



Anita Seldomridge

April 11, 1953 - September 16, 2024

Anita Jo Seldomridge, devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away on September 16, 2024, at the age of 71. She was born April 11, 1953, in Corsicana,

Texas, to Bill and Mary Jo Valentine.

On June 18, 1971, Anita married her high school sweetheart, Milton Seldomridge, and

together throughout their 53 years of marriage, they built a life full of love, laughter, and

companionship. Their love story was a testament to their strong bond and devotion to one

another. Her heart was filled with joy by her family, especially her grandchildren, great

grandchildren, who lovingly referred to her as “Grandmommy,” and her two beloved dogs,

Belle and Finley.

Anita had a natural love for gardening and took immense pride in her beautiful flowers. She

also enjoyed camping and found peace in the beauty and serenity of the outdoors. Anita

was well known for her love of decorating, frequently refreshing the style of her home, and

was especially known for her elaborate Christmas light displays, which became a much anticipated highlight for her family and neighborhood each year. Her compassionate nature extended beyond her own family. Anita had a special gift for caring for children, and this was reflected in her career. She dedicated over 25 years to Corsicana ISD, with most of those years spent at Bowie Elementary, where she served as the P.E. aide and was affectionately known as "Mrs. S" to the countless students whose lives she touched with her warmth and dedication. Prior to her time at Corsicana ISD, she worked at the state school in Mexia, Texas, showing the same compassion and care for others.

Anita was preceded in death by her father, Bill Valentine, brother, Ray Valentine, in-laws, Milton Sr. and Allene Seldomridge; and her grandparents, Werdna Bunkley and Stella Mae Hill, and H.O. and Ethel Valentine.

She is survived by her beloved husband of 53 years, Milton Seldomridge; mother, Mary Valentine; her three children, Kevin Seldomridge and wife, Jeri; Stacey Pair and husband, Richard; and Justin Seldomridge and wife, Jessica; grandchildren, Ashton Tackett and husband, Cody; Amber Seldomridge; Colton Pair and wife, Ashlie; Weston Seldomridge and Taylynn; and Harper Seldomridge. She also leaves behind five great-grandchildren,

Madden, Riley, Sawyer, Kaden, and Salem; as well as numerous extended family members

who adored her.

Anita's legacy of love, joy, and compassion will live on through the countless lives she

touched. She will be remembered for her gentle spirit, her passion for life, and the deep

love she had for her family, friends, and community.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00 AM, Thursday, September 19, 2024, at Resthaven

Memorial Park in Corsicana, Texas.

Cemetery Details

Resthaven Memorial Park

5400 West State Highway 31
Corsicana, TX 75110
(903) 872-2191

Previous Events

Graveside Funeral Service

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LB

“ I taught with Anita for several years and this is always the way she looked with that beautiful genuine smile. Such a dear lady. Hard to find people like her these days. God bless her family

Linda Brunton - September 21, 2024 at 11:32 AM

KM

“ I'm so sorry to see that she has passed. She was a very huge part of teaching me how to read in 6th grade and even a big influence on why I teach special education. She made my life better for what she taught me. Thank you for sharing her with us all those years ago. God bless her and may she rest in peace.

Kim Blackmon Marshall - September 20, 2024 at 10:03 PM

TC

“ Teresa Herrin Coker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Seldomridge.

Teresa Herrin Coker - September 19, 2024 at 10:38 AM

TC

“ Teresa Herrin Coker purchased the Serenity Prayer 30" Sonnet for the family of Anita Seldomridge.



Teresa Herrin Coker - September 19, 2024 at 10:38 AM

HP

“ *Homeland Vinyl Products planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Seldomridge.*

Homeland Vinyl Products - September 18, 2024 at 12:32 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Anita Seldomridge.*



September 18, 2024 at 12:32 PM

SF

“ *Simon Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spatiphyllum for the family of Anita Seldomridge.*



Simon Family - September 17, 2024 at 10:27 PM

CK

“ *Corey Ellis & Ryan Komoromi purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Anita Seldomridge.*



Corey Ellis & Ryan Komoromi - September 17, 2024 at 09:35 PM

FR

“ Friends purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Anita Seldomridge.



Friends - September 17, 2024 at 06:54 PM

WK

“ So sorry for your loss. Anita was a great person. Sending prayers to you and your family . Eva and Wilson Kelly

Wilson Kelly - September 17, 2024 at 05:28 PM

SK

“ shelly Matthew's kendall prayers to yall

shelly matthews kendall - September 17, 2024 at 02:00 PM

SK

“ sorry for your loss prayers to all

shelly matthews kendall - September 17, 2024 at 01:58 PM

DF

“ Dear Family . Bobbie and I are deeply saddened of learning of the passing of Anita. Besides being a classmate Anita was my aide for many years while teaching at Drane. She was a great asset in the classroom and created great relations with our students . Her husband and children were wonderful and she was always so kind to my family. God Bless Anita and my our loving God comfort your family.

David and Bobbie Fondren

David Fondren - September 16, 2024 at 09:16 PM

SG

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to your family. She was always so friendly. I knew her from school and from Cuz and Aline.*

Sharron griggs - September 16, 2024 at 05:02 PM