



## Mary Lawrence Samsel

April 10, 1917 - July 18, 2007

Mary Lawrence Samsel, beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend, 90, died on July 18, 2007. She was born April 10, 1917 in Kenedy, Texas to Joseph Thomas Ryan and Ruth Jane McKenzie.

She was preceded in death by her husband Robert, brothers Joseph Ryan, Thomas Ryan, grandson Glenn Wilks, and daughter Peggy Ann Wilks. She is survived by her sisters Alma Tenberg, Ruth Jackson, and brother Jack Ryan, children Barbara June Samsel of Pearland, Texas; Allen R. Samsel and wife Jane of Gordonville, Texas and son-in-law Tom Wilks of Webster, Texas; grandchildren Ted and Debbie Price, Jeff and Tracy Mays, Ronny and Laurina Bless, Allee Messina, Ryan and Audi Samsel and 10 great-grandchildren.

Mary was a member of the First Baptist Church in Jourdanton, Texas and a sixty-four year member of Hermann Sons. She had been active in the Senior Citizen Organization of Jourdanton, Texas. Their group would have prayers and sing to residents of the local nursing home, in which she participated until going into a care home at the age of 86. She enjoyed their covered dish dinners and playing dominos with her friends.

The family would like to express their gratitude to all of those at Julie's Home Care in Jourdanton, Nesbit Nursing Home and Guadalupe Regional Medical Center Inn Seguin; who cared for her so compassionately.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *samsel family we were sad to hear of your recent loss. our pre-set schedule would not allow us to attend the services. our love, joe & beverly*

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**joe & beverly mays** - July 21, 2007 at 12:00 AM