



Jane Ella Scates

January 26, 1920 - December 31, 2016

Jane Ella Manning Scates passed away on December 31, 2016 at the age of 96. Jane was born in Ft Worth, Texas on January 26, 1920 to Winnie and John Manning. Jane attended schools in Ft Worth and attended Texas Christian University where she graduated with a degree in Speech and Drama. In 1942, Jane married the love of her life, Carlos Scates. Due to Carlos' job, they lived in Ft Worth, Little Rock and Baton Rouge before settling in San Antonio. Jane taught drama at Jackson and Eisenhower Middle Schools in Northeast ISD where she was loved by her students.

Jane was a person who loved life and was filled with joy and a love of adventure. Upon retirement, she and Carlos traveled the world, visiting Spain, Egypt and Israel. After returning to San Antonio, they bought an RV and traveled extensively around America and Mexico. After losing Carlos in 1990, she moved to Burnet, Texas. In 2008, she moved to Corpus Christi to be closer to family.

Jane is preceded in death by her husband, Carlos Scates, and is survived by her three sons, Stephen, (Deborah), Kenneth, (Suzanne), and John (Melody) and 4 grandchildren, Stephanie Scates, Keely Scates, Alison Scates, and Natalie Scates.

Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, January 18, 2017 at 2:30 pm at the Ft Sam Houston National Cemetery where she will be laid to rest next to her husband.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209