



Boy Arledge

February 22, 1934 - June 4, 2020

Boy Arledge, age 86 of Rockdale, passed away June 4, 2020 at Baylor Scott & White Hospital in Temple.

Services are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Monday June 8, 2020 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale with Ray Templeton officiating. Burial will follow at I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Rockdale. Visitation will also be Monday from 9:00 a.m. until service time at 11:00 a.m.

Boy was born February 22, 1934, to William Henry “Big Daddy” and Nonie Tessie (Stephens) “Big Moma” Templeton at Franklin, Texas, in Robertson County. She was the sixth child of ten children. She attended school in Robertson County. Boy loved sports, especially softball and volleyball. As a teenager, she worked as a waitress for Ma Moody at the Moody’s Restaurant in Franklin. She always described this work as “slinging hash.” She met Eugene Arledge in Hearne. He was a watermelon farmer and rancher from Rockdale. They married on November 29, 1952. To this union, they had three children; Terry, Tammy and Timmy Don. She attended Murray Street Church of Christ in Rockdale. Many times after church she, Wilma Jones and Oleta Yoakum would head to Dairy Queen for lots of gab and cut-up. She would jokingly say they were headed to Tom and Nat’s.

Boy was a homemaker, and she excelled in cooking. She was known for her

chocolate pies and sweet tea. As a family, we looked forward to her Thanksgiving and Christmas feasts. Everything she made was from scratch, and she made the best dressing. She continued her love of sports by playing and coaching softball and volleyball teams named "Boy's Girls." She has many trophies to show her successes. Boy also helped Gene by feeding their livestock in the early years of their marriage. In the winter months, she, Gene and their beloved chihuahua "Mimi Lynn" traveled many miles through Texas, Arizona and New Mexico buying furs. She and Gene also hauled cattle. In the 1990's, she helped her daughter-in-law, Selina manage Arledge Antiques.

Boy is preceded in death by her husband Gene Arledge on October 4, 2018; her parents; five brothers Dick, Glenn, Toxie, Joe, and Marvin Templeton and two sisters Frances Ferguson and Helen Marshall.

Boy is survived by her three children, Terry Arledge and wife Selina, Tammy Leopold and husband Dusty and Tim Arledge and wife Dana all of Rockdale; sisters, Barbara Threadgill and husband Jack of Rockdale and Jeanetta Smith of Hearne; 7 grandchildren Troy and Wendy Arledge, Tiffany and Michael Weed, Colt Pounders, Tyler Pounders, Tate Pounders, Taryn Arledge, Tyley Arledge; 5 great grandchildren Tyson Arledge, Tera and Hayden Rasco, Mary Ann Lopez, Kingston Weed and Asher Weed; one great great-grandson Hudson Rasco; sisters-in-law Rosie Templeton, Joy Templeton, Patsy Templeton and Estelle Praesel; numerous nieces and nephews; her special caregivers Teresa Mireles, Delores Woolverton, Edith Miller, Julia Molina and her very special friend Barbara Nauert.

Pallbearers are Troy Arledge, Colt Pounders, Tyler Pounders, Tate Pounders, Joel Threadgill, and Tyson Arledge.

Honorary pallbearers are Taryn Arledge, Tyley Arledge, Tera Rasco, Tiffany Weed, Kingston Weed, Asher Weed, and Mary Ann Lopez.

Boy was loved by many with her great personality and spunkiness. She never met a stranger and had a generous heart. "Mama", "Boy". "Boydee", "Bo Bo" will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

Cemetery Details

I.O.O.F. Cemetery

850 N. Main St.
Rockdale, TX 76567

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 8. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
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Chapel Service

JUN 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



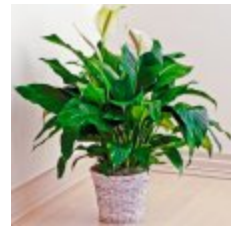
“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Boy Arledge*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - June 06, 2020 at 07:26 PM

HF

“ *Hugs from the McClain family. purchased the Flo or Plant for Sympathy for the family of Boy Arledge.*



Hugs from the McClain family. - June 08, 2020 at 10:49 AM

CU

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Your mom was a wonderful person and a joy to be around. Scott and Cindy Urban*

Cindy Urban - June 08, 2020 at 08:47 AM



“ *Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." was purchased for the family of Boy Arledge.*



June 07, 2020 at 09:45 PM

DR

“ Boy was always so enjoyable to be around. I spent many lunch breaks talking to her when she worked at Arledge Antiques. We shared some great conversations. She always did liven up the room. Prayers and hugs to you all.



