



Birdie Estelle Towery

July 22, 1922 - March 13, 2011

TOWERY

Birdie Estelle Towery, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend, entered into eternal peace in the arms of our Heavenly Father on March 13, 2011. Born on July 22, 1922 in Elgin, Texas, to August and Molly Samuelson. Birdie graduated from Incarnate Word University and worked as a lab technician at Santa Rosa Hospital. It was here she met the love of her life and husband of 48 years, H.E. "Ed" Towery. She has missed Ed terribly since his passing in 1995, and they are now "Together Forever". Following the birth of their daughter, Birdie retired and became a full time homemaker. Her greatest joy was taking care of her family. Birdie was an active member of Laurel Heights United Methodist Church for over 50 years. She and Ed taught Sunday School, helped in the church office, served as greeters and worked on committees such as Care and Concern. She was a strong Christian woman who was always there when someone needed help. In addition to her husband, Birdie was preceded in death by her sisters, Marie Dannelly and Ruth Schroeder; sister-in-law, Nell Samuelson; brothers-in-law, Harry Dannelly, Clyde Lundgren and Elton Schroeder; and nephew, Bryan Schroeder. She is survived by her daughter, Diane Towery, and granddaughter, Allison Matzinger, both of San Antonio; sister, Betty Lundgren; and brother, Carl Samuelson, both of Elgin, Texas; dear friend, Ann Anderson of Canyon Lake; and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. She will be

missed by all who knew her.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, March 16, 2011 from 6:00PM until 8:00PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Funeral Services will be conducted on Thursday, March 17, 2011 at 11:00AM at Laurel Heights United Methodist Church, 227 W. Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas 78212. Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park North. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the church or to Vitas Hospice, 602 Babcock, San Antonio, Texas 78201. You may sign the on-line guestbook at www.missionparks.com under the obituary section.

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Tribute Wall

NH

“ Diane,

I am so sorry to hear about your Mother's passing. I pray that God will give you peace in this time of sorrow.

*Take care,
Nancy*

Nancy Holbrook Hardy - March 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *I was unable to attend the services for your mother as I was taking out of town company to the airport.*

Your mother was a dear, lovely lady and I was privileged to be her friend. She and my mother would speak often in church, and Mother was always concer

Julie Mazel - March 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *To Birdie's Family:*

I was sorry to hear of your mother's death. We worked together at Santa Rosa in the 50's.

You mother was a wonderful woman. Everyone loved her and appreciated her. Your Dad would drop in occasionally and I remember him well too.

JO POLLOCK-HOOG - March 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ Dear Diane and Allison,

We were all so sorry to hear about your mother's and grandmother's death. Aunt Birdie was a wonderful person, and we know that you and your family have suffered a great loss. We will always remember Aunt Birdie and feel very

Don, Julie, Cole and Kaylee Lundgren - March 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM