



June Key

July 12, 1939 - July 18, 2020

June Key, age 81 of Rockdale, passed away Saturday morning, July 18, 2020 at her home in Rockdale. Services are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Thursday, July 23, 2020 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale with Rev. Gary Veit of Peace Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will follow in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Rockdale. Visitation is 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 22, 2020 at the funeral home in Rockdale.

June was born July 12, 1939 in Rockdale, to Leonard and Thelma (Stork) Kirchenwitz. She lived her entire life in Rockdale. She was a graduate of Rockdale High School and member of Peace Lutheran Church in Rockdale. On June 1, 1957, she and Howard L. Key were married in Rockdale. To this union three children were born. June was a lover and collector of antique glassware and furniture. She also had a passion for collecting porcelain dolls and then spending many hours remaking their clothing and completely making each one unique.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Leonard and Thelma Kirchenwitz; her husband, Howard Key on May 8, 2013; oldest son Charles Key on July 10, 2012 and son-in-law, John San Migel.

Surviving are her daughter, Bridgetta Paris and husband Ronnie of Rockdale; son, Michael Key and wife Gracie of San Antonio; daughter-in-law, Debbie

Key of Rockdale; grandchildren, Brandon San Migel and wife Mandy of Rockdale, Ethan Key of Castro Valley, California and Brittany Bell and husband Matt of Robinson; great grandchildren, Cruz San Migel, Owen Selgelid, Kyndal Selgelid and Kathryn San Migel along with a number of step grandchildren and step great grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Pallbearers are Terry Robbins, Aaron Roy Alford, Thomas Wenzel, Kennard Lee Morton, Charles Key and Seth Lane.

Cemetery Details

I.O.O.F. Cemetery

850 N. Main St.
Rockdale, TX 76567

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **22.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 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/>

Chapel Service

JUL **23.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of June Key*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - July 24, 2020 at 01:58 PM

JL

“ *My nephew was Richard Forrest, aka, Big Red. Shortly after his passing, June asked if I was related to Big Red. That was the beginning of a sweet Facebook friendship between the two of us. She shared memories of Big Red with me & I loved each one of them. June & I were also July babies. Her birthday was July 12, & mine is July 18. After being off of Facebook for over a year due to health issues, I was shocked to learn she had gone home. My thoughts & prayers are with her lovely family that she was so proud of.*

*Jo Ann Leifeste
San Antonio, Tx.*

Jo Ann Leifeste - May 01, 2021 at 02:48 AM



“ *such a sweet woman!!*



Kathy Bright - July 31, 2020 at 08:01 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of my friend June's passing. June came to our school reunions in Houston. I have read her writings every night and will miss seeing them. Rest in Peace June and enjoy your new home in Heaven.*



Joan Lohse - July 25, 2020 at 11:09 AM



“ *Kristi Malone lit a candle in memory of June Key*



Kristi Malone - July 23, 2020 at 04:57 PM



“ *My dear cousins: It is hard to imagine that June is gone from this earth! She has always been such a strong, enduring woman who has survived so many illnesses and upheavals in her life. Her strength has been such an admirable trait. My first memories of her were her gorgeous smile, hearty laugh, her exquisite taste as well as those long fingernails! I admired her SO MUCH! May God hold all of you in His strong hands and share her strength with you.*

Rebecca Schroeder - July 23, 2020 at 08:06 AM

BY

“ *Bridgetta , Michael and family: June Key was one of the most unique women I've ever known. She'd complain about her health and in the next second have me laughing at one of her antics. She truly loved ALL of her family and had an extremely close relationship with her Lord and Savior. I will miss our weekly phone visits so much! Hold her memory close to your hearts and NEVER forget all of the kindness and love she spread!*

Betty Yoakum - July 23, 2020 at 07:58 AM

JB

“ *Bridgetta, we are sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. Our sincere condolences. Thoughts and prayers for your entire family.*

James & JoAnn Bradford

James & JoAnn Bradford - July 22, 2020 at 07:57 PM

MZ

“ *Mike & Beckie Zelisko lit a candle in memory of June Key*



Mike & Beckie Zelisko - July 22, 2020 at 04:04 PM

BF

“ *Bridgetta and Ronnie,
We are so sorry to hear about your mom.
Sending you our love and prayers at his
difficult time.*



Barton & Marcia Felton - July 22, 2020 at 12:47 PM

MR

“ To Our Dear Cousins Family,

You are all in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time.

The loss of such a loving and wonderful Christian lady causes a real pain in her loved ones hearts. We will remember all the good times we shared at the old Stork family home in the country under the big tree, at our house and other places we gathered.

