



Effie Leek

February 27, 1929 - July 5, 2015

Effie Elizabeth Leek, of Jacksboro, Texas was born on February 27, 1929 to John Hubert and Martha Elizabeth (Thomas) Townley in Paducah, Texas. She passed away on Sunday July 5, 2015 in Wichita Falls, Texas. She was 86 years old.

Effie married E. S. "Dutch" Leek on December 18, 1949 in Jacksboro, Texas. She was a retired supervisor for Haggard Slacks. Effie was active in and around the community being a member of the Red Hat Society and always being at the Red Cross Blood Drive as a volunteer. She was an active member of First Baptist Church in their Sunshine Sunday School Class, the choir and a teacher for many years in the children's ministry. Most importantly she was a lovely Christian woman, wife, mother and friend.

Effie is preceded in death by her parents; her husband Dutch and her brother John Townley.

Among the many who will miss her dearly include her son Tommy Leek of Jacksboro; her daughter Phyllis Foreman and husband Pat of Jacksboro; sister Margaret McGlaun of Houston; extended family, her church family at First Baptist Church in Jacksboro and friends.

If so desired memorials may be given to

First Baptist Church

200 North Knox Street

Jacksboro, Texas 76458

or

Hospice of Wichita Falls

PO Box 4804

Wichita Falls, Texas 76308

Cemetery Details

Newport Cemetery

12611 FM 2127
Bowie, TX 76230

Tribute Wall



“ *Effie Leek*

October 09, 2023 at 04:16 AM



“ *Effie Leek*

January 28, 2023 at 12:10 PM



“ *I have always heard that dynamite comes in small packages. Effie was like a stick of dynamite in many ways! She could ignite a "fire" in most all of us with her infectious smile, strong work ethic, determined spirit and love of Christ. Everyone who knew Effie loved and most importantly, respected her. That "small package" was an incredible gift to so many of us. We are thankful for having had the opportunity to know Effie and her family for so many years. What a gift!*

Bob and Roxanna Maddox

Roxanna Maddox - July 21, 2015 at 05:49 PM



“ *Billy Pursley lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Billy Pursley - July 19, 2015 at 08:48 PM

TP

“ *Tracie Pippin lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Tracie Pippin - July 15, 2015 at 07:11 AM

LM

“ *Leo & Carla Marley lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Leo & Carla Marley - July 15, 2015 at 06:40 AM

SS

“ *Phyllis and Tommy, Mother (Wanda Davis) and I were so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Mother and I both enjoyed the company of your mother on a bus trip a few years ago. Mother was also telling me of times when they were young girls and dating your dad and my dad. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*
Sheila (Davis) Schindler

Sheila Schindler - July 11, 2015 at 05:30 PM

KT

“ Tommy and Phyllis....mother Linda Hutton wanted me to send her condolences in the loss of your beautiful mother....Dad did lots of work for her and your family and I'm sure if it's not just right she will have dad work his magic and it will be fit for a queen.....



katie hutton timmons - July 10, 2015 at 05:10 PM

KT

“ Tommy so sorry to read of your mothers passing, I know the hard days you have ahead of you..I miss Dad daily but it is easier knowing their in no pain. If you need to talk I'm always around....katie



katie hutton timmons - July 10, 2015 at 04:49 PM

GP

“ Greg & Redonna Pulis lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Greg & Redonna Pulis - July 09, 2015 at 01:22 PM

RM

“ Richard & Linda McFarland lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Richard & Linda McFarland - July 09, 2015 at 09:33 AM



“ *Reisha Horn lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Reisha Horn - July 08, 2015 at 05:45 PM

JM

“ *Tommy, Phyl & Family
I am so sorry for your loss. Effie always showed me every kindness.
Jack McKee*

Jack McKee - July 08, 2015 at 04:05 PM

FL

“ *Faye Lewis lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Faye Lewis - July 08, 2015 at 02:25 PM

RL

“ *Rusty&Kathy Lowrance lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Rusty&Kathy Lowrance - July 08, 2015 at 01:09 PM

CD

“ Carol Davis lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Carol Davis - July 08, 2015 at 11:56 AM

KR

“ Hated to hear about your moms passing my how time has flown I still remember the reunions when we were kids Praying that the Lord will give you comfort during this time. Kenneth Ray Littlefield Texas

Kenneth Ray - July 07, 2015 at 10:21 PM

GC

“ Effie was a beautiful lady, she loved our pecans & would always call early to see if Gary had pecans for she & Phyllis. She always made brownies for Gary & other special blood donors at the blood drives at the First Baptist Church & didn't mind telling anyone that the brownies had Conner pecans in them. We will miss her smile & pleasant personality at the blood drives. May God bless & comfort the family at this sad time. In Christian Love, Gary & Nancy Conner

