



Joyce Ann Cook

February 1, 1963 - July 21, 2014

Joyce Ann Ellis Cook was born on February 1, 1963 to W.C. (Dub) and Mary Ellis in Lubbock, Texas. In 1995 she married Kenneth (Kenny) Cook. Joyce died on July 21, 2014.

Joyce graduated from Lubbock High School in 1981. She worked as a telephone operator for Texas Tech University at the time of her diagnosis of Multiple Sclerosis (MS). She was a homemaker the last several years. Joyce was a member of Quaker Avenue Church of Christ in Lubbock.

She and her husband facilitated a MS Support Group once a month for many years. Providing refreshment, information and support to fellow group members . Joyce loaned medical equipment doing what she could to make sure all MS patients had what they needed to live with the disease. She was a member of the funeral dinner committee at her church. Joyce meticulously studied her Bible, especially Beth Moore studies, each day. She loved her nieces and nephews and enjoyed repeating stories about them. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

The family would like to thank everyone in the ICU at Covenant Hospital, the

Palliative Care Team, and a special RN, Stephen.

Joyce is survived by her husband Kenny, of the home; her sister Jana, and husband Steve of Amarillo; nephews Todd Thurman, wife Tisha, and daughters Marlee and Kinslee of Ft. Worth and Ty Thurman, wife Lea, and children Eli and Cloe of Juarez, Mexico; a multitude of extended family and friends; and a special furry friend, Dub.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you give to your favorite charity or the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation

6520 N Andrews Ave.

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309

Checks should be made payable to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation and the check memo should read "Joyce Cook Memorial".

If you would like a receipt/donation acknowledgment, you should include a return address. Please continue the cause of Joyce Cook.

Cemetery Details

Ralls Cemetery

Ralls, TX

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 2 (CT)

Quaker Ave. Church of Christ
1701 Quaker Ave.
Lubbock, TX

Tribute Wall

PF

“ *Joyce always had a smile for anyone and everyone! She had such a loving and caring heart. We will miss her.* ”

Patty Farr - July 31, 2014 at 02:03 PM

TY

“ *I remember that while visiting my Nannie and Aunt Joyce they would always let my brother and me put their hair up in curlers. We always had a fun time with them. I remember riding around in her gold Ranger pick up and playing with her cat Peanut! I rejoice that Joyce is finally free from her MS. Joyce, tell Nannie and Grandpa Dub hi!!!!* ”

Ty - July 27, 2014 at 10:43 PM

KC

“ *Memorial service will be held at Quaker Avenue Church of Christ (1701 Quaker Avenue)* ”

Date: Saturday, August 2, 2014

Time: 2:00 pm

Kenneth Cook - July 26, 2014 at 09:26 PM

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Kenneth Cook - July 26, 2014 at 04:24 PM

HA

“ *Such a dedicated woman taking her MS diagnosis and turning into an opportunity to help others. Her presence in the MS community is appreciated and she will be greatly missed. Peace for Joyce and her beloved family.*

Hilda and Howard Adams

Howard Adams - July 26, 2014 at 04:09 PM

MO

“ *Mom lit a candle in memory of Joyce Ann Cook*



mom - July 24, 2014 at 11:29 AM

MO

I love you so much. God loves you too.

mom - July 24, 2014 at 11:31 AM

RA

“ *Rose Austin lit a candle in memory of Joyce Ann Cook*



Rose Austin - July 23, 2014 at 09:52 PM

RA

Dear Kind Ken....what a sweet husband you were to Joyce and took such care of her, especially in her last days. I know you constantly prayed over her and am sure it was a great comfort to her. Your friends are right there with you, even though we are far away. I celebrate her life and know she is in the hands of our Lord.

Rose Austin - July 23, 2014 at 09:55 PM

KC

Thank you for the kind words and all your support you have given me.

Kenneth Cook - July 25, 2014 at 11:10 AM

KC

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On behalf of Joyce Cook I would like to say thank you.

Kenneth Cook

Kenneth Cook - July 23, 2014 at 09:23 PM

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Kenneth Cook - July 23, 2014 at 09:00 PM

KC

“ *Kenneth Cook lit a candle in memory of Joyce Ann Cook*



Kenneth Cook - July 23, 2014 at 08:25 PM