Rest assured she is with her Lord and Savior. The reunion with Uncle Leonard and Aunt Thelma Mae; the love of her life, Howard, and Charles will be wonderful.

June will be missed by all of Aunt Lizzie's family.

"Peace and Love Be With You"

Margie Robbins - July 22, 2020 at 11:14 AM



“ To June's beloved family: please accept my sincere sympathy upon hearing of her death. She and I were friends for many years when I lived in Rockdale and attended school and church with her. I no longer live in Rockdale; however, June and I were friends on Facebook. She lifted my spirits many times and strengthened my faith through her amazing faith in God and her acceptance of good times and sad. She kept a positive outlook on life even when she didn't feel well or was worried about one of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She taught me more than she ever knew through our conversations on Facebook. My heart goes out to all of her family, whom she loved so much.

Lois Braun Noak

Lois Noak - July 21, 2020 at 08:02 PM

LW

“ Lynn Weaver lit a candle in memory of June Key



Lynn Weaver - July 21, 2020 at 12:49 PM

CG

“ Bridgett, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. Remember the good times that you shared with your Mom . For she is not gone, just away. I use that phrase because it is true. She will live on in all your hearts and one day you will have a grand reunion with your mom and other love ones. God bless and keep you and all your family in this time of sorrow.



Cynthia and George Galbreath - July 21, 2020 at 08:55 AM



“ Dearest Lady, you were such a joy to everyone who knew you! You had a lot of spunk! But most of all, you were a loving person! I'll miss you! God's comfort to your family! Fly high with the angels! 🙏🙏🙏



Deneene Mitchell - July 21, 2020 at 04:35 AM

KH

“ Kimberly Harris lit a candle in memory of June Key



kimberly harris - July 20, 2020 at 09:08 PM

CS

“ *Connie And Harry Schielack lit a candle in memory of June Key*



Connie and Harry Schielack - July 20, 2020 at 08:51 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. June was a fantastic lady. I enjoyed reading her Facebook posts, from talking about cooking to cleaning. She will be missed.*

Bonnie Clark - July 20, 2020 at 05:46 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of June Key.*



July 20, 2020 at 05:28 PM

MC

“ How can one describe a lifetime of loving memories in a few sentences? June was a lifetime of such love. We shared personal feelings, jokes, serious conversations over a lifetime. What a precious cousin to be blessed with by God. Our family is so fortunate to have had her as a part of us. Her laughter was infectious and made everyone feel great! She was very proud of all of her collections and I loved when she would show me something new when I would visit. Such a Christian lady...I shall miss my cousin. Rest in peace, your work here is complete.



Mary F Stork Curnutt-Curd - July 20, 2020 at 04:38 PM

TM

“ To the key family, my thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Mrs. Key was a kind and sweet lady. May she Rest In Peace. God bless each of you. Terry L Mowdy



Terry L Mowdy - July 20, 2020 at 04:34 PM

BW

“ Bethany Wallis lit a candle in memory of June Key



Bethany Wallis - July 20, 2020 at 03:27 PM



“ Steven Moreau lit a candle in memory of June Key



Steven Moreau - July 20, 2020 at 03:27 PM

WM

“ Wayne Baggerley and Steve Moreau purchased the Shades of Purple for the family of June Key.



Wayne Baggerley and Steve Moreau - July 20, 2020 at 03:21 PM

MW

“ Rest in the arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I am so thankful we found each other after many years. I remember being your friend in the ninth grade and I think we rode the same school bus. Our husbands were friends and died within months of each other. I have enjoyed reading your nightly posts and am lost at night. I will grieve for you but am thankful you are with your husband and son.

Mary Louise Wade. (Mrs Barton Ernest Wad - July 20, 2020 at 02:38 PM

RU

My Thoughts and Prayers to June's family. She was my Sunday School teacher. I was her flower girl in her wedding. I can remember when she & Howard lived just a couple of blocks from us. I guess one summer evening I was enjoying visiting with her on her front steps. It got dark and my mother got worried since didn't know where I was and it was dark already. I got into trouble for it but that is OK because it was a fun time. I'm so glad I was able to reconnect with June thru FB and read her daily posts. God Bless sweet June! 🙏

Rose Urbanovsky - July 21, 2020 at 01:55 PM

Lora Cornelius

“ Lora Cornelius lit a candle in memory of June Key



Lora Cornelius - July 20, 2020 at 01:49 PM

BA

“ Betty Alford lit a candle in memory of June Key



Betty Alford - July 20, 2020 at 01:41 PM