Debby and Kevin Rolan

Debby Rolan - June 07, 2020 at 01:40 PM

LC

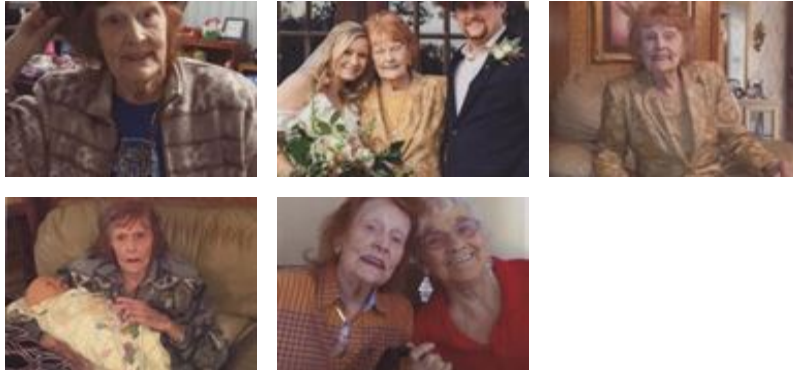
“ Sorry for your loss”



Lora Cornelius - June 06, 2020 at 09:44 PM



“ 85 files added to the album LifeTributes



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - June 06, 2020 at 07:19 PM

CS

“ Terry, Tammy & Timmy Don;
We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother Boy Arledge. She was a wonderful lady full of spunk. I remember playing on "Boy's Girls" in the women's softball league with her back in the late 70's. She was so athletic. She always had a story to tell and was always joking with us. She could always get the best out of everyone. She will be missed by all. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. R.I.P. Boy.....Love, Connie and Harry Schielack



Connie and Harry Schielack - June 06, 2020 at 01:21 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Boy Arledge.



June 06, 2020 at 12:36 PM

CJ

“ Terry, Tammy and Timmy Don,
Boy was one of a kind. I loved being around her because she always made you feel special with that beautiful smile and the joking and picking. My mom told me many stories that would make you laugh that they shared. She will be missed. We loved her. We are praying for you all and your families. God bless you all.
Charlotte Jones and Family
JoAnne and Bobby Coldiron

Charlotte Jones - June 06, 2020 at 11:18 AM

GM

“ Terry, Tammy, & Timmy, Don I are so sorry for y'all's loss. I can't imagine the pain. She was my Aunt Boydee, but your Mama. I love y'all and I'm so glad to have known her for 44 years. I'll always treasure our Easter volleyball and softball games. I'm so glad God made us family. Troy, Tiffany, Colt, Tyler, Tate, Terin, and Tylie, I'm sorry y'all lost your Boydee as well. I know each of you a little piece of her spunk inside you. I'll be praying for comfort and peace during this difficult time.

Georgette Maynard - June 05, 2020 at 09:01 PM

BA

“ She was a very sweet and kind Lady, she always had a smile. Rest In Peace, Boy.



Betty Alford - June 05, 2020 at 08:54 PM

NB

“ Sorry for your loss.

Nellie Burks - June 05, 2020 at 07:49 PM

ST

“ Boy was such a cool lady! Always friendly, outgoing and funny, she was also kind. Prayers for the family. I know she'll be missed.

Samye Reat Turner - June 05, 2020 at 06:28 PM

JB

“ I have so many memories with my Aunt. Seeing her at our Family get togethers was always fun with her. I will miss her so much and that smile she always had when I saw her. I always told her she looked just like her momma but wasn't as mean as her momma (aka) Big Momma and she would laugh and give me a kiss on my cheek. I loved her dearly.

Jamie Barnett Brown - June 05, 2020 at 05:15 PM

EV

“ A True friend to Mollie and Jimmy Montelongo and family. Great memories were made with our life long neighbors.
Elvira Villanueva.

Elvira Montelongo Villanueva - June 05, 2020 at 03:19 PM

LS

“ Our love & prayers are with you all. What a sweet lady Boy was!
Love-Doug, Lisa & Jakob Schlemmer

lisa schlemmer - June 05, 2020 at 02:36 PM

CK

“ I will always remember boy as happy and outgoing. She really did never meet a stranger. Prayers for the family.

cherie kocian - June 05, 2020 at 02:35 PM

MZ

“ Boy was always a joy to be around. She always made you feel like a friend. Sending hugs and prayers to you all.

Mike and Beckie Zelisko - June 05, 2020 at 02:29 PM

DM

“ We are saddened to learn of your great loss of Boy Arledge. My (Donna) memories of playing on Boy's volleyball team were some of the best times, and Bob enjoyed joking with Boy at tournaments. She was a friend to all and loved her family immensely. Rest in peace, Dear Lady.
Bob and Donna Melcher

Donna and Bob Melcher - June 05, 2020 at 02:06 PM

CK

“ Carolyn Kocian purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Boy Arledge.



Carolyn Kocian - June 05, 2020 at 01:49 PM