



Elna Minnie Markert

March 25, 1926 - October 8, 2013

Funeral services for Elna Markert, 87, of Giddings are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Friday, October 11, 2013 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Giddings with Rev. Robert Tiner officiating. Burial will immediately follow in the Giddings City Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Thursday, October 10, 2013 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and on Friday, October 11, 2013 from 7:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The Markert family will be present for visitation Thursday evening from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Mrs. Markert passed away during the early morning hours of Tuesday, October 8, 2013 at the Park Bend Health Center in Austin. Elna Minnie Weiser Markert was born on March 25, 1926 in Lincoln, Texas to Gerhard & Minnie (Sanders) Weiser. She was baptized on April 4, 1926 and confirmed on April 6, 1941 at St. John Lutheran Church in Lincoln by Rev. Reinhard Osthoff. Her confirmation verse was John 14:6, "Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me". Elna was united in marriage to Eldon Markert on April 6, 1947 at St. John Lutheran Church in Lincoln by Rev. H.A. Stroebel. Their marriage was blessed with five children, Edward, Sharon, Gloria, Vera and Clyde. Elna was a loving and devoted homemaker, wife and mother who enjoyed gardening, quilting, sewing, cooking and baking. She was preceded in death by her parents, Gerhard & Minnie Weiser; her husband, Eldon and her two sisters, Alma Weiser and Hilda Iselt. Elna is survived by her five children, Edward Markert & his wife, Barbara of Lincoln, Sharon Reuther & her husband, Charles of

Houston, Gloria Nicholes & her husband, Rickie of Austin, Vera Martinez & her husband, Arthur of Austin and Clyde Markert & his wife, Tammy of Lincoln; six grandchildren, Stephen Markert & his wife, Traci of Dublin, OH, Susan Markert of Lincoln, Shannon Markert of Leander, Michelle Nicholes of Austin, Kevin Nicholes of Austin and Valerie Martinez of Austin; three step grandchildren, Jeremiah Martinez of Georgetown, John Martinez & his wife, Kim of Pflugerville and Genevieve Martinez of Georgetown; five great grandchildren; six step great-grandchildren; four sisters-in-law, Mary Markert of Lincoln, Adele Markert of Victoria, Doris Rohlack of Taylor and Glenda Lehmann of Houston; two brothers-in-law, Wilbert Markert & his wife, Alice of Spring and Calvin Markert & his wife, Ruth of Dime Box as well as several nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Memorials may be made to the Immanuel Lutheran Church Christian Care Ministry, 300 North Grimes Street, Giddings, Texas 78942 or to the charity of one's choice.

Tribute Wall



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