



Mary Ella Morris

February 23, 1925 - December 19, 2014

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Mary Ella Morris was born February 23, 1925 to Irene and Frank King in Munday, Texas. She went to be in the loving arms of her Lord and Savior on December 19, 2014, at the age of 89. She married her beloved husband, D.A. Morris, Jr., on January 16, 1942 until his passing on October 2, 2013. She is survived by daughters Fran Young, Joan Welch and husband Don, Kathy Bodenbug and husband Bill; sons Bert Morris and wife Sylvia, Terry Morris and wife Sherilyn, Shawn Morris and wife Cheryl; sister, Betty Heston; brother, Bob King; grandchildren Nicole Young, Seth, Jared and Nathan Morris, Laura Davis, Lisa Haley, Lesleigh Kelly, Tami Champion, Michelle Keller, Alexis Swain, Jack Sommer, Kalie and Josh Morris; 25 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Mary Ella was a beloved wife, mother, daughter, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, and friend. But in all these things she was a teacher, especially a teacher of children. She taught in Sunday Schools, youth camps, Vacation Bible Schools, public schools, and preschool Kindergarten at Castle Hills First Baptist Church. After she retired in her seventies, she stated, "You know what I'd really rather be doing? Teaching kids." Then she flashed her dazzling smile.

Mary Ella loved to sing and was a member of the choirs at Pruitt Avenue Baptist Church, University Park Baptist Church, and Castle Hills First Baptist

Church. Mary Ella was also a Past Worthy Matron of Star Chapter #782, OES, and a member the Daughters of the Nile.

A memorial service will be Saturday, December 27, 2014 at 11 AM at Mission Park Funeral Chapel North. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Castle Hills First Baptist Church or School.