



Mrs. Rachel Smith

May 3, 1937 - March 27, 2018

Funeral services for Mrs. Rachel Smith, 80, of Tatum will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday, March 31, 2018 at Trinity Baptist Church in Lakeport with Bro. Gary May officiating. Burial will follow in White Rock Cemetery in Shelby County, Texas under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 6-8:00 p.m. Friday night at Hawthorn Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rachel Ernestine Hollis Smith was born May 3, 1937 in Trinity County, Texas to the marriage of William Franklin and Ida Pyle Hollis, and passed away March 27, 2018 in Longview, Texas. She was raised and schooled in Groveton and later attended Panola College. Rachel owned a convenience store, worked as a beautician, bookkeeper and in 2005 retired from Nacogdoches ISD. She married Carl Junior Smith on December 19, 1953 and together they celebrated almost 56 years of marriage until his death in 2009. A loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother, Mrs. Smith enjoyed reading and caring for her family. She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church in Lakeport. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, brothers, James Hollis, Charles Hollis, and Johnnie Ray Hollis; and sisters, Ida Mae Wright and Mary Rogers.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her son, Bobby Wayne Smith of Gary; daughters, Helen Marie Slanina and husband Victor of Umatilla, FL and Pattie Renee Foster and husband Mark of Tatum; sister, Reba Jones of Gallatin; brothers, Richard Hollis and wife Doris of Livingston and Robert Hollis and wife Sue of Silsbee; grandchildren, Carl Jeffrey Anderson, Pattie Lynn Foster, William

Neely Endsley and wife Venessa, Rebecca Lynn Kennon and husband Christian, Megan Leslie Anderson and husband Derek, Christopher Cody Endsley, Eric Alan Endsley and Missy LeAnn Foster; and great grandchildren, Kolby Wilson, Miley Wilson, Brysun Endsley, Logan Endsley and Kasen Anderson.

Serving as pallbearers will be Bobby W. Smith, William Henry Hollis, Carl Jeffrey Anderson, Tommy Jones, Christopher Endsley and Derek Anderson.

The family would like to thank Pinetree Lodge of Longview and Heart to Heart Hospice for their loving care.

The family request memorials be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital or the Alzheimer's Association.

Cemetery Details

White Rock Cemetery

Hwy 7
Center, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **30**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

MAR **31**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Baptist Church
5041 Estes Pkwy
Longview, TX 75603

Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Rachel Smith



Hawthorn Funeral Home - March 30, 2018 at 03:39 PM



Thank you for your prayers, love and support during this time. We have surely felt it. Our hearts are broken, but we rejoice that Momma is Home at last .

Pattie Smith Foster - March 31, 2018 at 08:58 AM

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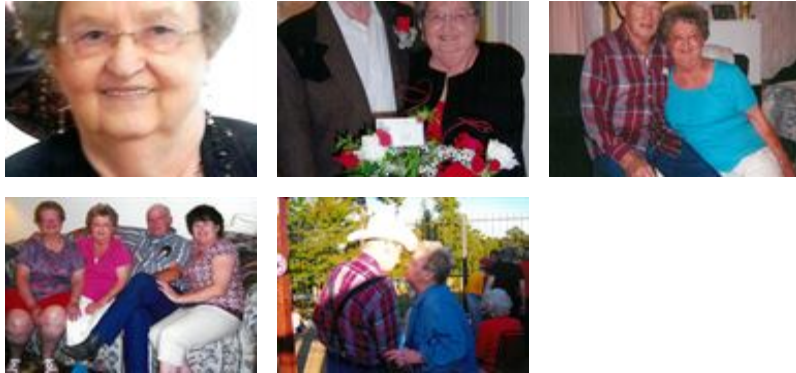
“ Mary Hurst lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Smith



Mary Hurst - March 31, 2018 at 09:48 AM



“ 52 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hawthorn Funeral Home - March 30, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ Vijay, Lisa, Chris and Nick D'Souza purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Mrs. Rachel Smith.



Vijay, Lisa, Chris and Nick D'Souza - March 30, 2018 at 10:53 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Rachel Smith.



March 29, 2018 at 11:08 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Rachel Smith.*



March 29, 2018 at 08:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Rachel Smith.*



March 29, 2018 at 10:04 AM



“ *Such a sweet lady, glad we shared a birthday and she will always be remembered for her lovely smile and sweet demeanor. Prayers and hugs. Adrean and family*



Adrean Davis - March 28, 2018 at 01:02 PM



“ *I only met this lady a few times but her daughter is a wonderful lady Mrs Pattie I'm sorry for ur loss praying for yall love u another angel in heaven*

tammy - March 28, 2018 at 12:53 PM