



## Phyllis Mortimer

July 16, 1933 - March 14, 2017

Phyllis Mortimer, 83 of Temple, formerly of Minerva, passed away Tuesday, March 14, 2017 in the Wellington Place Living and Rehabilitation Center in Temple. Graveside services are scheduled for 10:00 am Monday, March 20, 2017 in the Mt. Zion Cemetery in Minerva. Pastor Luther Shelander of Mt. Zion Baptist Church will officiate. Visitation will be held from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Sunday, March 19, 2017 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

Phyllis has lived in Temple since 2011, having moved there from Minerva, Texas. She was born July 16, 1933 in Walton, West Virginia to Herbert Clark and Dorothy (Hunt) Moore. While working in the F.B.I. Building in Washington, D.C., she met Monroe Mortimer during his military service. In April of 1954 they married in the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. They later made their home in Minerva. She was a homemaker and had worked at Richards Memorial Hospital in Rockdale in the business office. Phyllis was a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Minerva. She wrote poetry and some of those were published. She loved bird watching and reading.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Monroe on March 7, 2016; their son, William Eugene Mortimer on November 20, 1997; her parents; a sister, Lois Hayes and a brother, Phillip Moore.

Surviving are, son, Allen M. Mortimer and wife Donna of Altus, Oklahoma; daughter, Teresa Black and husband Brian Lee of Abilene; three brothers, Paul Moore, Darris Moore and Timothy Moore; two sisters, Inez Drucker and Sunday Blackmon; six grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Mt. Zion Cemetery Association; c/o Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 3739 FM 1712, Rockdale, Texas 76567.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Graveside Service

MAR 20. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mt. Zion Cemetery  
3739 FM 1712  
Rockdale, TX 76567

# Tribute Wall



“ *Both Phyllis and Monroe hold dear places in my heart. May God give them peace during these days. Winnie (W.T.) Dyer*

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**Winnie Dyer** - March 18, 2017 at 06:07 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Phyllis Mortimer.*



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March 16, 2017 at 09:45 PM