



Brennice Dodd Koether

April 11, 1935 - February 26, 2022

Funeral services for Brennice Koether, 86 of Giddings, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 2, 2022 at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings with Tim Pitts officiating. Burial will follow at the Dodd Family Cemetery in Beat Five, Texas. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 1, 2022 from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, March 2, 2022 from 7:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Tuesday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Brennice Nell (Dodd) Koether was born on April 11, 1935 in the Beat Five Community in Lee County, Texas to John Bert Dodd and Sue Ella (Wood) Dodd. She was united in marriage to Calvin Kermit Koether on June 21, 1952 at the First Baptist Church in Giddings by Rev. H. McLerran. Brennice worked many years as a waitress at Placke's Restaurant, Harlan's Restaurant, and Old House Café. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Giddings where she had been active in the church's Relay for Life team. She also volunteered her time with Rejuvenation, the Dime Box Heritage Museum, and visited the residents in the local nursing homes where she would often hand out candy. She was also a faithful member of the unofficial Brookshire Brothers 2 o'clock Coffee Club. Brennice enjoyed cooking and baking, especially her famous chicken and dumplings and cakes and pies. She was a people person who enjoyed helping others and making people laugh.

Brennice was never concerned being the center of attention. Brennice and Calvin were always their granddaughter's biggest fans, attending and cheering for her and her team during most of her games throughout high school and college. Brennice continued her support when Caitie became a coach at Round Top-Carmine High School where she could often be found cheering her and her team on from the stands. Through the years, she received many titles and even awards such as Miss Sweet and Low, but the one that brought her the most joy was "Nana/Nanny". She loved being Nana/Nanny not only to her own grandchildren, but to many others as well.

Brennice passed away the afternoon of Saturday, February 26, 2022 at her home in Giddings.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John & Sue Dodd; her husband, Calvin Koether; two brothers, Dan Dodd and Bert Dodd & his wife, Katie, and five sisters, Sue Norene Dodd, Effie Sweatman & her husband, Yancey, Nancy Regiene & her husband, Nolan, Sue Marie Placke & her husband, Robert, and Dorothy Koenig & her husband, Bill.

Brennice is survived by her daughter, Cathy Carney & her husband, Robert of Ledbetter; her three grandchildren, Caitie Weishuhn & her husband, Riley of Columbus, Lee Carney & his wife, Lauren of Georgetown, and Josh Carney & his wife, Chelsea of Elk Grove, California; five great grandchildren, Wyatt & Clay Carney of Georgetown, Auggie & Hayes Carney of Elk Grove, California, and Brynlee Weishuhn of Columbus; one sister, Marguerite Lawrence of Giddings as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Josh Carney, Lee Carney, Riley Weishuhn, Gary Field, Vince Lawrence, and Wade Harlan.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

Dodd Family Cemetery

FM 141
Dime Box, TX 77853

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 1. 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Family Present for Visitation

MAR 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

MAR 2. 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
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Giddings, TX 78942

Funeral Service

MAR 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Brennice Dodd Koether*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 28, 2022 at 05:42 PM

CC

Beautiful tribute to a beautiful lady & a life well lived. Forever in our hearts.

Colleen Carson - March 01, 2022 at 11:34 PM



What a beautiful tribute to such a sweet amazing lady. So many memories. Rip my friend love and miss you already.

Lois Taylor - March 02, 2022 at 04:56 PM

LK

“ *May God comfort each of you. Wrapping his arms around each giving you peace. Rest In Peace, John and Linda Kieschnick*

linda Kieschnick - March 01, 2022 at 10:54 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



March 01, 2022 at 07:28 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



March 01, 2022 at 05:12 PM



“ *I remember Mrs. Brennice always visiting my Grandparents Charlie and Amanda Mitschke. She just had to step over, since they were next door neighbors and strike up a conversation with them, often times giving them a smile, laugh, or chuckle! She was so sweet to them.*



*Sincerely,
Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders*

Cheryl Sanders - March 01, 2022 at 03:10 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



March 01, 2022 at 02:25 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



March 01, 2022 at 01:07 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



March 01, 2022 at 11:30 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



March 01, 2022 at 09:42 AM

DW

“ 5 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



DeAnn Regiene Warzon - March 01, 2022 at 07:53 AM

BM

“ Billy Maxey lit a candle in memory of Brennice Dodd Koether



Billy Maxey - March 01, 2022 at 12:13 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.



