



Mrs. Linda Worthy

July 22, 1941 - January 30, 2017

Funeral services for Mrs. Linda Worthy, 75, of Shalimar, Florida formerly of Panola County, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, February 4, 2017 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Rodger Cole and Rev. Brian Branham officiating. Burial will follow in the Antioch Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. The family will receive friends from 6-8:00 p.m. Friday evening at the funeral home. Mrs. Worthy passed away January 30, 2017 in Ft. Walton Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Linda Grace Magness Worthy was born July 22, 1941 in Cedar Town, Georgia. She was one of two children born to Herman L. and Grace Irene Smith Magness. Linda graduated from Grand Prairie High School and married her high school sweetheart, Jimmy Thomas Worthy, on September 5, 1959 and together they celebrated 57 years. She was a military wife for 26 of those years traveling around half the world with her husband CMSgt Jim Worthy. Linda was a LPN for 19 years working in skilled nursing facilities and home health. She is preceded in death by her parents; brother, Larry Magness and granddaughter Rachel Howard.

Mrs. Worthy is survived by her loving husband, Jim Worthy of Shalimar, FL; daughter, Terrie Howard and husband Bobby of Carthage; son, MSgt Jimmy Worthy, Jr. and wife Susan of St. Louis, MO; grandchildren, Jeremy Green and wife Heather, CW3 Benjamin Green and wife Kate, Michael Howard and wife Mary, Daniel Bert, Nataly Worthy, Jeremy Bert, Joshua Worthy; great grandchildren, Kaleb Chandler, Rhett Green, Ryleigh Green, Macie Moody,

Jaxon Howard and Luke Green.

Linda is also survived and loved by numerous nieces and nephews and their children.

Serving as pallbearers will be Ben Green, Jeremy Green, Joshua Worthy, Michael Howard, Kaleb Chandler and Rhett Green.

Cemetery Details

Antioch Cemetery

345 CR 405
Carthage, TX 75633

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

FEB 4. 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. Linda Worthy



Hawthorn Funeral Home - February 03, 2017 at 03:10 PM

KD

“ Jimmy and family,

I was so saddened to hear of Linda's untimely passing. She was always such a sweet and loving person, and the world is an empty place without her. Truly our loss is Heaven's gain.

You are in our thoughts and prayers. If you are in the Houston area, look us up. We would love to see you.

Kristi & Patrick DeNardo

Kristi DeNardo - February 08, 2017 at 02:39 PM

DB

“ Jimmy, I am so sorry about Linda's going home. She was 8 years old when we moved to Grand Prairie in 1949. Roy, Grace, Linda and Larry were our neighbors until they moved to east Texas. I remember when you and Linda were dating. I think you had a 56 Ford with loud pipes. I was 13 when you and Linda got married and Larry and I were ushers and candle lighters. I can only imagine your loss. You are in my prayers. If you ever get back to Grand Prairie, I would love to see you. my phone number is 817-592-3824. Cell 214-202-0956. May Gods Grace see you through the days ahead.

Denny Brown

Denny Brown - February 06, 2017 at 09:44 PM

BM

“ Linda, Larry, Roy and Grace were our neighbors when I was growing up. Linda was always beautiful and I loved her...I looked up to her. I can still see her smile and hear her laugh. I loved to sit by her in church. One time before she married Jimmy, she wrote on an offering envelope something in shorthand that she would not tell me what she wrote..I kept the envelope and vowed right then I would take shorthand in high school..and I did..It said I LOVE JIMMY WORTHY DO YOU? I was about 10 when she and Jimmy got married...I caught her bouquet :-). I put the petals in that envelope and kept it FOREVER. About 20 years ago I sent them to Linda. She said her grandson thought it was funny. Hugs and prayers to Jim and all the family.

Brenda Brown McGahey

Brenda McGahey - February 04, 2017 at 12:09 PM



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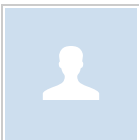


Hawthorn Funeral Home - February 03, 2017 at 02:45 PM



“ I remember special times with Linda, Jim and children many years ago when we were young Association of Baptist Students' Summer Missionaries. You took us in your home, showed us the sights of Anchorage, Alaska (that we still talk about today), and were faithful members of a struggling small church. We cherish these memories, and are sad to hear of Linda's death. Our sympathy to Jim and children. Looking forward to seeing you all in heaven. Travis and Marilyn Kitchens, Kilgore, Tx.

Marilyn Kitchens - February 03, 2017 at 12:02 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda Worthy.



February 02, 2017 at 07:48 PM

CW

“ Wren and I are so saddened by the loss of sweet Linda. We are praying for you Jim and the family Wren and Cynthia.

Cynthia Worthy - February 02, 2017 at 05:38 PM

LT

“ Dear Jim & Family,
We are praying for comfort to you and Family and saddened by the loss of Linda.
We enjoyed our visit this past Christmas day.
All or Love,



Lou & Therese - February 02, 2017 at 03:35 PM

YF

“ Your Siemens' Healthcare Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Linda Worthy.



Your Siemens' Healthcare Family - February 01, 2017 at 01:13 PM

SA

“ Linda was a special person. She loved the Lord. She was always there if you needed her. Her and Jim was wonderful neighbors. Sending my prayers to the family.

Sandra Abernathy - January 31, 2017 at 06:50 PM

SN

“ *Ms Linda was the epitome of a lady. Sweetly soft-spoken, laughter and joy followed her wherever she went. And her love for Mr Jim was an example of the greatest love of all, right up there with Jesus. The world will be a little bit emptied knowing she has left it. I sure loved her.*

Shawn McVay Norris - January 31, 2017 at 05:18 PM



“ *Linda was kind, gentle, soft-spoken, loving, nurturing, funny (I loved her laugh and smile), intelligent, hardworking, dedicated to God, family and friends. She was beautiful inside and out. She touched so many lives. She will be missed but I will cling to the wonderful memories of this special lady and rejoice in knowing I will see her in heaven. My heartfelt sympathy to Jim and family. You are loved.*
Renee Spurgeon Nolen

Renee Nolen - January 31, 2017 at 02:29 PM