Gary & Nancy Conner - July 07, 2015 at 09:56 PM

NR

“ Norman And I B Rushing lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Norman and I B Rushing - July 07, 2015 at 08:40 PM

Vicki
Fenter
Bean

“ Vicki Fenter Bean lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Vicki Fenter Bean - July 07, 2015 at 04:51 PM

DG

“ Phyllis, What a wonderful video and how beautiful your Momma always was. I never knew until I saw her younger how much ya resembled each other. Also never knew she was a fisherman. Love the bond the two of you shared and wishing you peace and comfort in this time of loss. Love you , Donna Graves

donna graves - July 07, 2015 at 02:20 PM

AK

“ Ann Yoder Kimbrough lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Ann Yoder Kimbrough - July 07, 2015 at 02:17 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Video Tribute



Coker Funeral Home - July 07, 2015 at 10:56 AM

LS

“ Tommy and Phyllis,
I am greatly saddened by your loss. My
prayers are with you during this sad time.



Linda Duggan Stringfellow - July 07, 2015 at 10:52 AM



“ Neva Scarbrough lit a candle in memory of
Effie Leek



Neva Scarbrough - July 07, 2015 at 10:46 AM



“ Carolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Effie
Leek



Carolyn Smith - July 07, 2015 at 10:45 AM

LM

“ Lanna Moxley lit a candle in memory of Effie
Leek



Lanna Moxley - July 07, 2015 at 10:35 AM

JM

“ *John & Debbie Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



John & Debbie Mitchell - July 07, 2015 at 09:07 AM

NG

“ *Neoma Gwaltney lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Neoma Gwaltney - July 07, 2015 at 07:51 AM

RJ

“ *Russonna Jones-Briscoe lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Russonna Jones-Briscoe - July 07, 2015 at 07:19 AM

ST

“ *Dear, Sweet, Christian, Lady: all describe Effie. She will be truly missed!*



Stevie and Shellie Thompson - July 06, 2015 at 11:12 PM

MC

“ *Margaret Hendricks Collins lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Margaret Hendricks Collins - July 06, 2015 at 11:04 PM

MC

Effie was a good neighbor to both my grandparents and my parents.

Margaret Hendricks Collins

Margaret Hendricks Collins - July 06, 2015 at 11:06 PM

LA

“ *Larry & Leslie Holman, Brooke, Bre, Alex lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Larry & Leslie Holman, Brooke, Bre, Alex - July 06, 2015 at 10:22 PM

GL

“ *Greg, Jenilynn, And Landon Lewis lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Greg, Jenilynn, and Landon Lewis - July 06, 2015 at 10:18 PM

GL

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Greg, Jenilynn, and Landon Lewis - July 06, 2015 at 10:16 PM

CC

“ Cristy And Clint Cook lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



cristy and clint cook - July 06, 2015 at 06:11 PM

RC

“ Rick And Mitzi Campsey lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Rick and Mitzi Campsey - July 06, 2015 at 04:34 PM

JD

“ John & Juanita Damron lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



John & Juanita Damron - July 06, 2015 at 01:48 PM

NS

“ *Nelda Sparkman lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Nelda Sparkman - July 06, 2015 at 12:58 PM

JM

“ *Jr / Melba Mower lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Jr / Melba Mower - July 06, 2015 at 12:38 PM

JM

“ *Jr & Melba Mowet lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Jr & Melba Mowet - July 06, 2015 at 12:37 PM

DK

“ *Debbie King lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Debbie King - July 06, 2015 at 12:36 PM

JM

“ *Jr./ Melba Mower lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Jr./ Melba Mower - July 06, 2015 at 12:34 PM

RB

“ *Rowdy And Crystal Barnett lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Rowdy and Crystal Barnett - July 06, 2015 at 12:29 PM

RM

“ *Ray,Felicia,Bobby Matlock lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Ray,Felicia,Bobby Matlock - July 06, 2015 at 11:54 AM

BW

“ *Brenda White lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



Brenda White - July 06, 2015 at 11:52 AM

NS

“ *NUVIA SALAZAR lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



NUVIA SALAZAR - July 06, 2015 at 10:18 AM

NY

“ *Neta Yates lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek*



neta yates - July 06, 2015 at 09:22 AM

ST

“ *Effie will be greatly missed by all. Thoughts & prayers for her family.*



Shelanda Thompson - July 06, 2015 at 08:29 AM

LW

“ *I knew and loved Effie for many years. She was a wonderful Christian lady and will be greatly missed.*

lilly may west - July 06, 2015 at 07:03 AM

GF

“ George Fulbright lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



george fulbright - July 06, 2015 at 06:56 AM

GK

“ Gayla And Jim Kinder lit a candle in memory of Effie Leek



Gayla and Jim Kinder - July 06, 2015 at 04:16 AM