February 28, 2022 at 09:39 PM



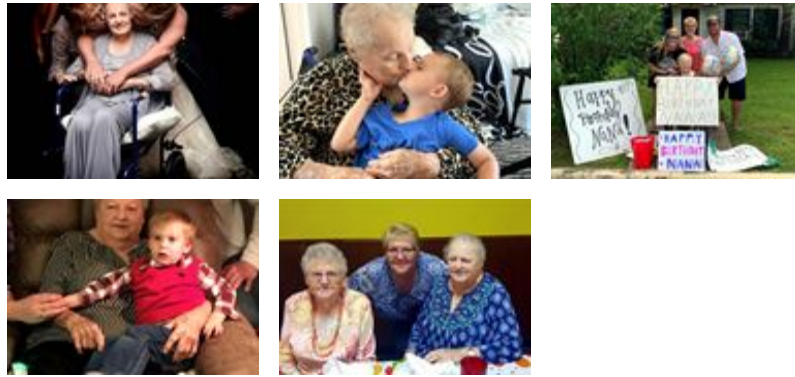
“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



February 28, 2022 at 09:38 PM



“ *161 files added to the album LifeTributes* ”



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 28, 2022 at 05:30 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.* ”



February 28, 2022 at 05:02 PM

LC

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Lee Carney - February 28, 2022 at 11:51 AM

KM

“ *Kevin, Leann, Molly and Abby Mackey. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



Kevin, Leann, Molly and Abby Mackey. - February 28, 2022 at 11:35 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



February 28, 2022 at 11:27 AM

CF

“ *Clareace Dodd and family. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



Clareace Dodd and family. - February 28, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



February 27, 2022 at 11:49 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



February 27, 2022 at 11:39 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Brennice Dodd Koether.*



February 27, 2022 at 09:55 PM



“ *Cheryl Sanders lit a candle in memory of Brennice Dodd Koether*



Cheryl Sanders - February 27, 2022 at 05:05 PM

CS

“ I remember Miss Brennice Koether as a kind, sweet, giving, caring lady. My sister and I were there for get togethers, birthday parties, or just to visit and maybe have a slice of coffee cake or pie. My parents were there too, since we are all close neighbors. May she rest in eternal peace with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. She will be missed.

Sincerely,
Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders

Cheryl Sanders - February 27, 2022 at 05:04 PM

 Connie Pampell

“ My heart is saddened with the passing of Brennice. You will be missed. Now you are together again with Calvin.



Connie Pampell - February 27, 2022 at 12:35 PM

JP

“ My dad, Bill Pieratt, enjoyed many relatives of the Lee County pioneering Dodd family over the years. I doubt any were more funny than Brennice. She kept eaters at Placke’s restaurant, located in Mrs. Bert’s old house, in stitches while serving up Robert Placke’s cooking. We enjoyed the good food even more with Brennice’s humor. May she Rest In Peace.

John Pieratt

John Pieratt - February 27, 2022 at 10:13 AM



“ Brennice could always put a smile on your face and make you laugh. ❤️



Darlene Hosea Oltmann - February 27, 2022 at 09:32 AM

PL

“ What a delightful lady. I have enjoyed her wit throughout the years. Our sympathy to the family; she is gone from those who loved her but not forgotten.

*In Christian love,
Alan and Peggy Lindner*

Peggy Lindner - February 26, 2022 at 11:19 PM

VR

“ Kathy sending condolences and hugs to you and your family!! Mrs. Brennice was an awesome mom to a lot of us in our class of '77!! A comical lady that will be missed!!

Venica Riggins - February 26, 2022 at 11:13 PM