



W.E. "Gene" Northcott

February 25, 1927 - February 6, 2020

W.E. "Gene" Northcott, age 92 of Thorndale, passed away Thursday afternoon, February 6, 2020 in the Renaissance Villa in Rockdale. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 11, 2020 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale. Burial will follow in the Locklin Cemetery in San Gabriel. Visitation is 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday, February 10, 2020 at the funeral home.

W.E. "Gene" Northcott was born on February 25, 1927 in Thrall, Texas to William and Pernie Austin (Townsend) Northcott. He started his education in the San Gabriel school and graduated from Thorndale High School. He served in the U. S. Navy. On March 25, 1949 he and Betty Rogers were married in the Methodist Church in Granger. He attended Nixon Clay College in Austin, studying Business. Gene was a manager for Luby's Cafeteria in a number of cities including, Austin, Dallas, Wichita Falls and Denver, Colorado. After leaving Luby's, they moved home to farm with his brother-in-law William Rogers, where they have lived the past 52 years. Gene was a member of Meadowbrook Baptist Church in Rockdale where he had served as Deacon. He also served as Deacon at San Gabriel Baptist Church. He was a former member and vice president of the Thorndale School Board and had been named Thorndale Farmer of the Year in 2004.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Pernie Northcott and a

sister, Barbara Barron in 2013.

Surviving are his wife of 70 years, Betty Northcott of Thorndale; Son, Gary A. Northcott and wife Jenny of Thorndale; Daughter, Diane Hernandez and husband Hector of Thorndale; Sister, Doris Carlson of Thrall; Grandchildren, Chris Northcott and wife Paula, Crystal Wetter and husband Bobby, Kelly Northcott and wife Selena; Step grandchildren, Marcus Shelton and wife Traci and Nicholas Shelton; Great grandchildren, Kyle, Emily and Shane Northcott, Kobe, Bryant, Billy and Ally Wetter; Step great grandchildren, Barrett, Tatum, and Everett Shelton and his brother-in-law Ray Barron of Thorndale.

Pallbearers are Chris Northcott, Donald Barron, Kelly Northcott, Bobby Wetter, Kyle Northcott, Billy Carlson.

Cemetery Details

Locklin Cemetery

4653 FM 486
Thorndale, TX 76577

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
1041 West Highway 79
Rockdale, TX 76567
(512) 446-5454
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Chapel Service

FEB 11. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

BS

“ Bill and Nancy Stewart purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



Bill and Nancy Stewart - February 10, 2020 at 02:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



February 10, 2020 at 01:43 PM

TF

“ The Severson Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



The Severson Family - February 10, 2020 at 12:51 PM

GK

“ Diane: Sorry to hear about your Dad. May God grant you and your family comfort during these difficult days.
Gladiola Kruse

Gladiola Kruse - February 10, 2020 at 12:43 PM

KW

“ Ken Wilkinson purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



Ken Wilkinson - February 10, 2020 at 12:11 PM

JF

“ Jack Hilliard Jr. family purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



Jack Hilliard Jr. family - February 10, 2020 at 10:32 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



February 10, 2020 at 10:28 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.



February 08, 2020 at 09:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of W.E. "Gene" Northcott.*



February 08, 2020 at 04:43 PM



“ *Rosie Hernandez Bennight lit a candle in memory of W.E. "Gene" Northcott*



Rosie Hernandez Bennight - February 08, 2020 at 12:35 PM



“ *You will always be in our hearts. Diane my heart and prayers go out to you. May God be with you all. Lots of love.
Rosie H. Bennight*

Rosie Hernandez Bennight - February 08, 2020 at 12:34 PM



“ *Aretha Flores lit a candle in memory of W.E. "Gene" Northcott*



Aretha Flores - February 08, 2020 at 08:27 AM

GN

“ Gary A. Northcott lit a candle in memory of
W.E. "Gene" Northcott



Gary A. Northcott - February 07, 2020 at 08:32 PM