



Peggy Carolyn Smith Parker

November 28, 1932 - December 21, 2008

Peggy S. Parker passed away on Sunday December 21, 2008, in Tyler, Texas. She was born November 28, 1932 in Lawrence County, Alabama, the only child of Mildred and Grady Smith. Peggy attended the University of North Alabama (formerly Florence State Teachers College) in Florence, Alabama, graduated with a BS degree, and married Travis Parker of Lawrence County Alabama, September 6, 1953. As an Army wife and mother of three, she lived in Illinois, Georgia, Alabama, Kansas, Maryland, and Texas. She lived and travelled in Europe for many years. Upon Travis' retirement from the U.S. Army at the rank of Colonel, the family settled in Dallas, Texas, where she lived until 1996, when she moved to Hideaway Lake, Texas.

Peggy loved her home and friends at Hideaway Lake. She loved bird watching, and was instrumental in the creation of a birding trail at Hideaway Lake. She was also an avid bridge player, and had achieved the rank of Life Master. She enjoyed cooking, antiques, oil painting, flowers, and fellowship with her friends in the Red Hat Society.

Peggy is survived by her three children, Cindy Parker of Plano, Texas, Steve Parker of Yokosuka, Japan, and Susie Alvadj of Navarre, Florida, daughter-in-law Yvette Parker, son-in-law Brad Alvadj, and five grandchildren, Jason Wolf of Plano, Texas, Jeremy Wolf of Richardson, Texas, Jillian Parker of Yokosuka, Japan, Audrey Parker of Yokosuka, Japan and Ian Parker of

Yokosuka, Japan.

The family will receive friends from noon-2 p.m. at Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home, 206 W. South, Lindale, Texas, on Monday, December 29.

Peggy was instrumental in getting a birding trail created at Hideaway Lake - so to create a feeding station with a bench, donations can be made to Hideaway Birding Club, 324 Texas Drive, Hideaway, TX 75771.

Peggy also loved to read and frequented the City of Lindale Library. Donations may be sent to Lindale Library, 200 East Hubbard Street, Lindale, TX 75771.

Tribute Wall



“ *Peggy Carolyn Smith Parker*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Peggy Carolyn Smith Parker*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *Dear Cindy, Steve, Susie, and family,
We were so surprised and saddened to hear of Peggy's death. We were in Florida for the holidays visiting Mom and all the family at that time so we never saw anything in the paper. Please accept our condolences. Your mother was a wonderful lady who I will always have very fond memories of. I spent a lot of time at the Parker household (when we lived in GA)and although the years drew us apart physically, your family was always close in our hearts. And then to meet up again in Texas! Who would have guessed? I do hope you will be able to read this. Please contact me so I can give you Mom's info. She would like to send you a card and /or speak with you. May God give you comfort, healing, and peace in knowing that Peggy is in that better place where we all strive to be.*

*With much love and God's blessings,
Beth and Dan##imported-begin##Beth (Ciolek) and Dan
Roberts##imported-end##*

March 19, 2009 at 10:35 AM



“ I have only had the honor of knowing Peggy for 2 years but she is has been a positive addition to my life. As a member of the same Red Hat group I have enjoyed her sense of humor and quick wit. I saw Peggy at the club house in mid November and she looked so beautiful and was one big smile.

My sympathy to the entire family on your loss.##imported-begin##Judy Seifert##imported-end##

December 29, 2008 at 10:30 AM



“ Cindy, Steve, & Susan,
We are so sad and wish we were there with you.
Love,
Uncle Stan & Aunt Betty##imported-begin##betty c
parker##imported-end##

December 26, 2008 at 08:22 PM



“ Peggy and I had been friends and bridge partners for about 12 years. My heart is heavy because I shall miss her so much. She was a remarkable person and a delight to know. I send my sympathy to her family.##imported-begin##Brenda Baker##imported-end##

December 26, 2008 at 06:38 PM