



## Mary Evelyn Armstrong

July 16, 1933 - November 15, 2020

Evelyn Armstrong, 87 of Fairfield, passed away Sunday, November 15, 2020 in Fairfield. She was born July 16, 1933 in Malakoff to Ellis and Myrtie Tapley. She loved to spend time with her family. She loved to grow plants and making things by hand.

She is preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Donnie Tapley, Ronnie Tapley, James Tapley, Jerry Tapley, Billy Tapley and Robert Tapley; sisters, Betty Wilson, Wanda Moore, Marie Perkins, Virginia Eggleston and Jean Massey.

Left to cherish her memory are her eight children; daughters, Diana Armstrong of Fairfield, Shirley Bain and husband Bobby of Fairfield, Judy Beene of Fairfield, Kathy Geer of Stephenville; sons, Terry Camp of Fairfield, James Michael Lacy of Fairfield, Jimmy Perkins and wife Carolyn of Malakoff and Jerry Lacy of Dallas. Brother, Roy Tapley and wife Joyce of Cayuga. Sisters in law, Dorothy Tapley of Corsicana, Chris Tapley of The Woodlands, Terry Tapley. Granddaughter that she raised as a daughter Jamie Armstrong of Van Buren, Arkansas. Numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, great great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Friday, November 20, 2020 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home in Fairfield. Funeral service will be 11:00 am Saturday, November 21, 2020 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home in Fairfield with Bro. Robert Shipley officiating. Burial will follow at Lake Chapel Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Gary Moore, Timmy Wilson, James Michael Lacy, Douglas

Tapley, Bubba Tapley, Bobby Bain.

# Cemetery Details

## Lake Chapel Cemetery

FM 488  
Fairfield, TX 75840

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Fairfield  
450 East Main Street  
Fairfield, TX 75840  
(903) 389-9217  
[info@griffin-roughton.com](mailto:info@griffin-roughton.com)

## Funeral Service

NOV **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Evelyn Armstrong*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Every time my mom was "mean to me" aka took my phone or whoop me over something I done did, I would tell nanny and nanny would be like "you shouldn't do this poor baby like this"*

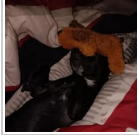


**Jamie Diehl** - November 20, 2020 at 12:56 AM



“ *I have so many memories of my grandma that I would have to write a book.. She was a big part of my life and I will miss her so much. I remember when I was young and her frying deer meat in her cast iron pan and telling me it was steak so i would eat it.. My grandmother and i are alot a like both waitresses our whole life and both overcame a lot of bad choices ..One of her favorite songs was "I'll fly away old glory ,I'll fly away" I can see her clapping her hands and singing that song. That is how I will remember her forever. I love you granny ..*

**Sharon** - November 19, 2020 at 11:22 PM



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**Diana Armstrong** - November 19, 2020 at 11:07 PM

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“ *Princella Burks lit a candle in memory of Mary Evelyn Armstrong*



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**princella Burks** - November 17, 2020 at 05:35 PM

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“ *Patsy Stark lit a candle in memory of Mary Evelyn Armstrong*



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**Patsy Stark** - November 15, 2020 at 07:04 PM