



Ella Mae Elkins

December 29, 1932 - March 13, 2018

Ella was born on December 29th, 1932, the youngest of 7 children born to John Allen Wood and Roby Virginia Leslie, in Port Lavaca, Texas. When she was 4 years old her mother died and her father, to keep the family from being split up, moved the family to Smyer, Texas in 1937 in a Model "T" Ford. The trip took one week. Ella graduated from Smyer High School in 1949 at the age of 16. On January 6, 1950, Ella married Richard Elkins. This union produced 3 children and spanned 68 years.

Ella was a loving wife to Richard and a devoted mother to Zack, Dancy, and Dan. Ella was preceded in death by her parents and all her siblings.

She is survived by her husband, Richard, children Zack, Dan and Dancy, as well as daughters-in-law Mary and Angie and son-in-law, Spike. She is also survived by grandchildren Jett Elkins and wife Kelly, Jade Elkins and Zane Elkins as well as great-grandchildren Xander and Warren.

She loved them all unconditionally and was loved by all who knew her.

Private graveside services will be held on Friday, March 16th at City of Lubbock Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests a donation be made in remembrance of Ella to Meals on Wheels or your favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

City of Lubbock Cemetery

2011 E 31st Street
Lubbock, TX 79404

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 16. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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