



Ruby Alma McPherson

February 7, 1911 - July 4, 2006

Ruby Alma McPherson passed away July 4, 2006 at the age of 95. Born in Goliad, Texas in 1911, Ruby and her family moved to San Antonio in 1923 where Ruby attended Irving Junior School and Brackenridge High School. In 1929, she married Jack McPherson and together they raised two daughters. Ruby is survived by her daughters, Jacqueline Shockey and Ruby L. McPherson, granddaughters and their spouses Cheryl Spears and John, Jocelyn Eckerman and Jimmie, and Valerie El Quahabi and Mustrapha, great-grandchildren: John Thomas Spears and his wife Lindsey, Megan Clark, and Cassie Eckerman, four great-great-grandchildren and devoted friend Dr. Dotty Williams. Ruby was well known in the Harlandale community and her church for her caring habits and her love of people. She worked as a Medical Assistant to the late Dr. Wayne Bishop where she was better known as “Mac” to many generations of Southside parents and their children. At Harlandale Methodist Church she was a “regular” and was active in the Lydian’s for many years. More recently Mom resided at Avalon Nursing Home where the staff frequently stopped by to hear a story, receive one of her special smiles, or enjoy a bite of chocolate candy with her. The family deeply appreciates the care and concern demonstrated by the staff of Avalon Place during this past year. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests contributions to either Harlandale United Methodist Church, 6025 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78214, or Avalon Nursing Home, Attn. Activities Director, 5027 Pecan Grove, San Antonio, Texas 78222.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Ruby Alma McPherson*

TERRY FRANKE - July 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dear Dotty,*
Sorry to read about Ruby. Our most heartfelt sympathy to you and the family. May the memories of the joys her life brought to you help console you in your time of grief. May God bless you and keep you.
Love always,
Terry and Calesa

TERRY FRANKE - July 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ *What fond memories we have of the McPherson family. We will always remember those parties after the football games and all the other Harlandale activities. Truly a wonderful family that will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Ernie and Polly Denham - July 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Know that our hearts go out to you as you once again mourn the loss of a family member. The joy is knowing that they truly were dedicated to their family and friends. Loyalty of that nature is one of the greatest gifts a person can give. You are in our*

Kim & Cathy DeVries - July 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM