



## Ethel L. Sansom

March 24, 1925 - October 20, 2007

Ethel L. Sansom passed away peacefully after a long illness on October 20, 2007 at the age of 82. She was the last surviving child of 8 children born to George and Emma Bell Mays. She was raised on farms in Arkansas, Oklahoma and ultimately settling in Louisiana where she met and married her husband of 64 years, Marion "Edward" Sansom, who preceded her in death. At an early age she developed a lifelong passion for cooking and caring for children. As a military spouse she lived in many areas of the world and enjoyed traveling. Master Sgt. and Mrs. Sansom settled in San Antonio in 1965 after a military career. Shortly thereafter she became employed by NISD where she ultimately retired as a food service supervisor. She is survived by one son, Ed Sansom and his wife Helen, three daughters and their husbands, Carol and John Winfield, Sherrel and Larry Fischer, and Patty and Eric Funderburk, 5 grandchildren, Crystal Schroder, Jeff Fischer and his wife Heather, Brian Winfield, Kevin Fischer and his wife Deena, David Jones and his wife Sheila, along with 7 great grandchildren, Shelby, Emily, Cole, Samantha, Kyle, Taylor and Sterling. Visitation will be Tuesday, October 23 from 6 PM to 8PM with funeral services on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at 9:30 AM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Interment will follow services at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery at 10:45 AM.

# Tribute Wall

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Mary Ann Lay Bruch - October 30, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ So very sorry to hear of the loss of your mom, who was my mother, Mary Elizabeth's sister. I also was shocked to hear of your dads passing last year. It has been some time since I had seen then, probably when they came out to oklahoma the last time. Than

Georgia Rappleyea Reed - October 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

VB

“ sorry to hear the lost of your mother, she will be truly missed,it been 13yrs since i seen ETHEL,was at mom passing! love margaret{lay}

verlon,margaret burnett{lay}rgr - October 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ Please know that our prayers and love are with you at this difficult time. Be comforted in the fact that you four children took the very best care of your mom that could possibly have been done.

*It's only been a short year since you lost your dad, too*

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**Alice & Archie Gilliland** - October 22, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ Ethel was a very dear friend and co-worker. We worked together for many years.

*Della Pohler*

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DJ

“ Ms. Sansom was a great and gentle lady. She will always be in our hearts, but her gentle humor is solely missed.

*I miss those rolls too! More times than I can count, something to drink and Ms. Sansom's homemade rolls a pan of twelve was the only lun*

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**Don and Lori Jones** - October 22, 2007 at 12:00 AM