



Ronita Rae Maynard

February 22, 1943 - April 11, 2018

Memorial services for Ronita Maynard, 75, of Lincoln, Texas are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at the First United Methodist Church in Giddings with Pastor Tim Edwards officiating.

Ronita Rae (Toot) Maynard was born on February 22, 1943 in Hutchinson, Kansas to Ronald C. Toot and Verlie V. (Thompson) Bennett. She graduated from high school in Syracuse, Kansas and attended Southwest Texas State University. Ronita served in the United States Air Force from July of 1961 until June of 1962. She married Carl T. Maynard Jr. on July 29, 1979 in Baytown, Texas. She worked in hotel management at various hotels in the Houston area for over 35 years before retiring in 2005. She moved to Lincoln Texas following the death of her husband to be closer to family. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Giddings. She enjoyed reading, gardening, and birdwatching. She looked forward to traveling whether it was a sightseeing trip with her family or just a simple drive down a country road.

Ronita passed away the morning of Wednesday, April 11, 2018 at her residence in Lincoln after fighting cancer for the past two years.

She was preceded death by her father, Ronald Toot; one son, James "Jimmy" Harris; her husband, Carl Maynard Jr.; her dad, Melvin Bennett; two sisters, Corieta Jo Davis and Sherri M. Malleck and one brother, Kent Toot.

Ronita is survived by her five children, Todd Harris of Lincoln, Cyndi Lehmann & her husband, Landis of Lincoln, Kim Villarreal & her husband, John of Houston, John Maynard of Houston and Richard Maynard & his wife, Amanda of Houston; her mother, Verlie Bennett of Tribune, Kansas; fifteen grandchildren, Lathe Lehmann of Giddings, Chaz Lehmann of Giddings, Cayden Lehmann of Bryan/College Station, Byler Lehmann of Giddings, Nevaeh Lehmann of Lincoln, Priscilla Lehmann of Lincoln, Austin Villarreal of Houston, Kenady Villarreal of Houston, Robert Allen of Mont Belview, Whitney Allen of Houston, John Maynard Jr. of Webster, Ashley Smith of Channelview, Grace Maynard of Houston, Addie Maynard of Houston and Bethany Maynard of Houston; eight great grandchildren, Kolbin and Charli Lehmann both of Giddings, Greyson Lehmann of Bryan/College Station, Bryson Villarreal of Houston, Jaxson Allen of Mont Belview, Parker Maynard of Webster and Logan and Stella Smith both of Channelview; three brothers, Fred Toot & his wife, Joan of Baldwin City, Kansas, Mike Bennett & his wife, Kim of Lawrence, Kansas and Steve Bennett & his wife, Toni of Syracuse, Kansas as well as several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Lee County Area Cancer Resource Center, 165 West Austin Street, Giddings, Texas, the American Cancer Society, c/o Mary Gutierrez, 885 North Chambers Street, Giddings, Texas 78942 or to the charity of one's choice.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Methodist Church
279 Monroe Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronita Rae Maynard*



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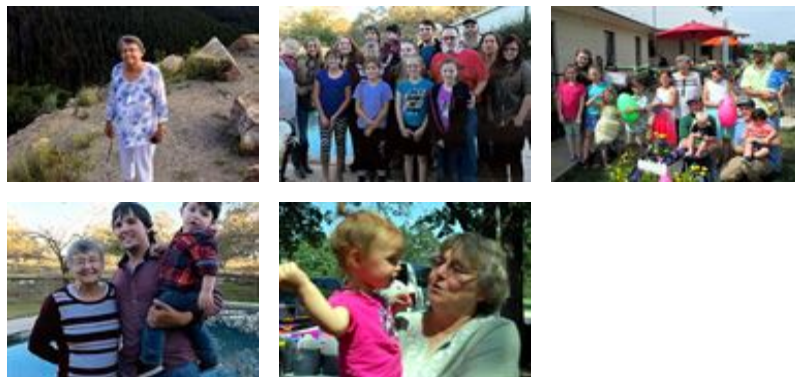


“ *Cyndi, I'll always remember your Mom on our 'girls' vacation to Cancun, she was such a great companion and fun...she was game for anything we wanted to do.*
My heartfelt sympathy to you and your family. Love, Paula

Paula J Frost - April 18, 2018 at 11:23 AM



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“*Ronnie lived behind me for many, many years. We were back fence friends often meeting with coffee cups in hand or working in our back yards at the same time. After the death of both our husbands we became best friends. After she moved to Giddings she often would come and spend weekends and we would go walking in woods or to various places to bird watch. We had so much in common. We started calling each other sister. I love her so much. I will miss her so much. Especially her chuckle when something tickled her sense of humor. She was a good friend, a wonderful companion. So smart. We talked about so many things. shared so many things. I love you Ronnie. See you later.*

Bonnie Lummus - April 13, 2018 at 07:30 AM