



## Billie Jean Christie

November 17, 1929 - November 14, 2018

Billie Jean Christie, 88 of Kerens, Texas passed away at home on Wednesday, November 14, 2018 with her family at her side. She was born November 17, 1929 in Blooming Grove to Les Garvin and Pearl Fredrick Garvin.

Billie was a strong Christian mother and loving example for all of her family. She believed in God and in fairness and forgiveness. No one could out clean, out cook or out last her, and she never hesitated to tell you her opinion about anything.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gene Christie; son Zane Christie; grandson, Joe Symank and eight brothers and sisters. She is survived by her children, Don and Beverly Richards, Larry and Gail Christie; grandchildren, Shanna and Bud Snapka, Hank and Julie Hollingsworth, Tony and Mystie Hollingsworth and Charles and Alyssa Dunnahoe; seventeen great grandchildren; seven great great grandchildren and sister in law, Dorothy Garvin of Lancaster, Texas.

Visitation will be Saturday, November 17th from 1:00 - 2:00 pm at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Service will be 2:00 pm Saturday, November 17th at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Aaron Symank, Addison Symank, Brody Hollingsworth, Dalton Hollingsworth, Zane Wilchar, Jon-Marc Wilchar, Travis Wilchar and Matthew Hollingsworth. Honorary Pallbearers will be Hank Hollingsworth, Tony Hollingsworth, Bud Snapka, Charles Dunnahoe, Mike Richards and Layton Wing.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

900 North 19Th Street  
Corsicana, TX 75110

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

NOV 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Billie Jean Christie*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with each of you...what an amazing force of nature she was, she left her mark on anyone she met...whether you knew her well or in passing...you will feel her loss...*

**Shauna Collums-Starkey** - November 18, 2018 at 09:08 PM



*Thank you Shauna. What kind things to say about her. I agree, “A force of nature” she truly was! Thank you for your prayers for our family.*

**Gail Christie** - November 20, 2018 at 08:18 PM



“ *I'm so very sorry for your loss....I adored Aunt Billie...she was the sweetest woman....May she rest in eternal peace and love....and may God bless and be with the family at this sad time.....Donna Plummer*

**Donna Plummer-Butch was my late husband** - November 18, 2018 at 12:54 AM



*Thank you Donna! For your thoughts and your prayers and your love.*

**Gail Christie** - November 20, 2018 at 08:20 PM



MaryBeth  
Butler

“ *I'm sorry I can't be there today. I'm sending love and hugs via Ken. God bless Ms. Billie Jean and all of you at this hard time.*

MaryBeth Butler - November 17, 2018 at 10:40 AM

GC

*Thank you MB! I could feel you with us. Love you so much.*

Gail Christie - November 20, 2018 at 08:21 PM

MT

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you all.*



Morgana Horton Terry - November 16, 2018 at 07:04 AM

GC

*Thank you for your prayers Morgana! And thank you for your love and your friendship over all these years.*

Gail Christie - November 20, 2018 at 09:23 PM

AL

“ *Larry, Beverly and family, I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. I have so many fond memories of Billie Jean and our family get togethers in Donie and Corsicana Texas.. She was a very special woman.  
My deepest sympathy to the family,  
Annette Christie LeBlanc*



Annette C. LeBlanc - November 15, 2018 at 11:32 PM

GC

*Thank you Annette! So good to hear from you. I miss those get togethers too!! Love you!!*

**Gail Christie** - November 20, 2018 at 08:24 PM

PC

*“ My condolences to the entire family of Billie Jean. She was one of a kind and I always felt like we were kindred spirits! Sorry I won't be with y'all but prayers will be going your way. Love you all.  
Pat Christie*

**Pat Christie** - November 15, 2018 at 07:09 PM

GC

*Thank you Pat! I love you dearly! And we appreciate your prayers more than you know!!*

**Gail Christie** - November 20, 2018 at 09:26 PM

JB

*“ James and Teresa Brown purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Billie Jean Christie.*



**James and Teresa Brown** - November 15, 2018 at 06:58 PM

MM

*“ Michael Mayberry purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Billie Jean Christie.*



**Michael Mayberry** - November 15, 2018 at 05:35 PM