



Edna Myrl Parton Keen

March 19, 1921 - September 15, 2009

Funeral services for Edna Myrl Parton Keen will be 2:00 PM Friday, September 18, 2009 at Forest Grove Christian Church in Forest Grove. Burial to follow in the Keen Family Cemetery near Forest Grove with Minister Brandon Navarre and Minister James Diamond officiating. Visitation; 5PM to 8PM Thursday, September 17, 2009 at the funeral home. Edna Myrl Parton Keen was born March 19, 1921 in Rockdale to James Ernest and Bessie (Caffey) Parton. She lived all of her life in Rockdale. On November 26, 1942, she and Pete Keen were married in Rockdale. They raised their three children in Rockdale. Edna was a homemaker and a nurse's aid at Richards Memorial Hospital for a number of years. She was a member of Forest Grove Christian Church and loved to play bridge and enjoyed hunting. Edna passed away Tuesday evening, September 15, 2009 in the Scott & White Hospital in Temple, reaching the age of 88. She was preceded in death by their son, Kenneth Lee Keen on October 28, 2004, and her parents. Surviving are: Her husband of 66 years, Pete Keen of Rockdale. Son; James P. "Jim" Keen and wife Janice of Rockdale. Daughter; Thana Grace Kemper and husband Otto of Brenham. Six grandchildren; Tina Keen Bartsch and husband Brad, Kristi Keen Moreland and husband Billy, Jennifer Keen, Jamie Lea Kemper Maurer and husband Wesley, Steven Charles Kemper and wife Candice and Tammy Keen. Seven great grandchildren. Pallbearers: R.A. Parton, Gary Wayne Andrews, Claude Spence, Rod Spence, Morris Kyle, Waymon Keen, Nolan Keen, Wayne Holliman. Memorials to: Forest Grove Christian Church, 8892 S.

US 77, Rockdale, Texas 76567 or to Still Creek Ranch, 6055 Hearne Lane,
Bryan, Texas 77808. (for children)

Tribute Wall

MW

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Margaret Ann Watson - September 18, 2009 at 12:10 AM

LT

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Laura Diamond Taylor - September 17, 2009 at 11:38 AM

TJ

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Tammy Jaster - September 17, 2009 at 10:40 AM

SD

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Susan Diamond - September 16, 2009 at 04:49 PM

RM

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Richard E. Meyer - September 16, 2009 at 04:41 PM

JH

“ *Edna Myrl Parton Keen*

Jon & Kim Hodde - September 16, 2009 at 02:56 PM