



Elmeyra Jean Bradford

October 15, 1925 - May 21, 2017

A memorial service for Jean Bradford, 91, of Giddings, Texas will be held at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings on Thursday, May 25, 2017 at 10:00 am with Rev. Steve Knott officiating. Visitation will be held the morning of Thursday, May 25, 2017 from 8 am until service time.

Elmeyra Jean Tasker Bradford was born on October 15, 1925 to Virgil and Ella (Hollingworth) Tasker in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. During wartime, she married Brad Bradford on July 11, 1942 in Liberal, Kansas. She graduated from Borger High School in 1943. Jean and Brad were blessed with two sons, Vance in 1945 and Donald in 1949. Like her father, she valued the importance of education. She completed business and bookkeeping courses with honors from Plainview Business College. She also received a diploma in Hotel and Restaurant Management from Stratford College. She worked as a nursing home administrator for twelve years in Plainview. She started working for Brad and Sons Construction Company in 1959 while still in Plainview, and transferred to the Giddings office in 1979 to join her husband during the oil and gas boom. She was the bookkeeper and managed the day-to-day correspondences with an old fashion typewriter and a one line, rotary dial telephone.

At the age of 55, Jean took up the game of golf after finding her dad's clubs during her move to Giddings. She also enjoyed playing bridge with her friends

at least once a week at the Circle W Restaurant. She joined First Baptist Church when she moved to Giddings and served on the Stewardship Committee, the Kitchen Committee and the Outreach Program. Her greatest joy was teaching Sunday school.

Jean passed away the morning of Sunday, May 21, 2017 at the Care Inn of La Grange.

Jean is preceded in death by her parents; her husband; daughter in law, Edith Suzanne Bradford, and her parents, Glen and Anne Gilbert.

She is survived by her sons, Vance Bradford, and Donald Bradford and his wife, Jamie; grandchildren, Brian Bradford, Bowdy Bradford, Beau Bradford, and Vanessa Bradford; and her great grandchildren, Madeline Bradford, Valarie Bradford, Justice Castillo, Hayley Castillo, Kaitlin Bradford, Tommy Bradford, Camary Bradford, Ayden Bradford, and Keaton Bradford.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, 600 Sunrise Ave., Giddings, TX 78942 or to the charity of one's choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 25. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elmeyra Jean Bradford*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - May 24, 2017 at 04:52 PM

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“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family.
Heaven has gained another Angel today.
Mike & Shirley Lancaster
Logan & Raelyn Lancaster*

Shirley Lancaster - May 25, 2017 at 12:35 PM

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“ *I loved visiting with Miss Jean. She was a very sweet and lively woman. I am Blessed to have known her. Miss Jean you prayed for me so much when I was in the hospital and it helped me make it home, I am now praying for you to also make it home. You will be missed, love you Miss Jean!!!*

Brandy Melton Gutierrez - May 25, 2017 at 10:33 AM

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“ *May God give you comfort. Jean was a sweet, caring person. I'm so glad I was blessed with knowing her.*

Linda Bradberry - May 25, 2017 at 06:58 AM



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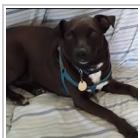


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“ *What a wonderful sweet lady. I worked for her at Brad and Sons back in the boom days. Absolutely a delightful boss. My prayers for the family during this time of loss.*

Debra Ahlhorn - May 23, 2017 at 09:05 AM



“ *This sweet lady will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved her. Heaven has another beautiful angel.*

Lynda Kirby - May 22, 2017 at 01:48 PM