



Jettie Sue Hunt

October 18, 1935 - April 1, 2017

Jettie Sue Hunt, 81 of Blooming Grove, passed away Saturday, April 1, 2017. She was born October 18, 1935 in Dallas to John Ed and Blanche Smith. Jettie worked at DISD for 27 years. She loved to travel, cook, shop and going to Casino's. She wanted to travel the world. She loved spending time and going places with her brothers. Above all she loved her family.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Austin Flint Hunt of 40+ years, daughter Debra Gail Hunt West, great granddaughter Shae and two sisters.

She is survived by her four sons, Gil Hunt, Steve Hunt, Archie Hunt and wife Julie, Alec Hunt and significant Karla Gorbete. 13 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren, sister Peggy, brothers John Ed Smith and wife Carolyn, Jimmy Neil Smith, Jerry Wayne Smith and wife Kathy. Numerous nieces, nephews and other extended family.

Visitation will be 6-8 pm Tuesday, April 4, 2017 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Funeral service will be 10 am Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. with Rev. Kevin Diggs officiating. Burial will follow at Rice Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to American Diabetes Association.

Cemetery Details

Rice Cemetery

Dresden Road
Rice, TX 75155

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana
1530 N. 45th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110
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Funeral Service

APR 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Jettie Sue Hunt*



Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home - April 04, 2017 at 10:43 AM



“ *Jettie Sue Hunt*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Rick and Vicki Thrasher purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.*



Rick and Vicki Thrasher - April 04, 2017 at 12:40 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.*



April 04, 2017 at 12:06 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.



April 04, 2017 at 11:26 AM



“ 86 files added to the album Life Tributes



Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home - April 04, 2017 at 10:31 AM



“ the Marks Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.



the Marks Family - April 04, 2017 at 06:58 AM

CR

“ So sorry for your loss, Jetti was one of the sweetest kindest loving person's you would ever want to meet. Gil Steve Archie Alec and the family you are all in our love thoughts and prayers.

Cindy Shelton & Patrick Roark - April 04, 2017 at 06:17 AM

CS

“ Cindy Shelton sent a virtual gift in memory of Jettie Sue Hunt



Cindy Shelton - April 04, 2017 at 05:45 AM

SH

“ Sara love you. I loved your mom so much I'm in a stage of shock and disbelief I know now how it feels to lose your world someone who had your back you are strong and I'm just hoping I can be as positive as you nanny mimi measy are with their parents and all the other people who get to go to still waters with golden roads and you have made your promise to your mom love your brother sean

Sean Hunt - April 03, 2017 at 11:57 PM

SH

“ Sara love you, sorry I didn't mention Sherry I loved her so much I'm just caught up in a stage of shock I think of my mom and your mom now with nanny and there parents all reuniting I'm just knowing the feeling when u lose your bestfriend your person that had back your strong love you

Sean Hunt - April 03, 2017 at 11:25 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.*



April 03, 2017 at 06:07 PM



“ *Cindy Self purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jettie Sue Hunt.*



Cindy Self - April 03, 2017 at 05:45 PM



“ *I called my mother last night. I was the bearer of bad news. She sent me this.*

*I can't go back to sleep, my thoughts of my sister and the circumstances of her death and I pray she did not suffer. The fact I would like to see her and tell her I always loved her and all the family. I know she is now at last happy to be with Flint, Debbie, our Mother, Father, our sisters Dorothy Jean, Linda Joe, the kids, what a joyous reunions she is having. Yes, this is what I'd say to her if I saw her for the last time, with all my heart I say this to you,
Your sister Peggy*

Cindy Self - April 03, 2017 at 01:36 PM

“ My name is Cynthia (Cindy) Gambrell Self. About 3 years ago she called me on the phone. I can't say enough how wonderful it was to hear her say my name after I said Hello. I knew that voice immediately. You see I had found her youngest Son on Facebook and sent him a message and included how much I'd like to get in touch with his mother, it had been 30 years. About a year later is when Aunt Jettie called.

