



Wanda Faye Allen

February 5, 1940 - February 8, 2025

Wanda Faye Allen, 82, of Caldwell, Texas passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 8, 2025.

A public visitation will be held on Sunday, February 16, 2025, from 4:00-6:00 pm in the chapel at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Caldwell, Texas. A Celebration of Life will be held on Monday, February 17, 2025, at 10:00 am at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home. Pastor Tim Lee will officiate. Interment will follow at Providence Cemetery.

Wanda Faye Teems born on February 5, 1943, in Trion, Georgia to James R. Teems Sr. and Mary Bernice Teems (Garmany). She was one of four siblings. After graduating from Summerville High School, she went on to attend the University of Kansas. Wanda married the love of her life, William J. "Jerry" Allen on November 26, 1960. They met at North Shore Baptist Church in Chicago, Illinois and were happily married for 64 years. This union was blessed with three children: Laura Jean Allen Rabon, Carla Ann Allen Williams, and Donna Lynn Allen Clifford.

Wanda worked at Centel/Sprint phone company for over 30 years. She began her career as an operator in Park Ridge, Illinois center. She retired as Vice President with Sprint in Dallas Texas. Wanda enjoyed gardening, especially roses. She also loved playing solitaire and singing in the church choir. Her greatest love, however, was spending time with family. Her friends were also

very dear to her as well as time playing with her two kitty cats. In her younger years, Wanda was a trophy winning bowler and played on the company's softball team.

Wanda's family is grateful for her life and devotion to the Lord Jesus Christ, her husband and her family. She was and always will be known for her giving heart and loving spirit. Wanda was a member of Providence Baptist Church in Caldwell, Texas. She was dearly loved by her family and friends; by all who knew her and will be greatly missed.

Wanda is preceded in death by her parents James R. Teems Sr. and Mary Bernice Teems (Garmany), her siblings, Barbara Jean Teems McCrickard, James R. Teems Jr. (Jimmy) and Amelia Diane Teems Bennett. Her mother and Father-in-law; J.H Allen and Bessie May Allen.

She is survived by her husband, William J. (Jerry) Allen; daughters Laura Rabon and her husband Cliff Rabon, Carla Williams and her husband Charles Williams, Donna Clifford and her husband Jimmy Clifford; grandchildren, Robert J. Brady, Bradley Jackson and his wife Leiha Jackson, Amanda Garcia, Jessica Jackson, Melony Sleeper and her husband J. W. Sleeper and Phillip Ortiz. Wanda is also survived by her great-grandchildren, Imani Walters, Giovanni Walters, Jeremiah Walters, Hudson Mariott, Sawyer Mariott, Vivian Garcia, Anne Marie Pearson, Frankie Garcia, London Young, Cali Holmes and Jameson Sleeper, as well as one great-great grand-child Hazel Walters.

The family would like to express special thanks to Tim Lee and the church family at Providence Baptist Church. An additional special thank you extended to the nurses in ICU and Hospice care at St. Joseph Hospital for their kind and loving care.

Express condolences at PhillipsandLuckey.com.

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 16. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home
404 Buck St.
Caldwell, TX 77836

Funeral Service

FEB 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home
404 Buck St.
Caldwell, TX 77836

Interment

FEB 17. 11:45 AM (CT)

Providence Cemetery
7770 CR 243
Caldwell, TX 77836

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Wanda Faye Allen*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 13, 2025 at 07:30 PM

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The Best Sister In Law A Man could Ever Have. Thank You Wanda! Charlie

Charlie Bennett, Wandas Brother in law - February 14, 2025 at 08:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wanda Faye Allen.*



February 14, 2025 at 10:25 AM



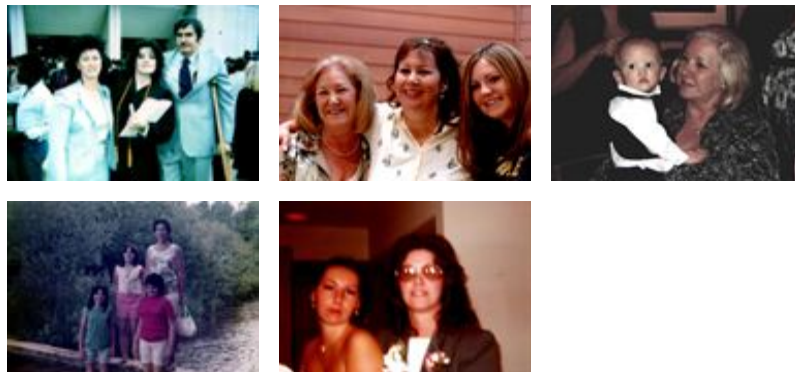
“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wanda Faye Allen.*



