



Ann Louise Alhart Gurley

July 27, 1908 - September 26, 2005

Ann Louise Alhart Gurley was born July 27, 1908 in Sabinal, Texas and passed away September 26, 2005 in San Antonio, Texas. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bert E. Gurley; her parents, Herman and Mary Alhart; brothers, Carl, Ernest, Jack, Theodore, and a baby brother; sisters, Elizabeth Loveless, Augusta Dillahunty, and Marjorie Stovall; grandson, Bert Gurley Helms; and son-in-law, Ed Peacock. She is survived by her children, Mary Etta Helms of Spartanburg, South Carolina; Catherine Peacock of Ft. Worth, Texas; Geraldine Besecker and husband Marshall, of San Antonio; and Robert L. Gurley of San Antonio. She is also survived by her sister, Mary Josephine Butler of San Antonio; and a sister-in-law, Sarah Gurley of Greenville, South Carolina; seven grandchildren; twelve great grandchildren; three great great-grandchildren, a host of nieces and nephews; and many friends. She was a member of Oak Hills Presbyterian Church at the time of her death and was a longtime member of Harlandale Presbyterian Church, where she served as an Elder and chairperson of numerous committees. She was a Past Matron and Life Member of Schertz Chapter #911, Order of the Eastern Star and Harlandale Chapter #750, Order of the Eastern Star.

SERVICES

A visitation will be held from 6:00 - 8:00 PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North on Thursday, September 29, 2005. A graveside service will be held at

10:15 AM on Friday, September 30, 2005 at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery with a Memorial Service to follow at 11:30 AM at Oak Hills Presbyterian Church 6739 Callaghan Road San Antonio, Texas 78229 with the Revs. Duane Farris and Katheryn Barlow-Williams to officiate the service. Pallbearers will be the grandsons, great grandsons and nephew. A special thanks to the caregivers Becky, Marlin, Rebecca, Lisa and Vitas Hospice. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, 2222 Welborn Street, Dallas, TX 75219 or Vitas Innovative Hospice Care, 5430 Fredericksburg Road, Suite 200 San Antonio, Texas 78229 or charity of choice.

Tribute Wall

KS

“ Cappy, Bobby, Geraldine and Mary Etta,

I am so very sorry for your loss. Ann meant the world to me and will be missed very much. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

I learned everything I know about being a strong-willed, caring, loving, be

Kara Jill Stovall - September 30, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Ann, I miss the bacon and toast that always seemed to be there on Sunday mornings, I miss the canasta games, I miss your feistiness, but most of all I miss you. Cappy, Bobby, Geraldine a

Jim Stovall - September 29, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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Jim Stovall - September 29, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Ann,
All my memories of you are intertwined with my Grandmother, so that makes them even more special to me. The cookouts, canasta games, skipping down the sidewalk to your house whenever I would visit with her. The visits with you both the day befor

Donna Sanchez - September 29, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ I will always remember racing my brother Michael up to Ann and Gurley's house everytime we visited Grandmother and Grandfather. No one could make a chocolate chip cookie with pecans like Ann could - sorry mom. You will live forever in my memories.

Mr & Mrs Ernest A. Stovall - September 29, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ Gerry,

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Bob & Jackie

Robert Arnold - September 28, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *To Robert Gurley and Family*

Your Mom was special lady to me. She Always had a kind word and a special word has I was grow up at Harlandale Presbyterian Church

I know she was special to my Whole family the Bill Dunn and Charles T. Cropper Families

Cheryl - September 28, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *We are very sorry for your loss. We wish we could be there with you during this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

I have very fond memories of my time with Ann and Gurley. Every time we would go to visit my grandmother her sister and gr

Michael Stovall - September 28, 2005 at 12:00 AM