



Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner

January 11, 1936 - February 28, 2021

Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner passed away peacefully on February 28, 2021, at her home in College Station, Texas, surrounded by her loving family. A graveside service will be held on Friday, March 5, 2021 at 3:30 pm at the Black Jack Cemetery in the Black Jack Community. A visitation will be held at Phillips and Luckey funeral home on Thursday evening, March 4, 2021 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Joyce was born January 11, 1936 to J.M. "Dick" and Nina (Edelmon) Tuma in Rockdale, Texas. She attended and was a graduate of Rockdale High School where she was very active in sports (basketball and tennis) as well as being twirler and then drum major. Through her high school years, Joyce was also voted best looking, band sweetheart, football sweetheart, FFA sweetheart and Best All Around girl! After high school Joyce married Doug Key, and first became a homemaker and mother to four children. For many years Joyce established and owned a Montgomery Wards catalog store in Rockdale. She was such a success at Wards, she won many awards, a national sales contest with the prize of a 1968 Camaro. Utilizing her flare for sales and genuine love of people, after many years with Wards, Joyce went into retail sales for Foley's, where she was a star employee, winning even more awards on a local as well as national level.

Joyce loved the Lord. She was a member of Murray Church of Christ in

Rockdale as well as A&M Church of Christ in College Station.

Joyce was with her husband Wayne Skinner for over 40 years, until his death in 2001. Wayne was a wonderful husband, stepfather and grandfather, and for this she was very grateful.

Despite having to live through the devastating loss of two sons, a grandson and her husband, she kept the faith. She remained thankful for all the blessings and memories. She even posted little notes throughout the house with the saying "Remember, there is always, always something to be thankful for". Joyce adored her family, immediate and extended and always looked forward to the annual gatherings and girls beach trips. She loved to talk about the fun! She also became quite the traveler for a while and had special memories with her very good friends. The memories of these adventures brought her great joy. Joyce also thoroughly enjoyed her garden club in Rockdale and those special friends.

Joyce was preceded in death by her husband, Wayne Skinner; son, Bradley Key, son, Bret Key, grandson Trenton Key, as well as her parents. She is survived by her son Colt Key of Rockdale, daughter Cambi Bruegger of Conroe; also, grandchildren Travis Key, Spencer Bruegger, Sierra Key, Bradley Bruegger, Shelby Key and Noah Bruegger and great grandson Owen Key. Brothers Jim (Madie) Tuma of Gonzales, Texas and Gary (Patti) Tuma of Sugarland, Texas; sister Wilma (Pud) Owens of Rockdale.

Pallbearers are Colt Key, Travis Key, Spencer Bruegger, Bradley Bruegger, Noah Bruegger, Tomm Owens, Dennis Owens, Jimmy Tuma, Corbin Tuma.

Donations in her memory can be sent to the Bret and Bradley Key Scholarship Fund at Cornerstone Christian Academy, 3200 Cavitt Ave., Bryan, Texas 77801 or Aggies for Christ, P.O. Box 9063, College Station, Texas 77842.

Cemetery Details

Black Jack Cemetery

County Road 301
Caldwell, TX 77836

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
1041 West Highway 79
Rockdale, TX 76567
(512) 446-5454
phillips_luckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Graveside Service

MAR 5. 3:30 PM (CT)

Black Jack Cemetery
County Road 301
Caldwell, TX 77836

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - March 04, 2021 at 01:18 PM



“ *92 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - March 04, 2021 at 12:50 PM



“ *Sue Beth And Travis Key lit a candle in memory of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner*



Sue Beth and Travis Key - March 04, 2021 at 12:26 PM

NL

“ *Colt, I am so sorry about Joyce. I will always think of the Christmas Eves we spent together. My thoughts and prayers are with you and rest of your family.*
Nancy

NANCY J LEGGETT - March 03, 2021 at 10:02 PM

LI

“ *Colt, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at such a difficult time. Lisa Jo*

Lisa - March 03, 2021 at 06:46 PM

VS

“ *VALERIE AND STAN purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner.*



VALERIE AND STAN - March 03, 2021 at 02:34 PM

CS

“ *Cambi, we are thinking of you and your family during this difficult time.*

Charlotte Magee Schneemann

Charlotte Magee Schneemann - March 03, 2021 at 09:26 AM

JR

“ Cambi, we are so very sorry for your loss. Prayers for you and your family.

Jimmy and Judy Riley

Judy Riley - March 02, 2021 at 09:10 PM



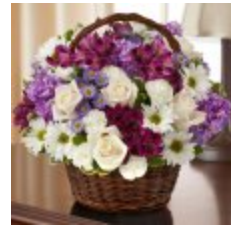
“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner.



March 02, 2021 at 08:56 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner.



March 02, 2021 at 07:53 PM



“ Red & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Joyce (Tuma) Key Skinner.



March 02, 2021 at 03:57 PM