



Billie Jo Ward

October 16, 1932 - October 27, 2017

Billie Jo Ward, 85 of Lubbock went to be with her Lord on October 27, 2017. A visitation will be held from 6-8:00 PM, Tuesday, October 31, 2017 at Sanders Funeral Home. Services will be Wednesday, November 1, 2017, 10:00 AM at Kings Ridge Church of Christ with burial following at City of Lubbock Cemetery.

Billie was born on October 16, 1932 in Fort Worth to Mabel and Moody Walker. Billie graduated from Lubbock High in 1951. She has been a member of Milwaukee Avenue Church of Christ for over 45 years. She retired from Lubbock ISD and a longtime housewife. Billie found great joy in serving the church and her family.

She is survived by husband, Jim Ward of Lubbock; daughters, Kathi Anderson and husband Clint of Wentzville, MO., Donna Justiss of Lubbock, Renee Smith and husband Keith of Lubbock, Jamie Duncan of Lubbock; sons, Keith Ward of Lubbock, Russ Ward and wife Kay of Fort Worth, Lance Ward and wife Jamie of Lubbock; Eleven grandchildren and Four great-grandchildren; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Billie was preceded in death by late-husband James Duncan, parents Mabel and Moody Walker, brother, Glen Walker and sisters Lola Harris and Jean Brunson.

Billie was well loved and missed by all who knew her.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **31**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401
(806) 763-6433
director@sandersfuneralhome.com
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

NOV **1**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

Kings Ridge Church of Christ

Tribute Wall

NR

“ I think there two memories that mean a lot to me that I want to share. The first was when I went over to her house after I'd just found out I was dealing with bipolar disorder. Her ready acceptance of it comforted me. The second was when my father died. She and Jim drove all the way from Lubbock to LaPorte (near Houston.). When she came out of the building, her face was grey with grief. I was comforted (though I would not wish that grief on anyone.). I knew how she felt. His friend of many years loved him. He always deeply loved the brethren in Lubbock.

Nancy Barnhart Raif and Robert Raif - November 02, 2017 at 01:32 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



October 31, 2017 at 07:57 PM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



October 31, 2017 at 10:45 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



October 30, 2017 at 09:56 PM



“ *Charlton, Mullins, Carnes and Roberson Families purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



Charlton, Mullins, Carnes and Roberson Families - October 30, 2017 at 06:56 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



October 30, 2017 at 03:31 PM



“ *Rebecca Larkin and Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



Rebecca Larkin and Family - October 30, 2017 at 12:35 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



October 30, 2017 at 10:54 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



October 30, 2017 at 10:24 AM



“ God Bless & Many Hugs, Terri & Jerri purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



God Bless & Many Hugs, Terri & Jerri - October 29, 2017 at 04:53 PM



“ Dorothy Cates, Janet & Rod Pino purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



Dorothy Cates, Janet & Rod Pino - October 29, 2017 at 03:57 PM

LF

“ Love, The John Ward Family purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



Love, The John Ward Family - October 29, 2017 at 01:33 AM

KW

“ Karen Walker Beuchaw, Charlyn & Charlotte Walker purchased the Finest Farewell Spray for the family of Billie Jo Ward.



Karen Walker Beuchaw, Charlyn & Charlotte Walker - October 28, 2017 at 06:33 PM

KB

“ May the peace that comes from the memories of love shared, comfort you now and in the days ahead. It is never easy to say goodbye to a loved one but the true blessing is that there will be a day when you will be reunited with those that have gone before you. It seems like yesterday when Uncle Jimmy left his earthly home and the devastation that his loss brought to the family. God had a plan for Aunt Billie and that was to have someone in her life that would continue to love, cherish, and care for her until the end. Thank you Jim Ward for being that someone in her life as the love you two shared was undeniable and a comfort to the family. Much love and prayers go out to the family and she will never be forgotten.



Karen Walker Beuchaw

Karen Walker Beuchaw - October 28, 2017 at 06:25 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



October 28, 2017 at 06:12 PM



“ *I'm so sorry you lost Billie. All of you. She had a wonderful impact on my life. A beloved friend of my parents and showing kindness to me many times. I'm sorry she's left but rejoice in Hope of seeing her again someday.*

Nancy Barnhart Raif and Robert Raif - October 28, 2017 at 05:53 PM



“ *Billie Ward was a beautiful, kind, caring, God-fearing woman who would open her heart and home to anyone she came across. Our prayers are with you all during this time and in the days ahead.*

Millard and Thea Young

Millard Young - October 28, 2017 at 09:38 AM



I will always remember this sweet, patient lady. Much love to all...

SANDI Carabotta - October 28, 2017 at 04:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



October 28, 2017 at 09:36 AM



“ *Billie is one of the sweetest ladies I've ever known, (as well as her entire family)... she was always the first hug I got each time I entered the Church building.... I will miss her and all the sweet hugs. My prayers are with all of her family... may God comfort you greatly at this most difficult time!* 🙏

Jennifer DiDonna - October 27, 2017 at 11:49 PM



“ *To the entire Ward family, Terry and I extend our deepest love and prayers. What an amazing lady! We love you all and know that even as we're certain of her reward, we're aware of the hole her departure leaves in all your lives! We love you all! God bless and keep you!*

Sandy - October 27, 2017 at 11:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Billie Jo Ward.*



October 27, 2017 at 08:39 PM