Man did we love to talk too. Some nights we'd start about 8-10pm and talk till 6 or 7am the next day. GOD I LOVE HER!!!! I can't believe she's gone. We talked, we remembered our past, we talked about our futures. Sometimes we would cry together, sometimes laugh well mostly laugh, GOD I loved her laugh. I'd tell her "You sound so much like your sister my Mom Peggy Joyce Smith Wilson when you talk or laugh". Aunt Jettie would always ask me "You will call me back won't you? I just want us to see each other again" I would have liked to have spent more time with Aunt Jettie. She was fully aware of my situation with my own family and since I take care of my oldest Son who is in a wheelchair she understood. We did however go to Cantons 1st Monday to shop til we dropped. We rented scooters. My daughter Brandy got to meet her. Let me tell you Aunt Jettie could get around very well on a scooter. She'd be out in front of our (3-woman) caravan and a couple of times I thought we might be fixing to get into one of those SMITH'S fight with the public LOL. She of course never knew until much later about the people complaining about her driving and when I told her we both started a laughing.

She made a point to show her Love for me and me towards her. We could talk about anything. We managed some shopping trips and a doctor visit. We'd go eat a few times, and she joined me at a rehearsal in Corsicana, and listened to me sing with bands. I introduced her some folks at a Independent Living Center one time I was singing at and we met for breakfast there in Corsicana. Never once was there a dull or short conversation from either of us. She loved traveling. Branson I believe was one of her favorite places. Aunt Jettie just enjoyed people period! She'd say let me know when DISH NETWORK has the free movies and I did but

she'd be going to her brothers for a marathon of movies on the couch or to the Casinos. I can hear her voice now the way she pronounced Jerry's name "Jer-ree".

She'd talk with me about each and everyone of her children every single time we spoke She loved them all, from the oldest to the youngest. Gil, Debbie, Stevie, Archie and Alec. My sister Donna had the 8 millimeter film moved onto a VHS Tape. Some got damaged in a flood. But for the most part all of our family is on those tapes.

Granddaddy, Nanny, Cochise the horse lol, all of the Smith's that were born at the time and their spouses, and children. Gosh what a wonderful wonderful time we had back then. My Uncles John, Jim, and Jerry playing football or wrestling. The sisters at times had their hair rolled so tight to their heads with Bobby pins they almost look like boys lol. Never a dull moment on the video screen.

Aunt Jettie, I wished you could have met my 2 boys also. Jason my oldest did enjoy the phone conversation with you. I LOVE YOU WITH ALL OF MY HEART, I WILL ALWAYS HOLD OUR TIME AND CONVERSATIONS DEAR TO ME.

HUG my Uncle Flint, my Nanny & Granddaddy, Aunt Linda and her family, Aunt Dorothy, Harold, and Aunt Helen. You are already missed terribly just terribly.

Cindy Self - April 03, 2017 at 10:22 AM

SW

“ I'm so grateful that I was blessed to call this woman my Nannie. She was the one that taught me that it doesn't matter if you are blood related or related by marriage.....it was all the same to her. She treated me like her granddaughter and my boys like her great grandchildren. The relationship that her and my mom had was such a special one. I know my mom welcomed her with open arms into the gates of heaven along with so many people that she has touched throughout her lifetime. I remember vacations that she took me on and staying part of the summers with her. She was such a sweet and caring Nannie and always made me feel so special. Oh how she will be missed.

I hate that I took time for granted and didn't get fulfill my last promise that I made you a couple of weeks ago in regards to bringing my boys to stay a few nights with you in June. It truly breaks my heart that you had to leave us. I'm extremely thankful for the times we had together and I will treasure them forever. Thank you for loving me like your own and I have no doubt in my mind that God has such a special place for you up there. Until we meet again...I love you Nannie!

Sara Ward - April 03, 2017 at 06:04 AM

SH

“ Love you nanny hope you and my mom r sharing a laugh life is fast 2 of the best moms grandmothers have left this earth but i will never be so appreciated and lucky to have both of u in my life always in my heart love you

Sean Hunt - April 03, 2017 at 01:17 AM