Julie Peters, Clint and Michael Wynn; grandchildren, Jason and Jamie Mayer, Kyle and Sarah Mayer, Brooke and Joey Whiteside, Hollie Mojica and husband Richard, Aubrey Watters, and

Sierra Watters; great grandchildren, Dylan, Alana, Lily, Declan, Kylee, Brooklyn, Brilee, and Landon; other relatives and a host of friends.
Honorary pallbearers will be, Jason Mayer, Kyle Mayer, Dylan Mayer, Declan Mayer, Richard Mojica, Joey Whiteside, Landon Mojica.
An online guestbook may be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Rehobeth Cemetery

2207 US Hwy 59 N
Carthage, TX 75633

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

Rehobeth Cemetery
2207 Hwy 59 North
Carthage, TX

Tribute Wall

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“ I was honored to know Ms. Joy later in her life. We spent many hours talking and sometimes listening to 1940's music which she enjoyed. And having a good Dr. Pepper. She was a wealth of knowledge and was able to pass some of her knowledge onto me. I enjoyed being in the company of Ms. Joy. She was a very sweet soul!

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