



Shirley Jean Hughes

September 8, 1937 - October 22, 2020

Shirley Jean Hughes was born on September 8, 1937 to Eugene Burks and Doris Emaline Mazy in Paris, Texas. After a long illness, Shirley passed peacefully and quietly on October 22, 2020 into the arms of our Lord with her family by her side.

Shirley married W.H. Clark in 1955 in Lovington, New Mexico. They had two sons, Mark and Ted. They divorced in 1974. She was briefly married to Bryan Hughes from 1975-1979. Shirley worked for COBE Laboratories in Colorado and Texas for many years, retiring in 1999. She returned to Lubbock, Texas to spend her retirement years with her children, grandchildren, and other family members.

She is survived by son Mark and his wife, Deborah, and son Ted and his wife, Gayla. Five grandchildren: Monica Whitlock, Lauren Jones, Cody, Joshua and Katie Clark, and four great-grandchildren: Justice and Liberty Clark, Liam Jones, and Tommy Whitlock. She is also survived by Patsy Jane Mattevi (sister), and cousins, Susan Brown and Bill Barth. In addition to family listed above, there are many loving nieces, nephews and cousins who will miss her.

Shirley was preceded in death by her parents Eugene and Doris, Wanda DeLong (sister) and Hardy Glenn Burks (brother).

Shirley was known by many names: Mother, Sister, Nana, and Shu Shu. She was an extraordinary individual whose calling in life was taking care of others. She selflessly dedicated numerous hours providing love and comfort to family members and friends in their final days. She never met a stranger, literally giving them the coat off her back on more than one occasion. We were all blessed to have had this angel in our lives and thankful for the lessons she taught us.

There will be a private family interment at Peaceful Gardens in Lubbock, Texas. Virtual service is on October 30th at 7:00 pm CDT. The link is below;

<https://www.youtube.com/user/choctawclark>

Cemetery Details

Miller Crematory

202 Avenue Q
Lubbock, TX 79415

Tribute Wall

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“ *When I think of aunt shirley..I think of her infectious smile..I think of a prissy lady always laughing..she will be so missed but have only fun and lovely memories of her. Charla Clark*

Charla clark carman sterling - November 01, 2020 at 02:05 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Shirley Jean Hughes.*



October 29, 2020 at 06:27 PM

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“ *Shirley, you will be greatly missed and never forgotten. Thankful for all the family get togethers that you and your family invited us to when our own family was out of town. Thanks for the memories! Love, Mike & Roxanne Walker*

mike - October 29, 2020 at 03:25 PM

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“ *I have know a kinder and sweeter person. Our loss, Heaven's gain. Joy Culbreath*

Joy Culbreath - October 29, 2020 at 02:11 PM