



## Mrs. Mary Lee Davis Messick

February 9, 1941 - May 18, 2023

Funeral services for Mary Lee Davis Messick, 82 of Carthage, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 23, 2023 in the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Mary Smith officiating. Burial will follow in Deadwood Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be Monday from 6 – 8:00 p.m., at the funeral home.

Mary Lee Davis Messick was born February 9, 1941 in the Deadwood Community of Panola County, Texas to Roland Lee and Ovell Barnett Davis and passed away May 18, 2023 in Tyler, Texas. She was a graduate of Carthage High School. Mary married the love of her life, Ivy Corley “Bud” Messick and together they spent 28 years before he preceded her in death in 2001.

Mary is survived by her brothers, Jimmy Davis and wife Jean, and Larry J. Davis and wife Terry Beth; sister, Shirley Dickerson; son, Rocky Messengale and wife Tina; granddaughters, Brooklyn Stewart, and Cheyenne Marksberry and husband John; grandson, Brannon Hightower and wife Cassidy; great-grandsons, Brayden Stewart, Bowen Hightower and Gentry Marksberry; great-granddaughters, Kynlee Stewart, Bailyn Hightower and River Marksberry; a host of nieces and nephews whom she loved very much; and close friends, Billie Jean Hataway and Lacey Allain.

Serving as pallbearers will be Brannon Hightower, Brayden Stewart, John Marksberry, Mike Davis, Daniel Davis and Kevin Dickerson. Honorary pallbearers will be Mark Davis, Mitch Davis, Marty Davis, David Davis,, Doug Davis, Brett Smith and Cameron Smith.

The family would like to especially thank Lacey Allain for her wonderful friendship and all the many ways she helped take care of Mrs. Mary.

In lieu of flowers, Mary requested donations be made to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital or Disabled American Veterans.

# Cemetery Details

## Deadwood Cemetery

Deadwood, TX

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 22.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home  
307 West Wellington Street  
P.O. Box 188  
Carthage, TX 75633  
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## Funeral Service

**MAY 23.** 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. Mary Lee Davis Messick



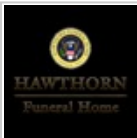
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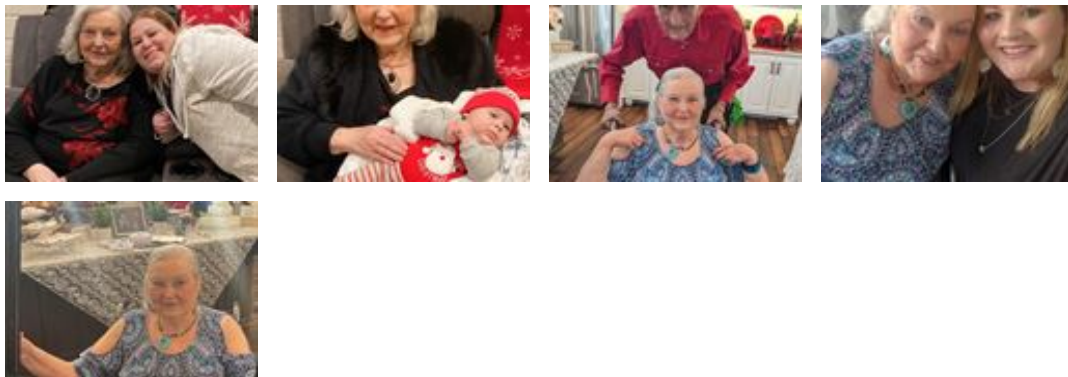
“ Debrah lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lee Davis Messick



Debrah - May 22, 2023 at 02:05 PM



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“ She always said I was her baby her angel and the truth is she was my baby my angel God gave us each other. Mrs Mary and I shared daily phone calls and daily visits as the days were not long enough if only we could stop the clocks their was stuff still to do stuff she still wanted to do. Mrs Mary always felt she was a bother I did my best to always assure her no ma'am never was she. I cared and loved her as my own to me she was. It was never a job for me to me it was a Blessing! Everyday spent with her was just that regardless of what we did where we Went. Our time was more prescious than anything. She was and will always be my forever bestest friend.

Lacey Allain - May 21, 2023 at 11:19 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Lee Davis Messick.



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