February 13, 2025 at 10:05 PM



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Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - February 13, 2025 at 06:28 PM



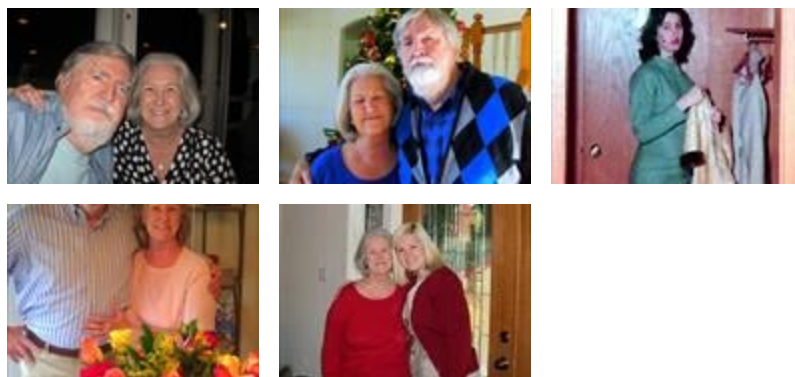
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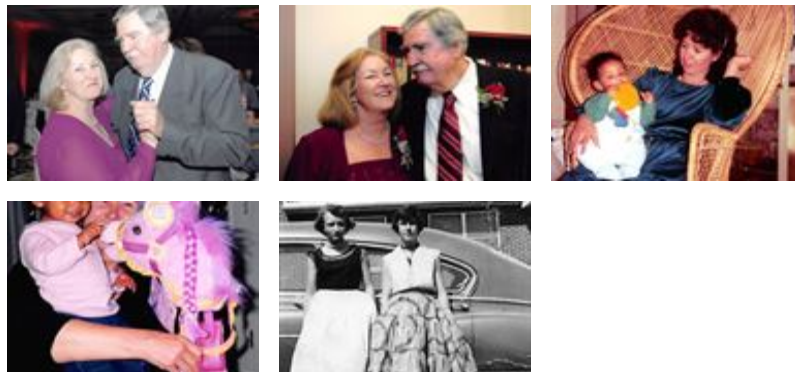
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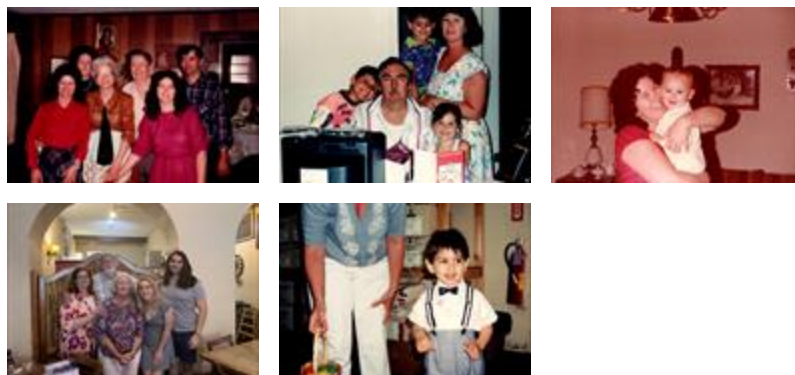
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Melony Sleeper - February 13, 2025 at 09:26 AM



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“ I will miss my very special friend. Wanda was there for me in my times of need. Her kindness was monumental. We have over forty years of great memories; the early days of raising our beautiful daughters; fun times trying to “tame” our husbands; challenging times at our workplace while making lasting friendships with coworkers Carol, Mary Ann, Denise and many others. We will miss our annual lunch dates catching up on the present and laughing about our fun times together. I know you are now in the arms of our Lord and Savior sweet friend. Rest knowing you were loved by many.

Jane Taylor

Jane Taylor - February 11, 2025 at 06:05 PM