



## Betty Cavender Rattan

March 28, 1937 - May 10, 2026

Betty Cavender Rattan of Cedar Creek Lake passed away peacefully on Mother's Day, May 10, 2026.

Betty was born on March 28, 1937 In Corsicana to Lawson and Louise Wade. She graduated from Corsicana High School and soon married Ron (Bo) Cavender, with whom she shared 35 wonderful years together, raising two sons.

She enjoyed working as the secretary at the Rice School District for many years, telling great stories of her time there. After Ron's passing, she married Bob Rattan, where they enjoyed 20 wonderful years living on the lake and traveling together, until his passing in 2016.

Betty will be remembered for her strong faith and deep love of family and those around her, especially her cousin and best friend, Neva Johnston and their special friends of the "Ya-Ya" Group who have passed before her, Avon Lane and Norma Cummins.

She is preceded in death by her husbands Ron Cavender and Bob Rattan, son Tim Cavender, her parents, and sister Pat Ward.

She is survived by her son, Steve Cavender (Robin) of Corsicana, her

grandsons Zach Cavender of Corsicana, Zane Cavender (Abby) of Franklin, Tennessee and her great grandsons Isaac Cavender and Whit Cavender. She is also survived by her stepchildren Joe Rattan (Chris Rhodes), and Karen Flourney (Phil) and step grandchildren, Chris Rattan (Victoria), Jason Flourney (Brittany), Toby Flourney (Devon), and Shandi Tabler (Patrick), step great grandchildren Kyleigh, Parker, Braden, Logan, Silas, Luke, Owen, River, and Marley; niece Terri Massengale and special nephew Tony Massengale.

Visitation we be at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home on Friday, May 29, 2026 at 1:00 PM, followed by a Memorial Service at 2:00 PM.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **29**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana  
1530 N. 45th Street  
Corsicana, TX 75110  
(903) 874-4774  
[info@griffin-roughton.com](mailto:info@griffin-roughton.com)

## Memorial Service

MAY **29**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Betty is/was one of the sweetest lady I had the privilege of getting to know at the church of Christ in Seven Points. She always had a beautiful smile and a kind word. One Halloween she dressed up in all black and came to the party as a witch. There was never anything witchy about her. A wonderful friend, she'll be missed. ❤️  
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Becky David - May 28 at 08:54 PM

DB

“ Betty was a beautiful soul we went to the same church for a number of years. We would go to lunch afterwards always seemed to end up at the Yellow Rose in Seven points. We enjoyed many afternoons with her. Our condolences to her family. 🙏🙏. Dan & Sandy Bleuel



Dan & Sandy Bleuel - May 20 at 01:09 AM

NJ

“ We always had such fun times together. I am really going to miss her. We were cousins and best friends. We have had each other since we were five years old.  
I know she is smiling again, seeing all of her loved ones in heaven.  
No more pain and  
beautiful days ahead for her. Rest in peace.

Neva Johnston - May 13 at 04:48 PM