



## Vannette Horton

December 13, 1943 - February 5, 2025

Vannette Horton, age 81, of Fairfield, Texas, passed away on February 5, 2025, in Tyler, Texas. Visitation with the family will be held on Monday, February 10, 2025, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home in Fairfield, with funeral services immediately following at 1:00 p.m. in the chapel, officiated by Dr. Jason Aultman and Bro. Shawn Hammontree. Burial will follow at Antioch Cemetery.

Vannette was born on December 13, 1943, in Fairfield, Texas, to parents John and Lina Mae Shields. On June 7, 1963, she married her high school sweetheart, Henry Horton, and they celebrated 54 years of marriage together. Vannette was a devoted pastor's wife, loving mother, grandmother and friend. She was a prayer partner and confidant to many throughout the years. Vannette and Henry shared a special love for their cows and lovingly called them their "pets".

Left to cherish her memory is her daughter, ReNae Eyre and husband Shawn; grandchildren, Bradley Eyre and wife Alayna, and Lauren Crawley and husband Caleb; great-grandchildren, Riley Crawley and Carson Crawley; sister-in-law, Allene Stubbs; as well as numerous nieces, nephews and many friends.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Henry Horton; her

parents; her son, Bryan Lee Horton; and her sister, Johnnie Moran.  
Vannette's legacy of faith, love, and adventure will continue to live on in the hearts of those who knew her.

# Cemetery Details

## Antioch Cemetery

FM 1364  
Fairfield, TX 75840

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

FEB 10. 1:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Fairfield  
450 East Main Street  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ ReNae and family,

*I was saddened to learn of your mother's passing. As you know, your parents were sweet friends of my parents. I enjoyed my mom telling me funny stories of the great times they had when your dad was their pastor in Groesbeck many years ago. I got to see your mom at Calvary, Fairfield when I preached there a couple of years ago and we had a good visit. It is sad to see a generation go home to be with the Lord, but what a great reunion day we will have in Glory one day. Who knows? Maybe our parents are catching up in Heaven somewhere today. May the Lord bless you with peace and comfort. Your mama was such a sweet lady. I regret that I cannot attend her service Monday. I'm praying for your family.*

*Jerry Fulton,  
Baptist Progress Director*

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**Jerry Fulton** - February 07, 2025 at 04:50 PM

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“ Wolf and Virginia Kraus, and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vannette Horton.

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**Wolf and Virginia Kraus, and family** - February 07, 2025 at 01:20 PM

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“ *Wolf and Virginia Kraus, and family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Vannette Horton.*



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**Wolf and Virginia Kraus, and family** - February 07, 2025 at 01:20 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Vannette Horton.*



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February 07, 2025 at 11:21 AM