



## Bernice Stork Mueller

December 15, 1924 - September 25, 2021

Funeral services for Bernice Mueller, 96 of Carmine, Texas, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 30, 2021 at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Carmine with Rev. David Tinker officiating. Burial will follow in the Carmine Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, September 29, 2021 from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Thursday, September 30, 2021 from 7:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. at Phillips and Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Wednesday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Visitation will also be held on Thursday, September 30, 2021 from 12:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Carmine.

Bernice Leona (Stork) Mueller was born on December 15, 1924 in Brenham, Texas, the daughter of Willie and Annie (Bage) Stork. She was baptized on May 17, 1925 at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Giddings by Rev. William Mueller and confirmed on April 2, 1937 at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Carmine by Rev. Henry Brunotte. Her confirmation verse was 1 John 3:1, "Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God!" She was raised on the Stork farm in Ledbetter, Texas and received her education in the little one room Prospect School. Bernice began working at the telephone company in Carmine before going to work at the IGA Store in Giddings. After her true love returned home from serving for two years in the Philippines during World War II, Bernice was united in marriage to Elwood Adolph Mueller on November 22, 1947 at the

Martin Luther Lutheran Church Parsonage in Giddings by Rev. S.T. Schroeder. After their marriage, they went into the ranching business raising chickens, hogs, and cattle throughout the next 51 years until Elwood's death on March 9, 1999. Following his death, Bernice continued the business with her two sons. She was an active member of Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Carmine where she had taught Sunday school and was a longtime member of the Ladies Aid. She enjoyed hunting and fishing and especially loved playing dominoes and 42 with her friends in the Carmine 42 Club.

Bernice passed away suddenly the evening of Saturday, September 25, 2021 at Baylor Scott & White Medical Center in Brenham.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Willie & Annie Stork; her husband of 51 years, Elwood A. Mueller; her brother and sister-in-law, Bill & Virginia Stork; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Alice & Delfeal Mueller and Erna & Frank Els; her brother-in-law, Ardell Muske; two nieces, Peggy Simmang and Shirley Hart, and four nephews, Bobby Els, David Els, Billy Els, and Allen Mueller.

Bernice is survived by her two sons, Gary & Bo Mueller of Ledbetter and Gaylon Mueller & Rhonda Craigen of Ledbetter; three grandchildren, Kaci Mueller of Carmine, Cliff Mueller of Houston, and Brandon & Sarah Mueller of Brenham; three great grandchildren, Braxton, Bexley & Brinley Mueller of Brenham; one sister-in-law, Nadine Muske of Brenham, as well as several nieces, nephews, and many friends.

Pallbearers will be Mark Mueller, Kevin Mueller, Nathan Mendoza, Bradley Muske, Colt Els, and Chad Proske. Honorary pallbearers will be her domino playing friends in the Carmine "42" Club.

Memorials may be made to Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Carmine or to

the charity of one's choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Carmine Cemetery

Carmine Cemetery Road  
Carmine, TX 78932

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **29**. 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings  
3950 East Austin Street  
Giddings, TX 78942

## Family Present for Visitation

SEP **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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3950 East Austin Street  
Giddings, TX 78942

## Visitation

SEP **30**. 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings  
3950 East Austin Street  
Giddings, TX 78942

## Visitation

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SEP 30. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Martin Luther Lutheran Church  
211 Luther Lane  
Carmine, TX 78932

## Funeral Service

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SEP 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

Martin Luther Lutheran Church  
211 Luther Lane  
Carmine, TX 78932

# Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bernice Stork Mueller*



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**Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home** - September 29, 2021 at 10:01 AM

DK

*Our heart felt Sympathy. Always enjoyed seeing Mrs. Mueller. What a sweet lady.*

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**Deloris Koehl** - September 29, 2021 at 02:49 PM

RU

“ *My condolences to Gary and Gaylon and their families at the loss of your mother. To me she was always a bright spot to all who knew her. Randy Ullrich*

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**Randy Ullrich** - October 01, 2021 at 03:18 PM

LL

“ *We are so sorry for your loss.*

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**Lynn & JR Levien** - September 30, 2021 at 01:36 PM

SP

“ *Gary, Gaylon and families. My deepest sympathies on the loss of your mother & grandmother. She was such a lovely lady and I always enjoyed our visits when we met up. Prayers for your comfort.*

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**Sheryl Pratt** - September 30, 2021 at 12:40 PM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.*



September 29, 2021 at 01:45 PM



“ *Multicolor Bright Mixed Flower Standing Cross was purchased for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.*



September 29, 2021 at 01:39 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy.*

**Clayton and Becca Mayer** - September 29, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ *75 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home** - September 29, 2021 at 09:52 AM

DB

“ Aunt Bonnie will be missed. Prayers for all of the family.

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**Dlynn and Terri Booth** - September 28, 2021 at 09:35 PM

AP

“ Prayers and condolences to the Miller family. The family of Bernard Peters  
Wife Elaine and Tim and Amy Peters.

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**Amy Peters** - September 28, 2021 at 07:42 PM

MD

“ Our prayers and sympathy to all of the family.  
I always enjoyed talking to her.

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**Marvin and Betty Dallmeyer** - September 28, 2021 at 04:40 PM

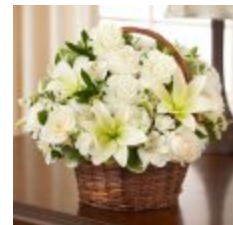
CW

“ My prayers are with all of you. I always enjoyed talking with her.  
Colette Wunderlich

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**Colette Wunderlich** - September 27, 2021 at 08:25 PM

GR

“ Gerald R. purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.



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**Gerald R.** - September 27, 2021 at 05:21 PM

SP

“ Aunt Bernice (Bonnie),

*I want to thank you for all the memories we had at the farm here in Ledbetter. Katie, Glenn, and I had lots of fun killing rats in the hog barns. We spent many hours doing that with Gaylon, riding horses, and swimming in the tanks. They were all good memories. You would always make the best cookies and give to all of us each and every time. I am guessing it was for a job well done in managing the rat population in the feed storage areas, but to us it was just fun as kids. Please tell all in heaven I said HELLO. You indeed will be missed.*

*Love you,*

*Sharon Proske*

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**Sharon Proske** - September 27, 2021 at 04:45 PM

PH

*Sorry to hear about your loss. Your mom was a wonderful person. I remember my parents visiting with your parents many years ago. God bless you and your family. Jim and Peggy (Voelkel) Holland*

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**Peggy (Voelkel) Holland** - September 28, 2021 at 12:19 AM

DW

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family.*

*Delton and Lois Wunderlich - Shelby, Texas*

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**Delton and Lois Wunderlich** - September 27, 2021 at 04:16 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.



September 27, 2021 at 04:00 PM



“ Troy Construction Safe Operations purchased the Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.



**Troy Construction Safe Operations** - September 27, 2021 at 03:16 PM



“ Pink Mixed Fireside Basket was purchased for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.



September 27, 2021 at 11:40 AM



“ David and Mitzi - Elvis and Kathy purchased the Pink & White Sympathy Basket for the family of Bernice Stork Mueller.



**David and Mitzi - Elvis and Kathy** - September 26, 2021 at 10:08 PM