



Opal Bailey

January 10, 1928 - August 24, 2007

Opal Bailey, 79, resident of Bryan, and formerly of Frost, passed away on Friday, August 24, 2007 in Bryan. She was born on January 10, 1928 in Greenville. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home Chapel with Cecil Rice of Northview Baptist Church in Bryan officiating. Burial will follow at Dresden Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Randall Bailey, Daniel J. Contestabile III, Frank Kuban, Jim Bush, Jose Flores, and David Hill. Opal was a Housewife, Mom, and Granny. She was a member of the Navarro Mills Baptist Church for 10 plus years and Northview Baptist Church in Bryan. Opal was preceded in death by her husbands: William Joseph Deater and Durwood Irving Bailey. Daughter: Debbie Kay Bailey and grand-daughter: Cassie Nicole Walters. She is survived by 5 children: Doug and Janice Bailey of Lancaster, David and Dianna Bailey of Waxahachie, Danny and Claire Bailey of Chino, Ca., Doris and Barry Horne of Dawson, and Daisy and Daniel Contestabile of Bryan. 13 grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren.

Tribute Wall



“ *Opal Bailey*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *May you embrace life's memories and cherish each day. My sympathy to the Bailey family. Each of you take care.*

Nelda Maddox Brown - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *We'll certainly miss Opal. She was a live wire right up until the very end.*

Frank Kuban - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. I HAVEN'T SEEN OPAL IN A LONG TIME. HER MOM WAS MY FAVORITE AUNT. SORRY, I CAN'T BE AT THE FUNERAL OR THE VISITATION. JOANN RUTHERFORD*

JOANN (JACKSON) RUTHERFORD - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Doris & Daisy,
Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you right now. If you need anything, please feel free to give me a call.*

Melissa Adamson-Fleming

Melissa Adamson-Fleming - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ I was 10yrs old when I met Mrs. Baily at Navarro Mills Baptist Church. She always made a point to come over to where I was setting at church and say hello if I haven't told her hi first. She always had that smile that would just light up the room. I would visit her during the week just to check in and say hi. It's amazing she touched so many young people when I was a youngster and still today. Mrs. Baily still lives in each one of us. We're better to have know her and Blessed that she touched our hearts in so many ways. To the family, my prayers are with yall, and thank you for sharing the most God fearing woman i've ever known. God Bless..Teresa

Teresa - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Well will miss aunt Opal alot.She was the sweets aunt and we will always remremember the good times we had with her. Our love and our prays gose out to all of you kids and grandkids and great grandkids that you will all know that she is in the finest place that she can be.And that she will always be in your hearts and ours.
Love Linda and Joe Adcock

Linda Adcock - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Doug & Janice and Family,

Our thought and prayers are with you. We hope the celebration of Opal's life will endure in your hearts with pleasant memories of how she touched your lifes for years to come.

In Christ,

Jon & Bobbie

Jon & Bobbie McKinney - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Ms Opal was a true angel from GOD! I know that God is rejoicing in Heaven when he got Ms Opal. She was the kindest and sweetest person that I have ever known. There are very few people that you meet that make an impression on you but, Ms Opal was that kind of a person. For us, we are very sad that she will not be showing her beautiful smile to us, but again we have to rejoice that she is with God. I will see you again my friend, My God Bless You with all the treasures that Heaven has to offer. We love you, Janice Wood.

Janice Wood - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ We are thinking of you and praying that God will be with you and comfort you at this most difficult time. Opal is a cousin of ours and lived with our family(Cecil & Clara Jackson for a while). She is a special cousin of ours and was loved, as was her Mom(Aunt Nita) we called her. God bless and be with all of your family.

Cousins,
James & Jo Jackson

James & Jo Jackson - August 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM