



Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks

July 4, 1921 - January 7, 2013

Services for Mrs. Vestal Rebecca (Lyon) Hicks, age 91, of Lindale, are scheduled for 2PM on Thursday, January 10, 2013 in the Lindale First Baptist Church with Jerry "Buddy" Hicks & Pastor Tom Buck officiating. Interment will follow in the Bethesda Cemetery. Mrs. Hicks went to be with her Lord & Savior on Monday, January 7, 2013 at her residence. She was born on July 4, 1921 in Lindale, the fifth child of Henry Grady & Fannie Kennedy Lyon and was preceded in death by her parents, 2 brothers, Norris Lyon & Dewey Lyon, 2 Sisters, infant Marjorie Lee Lyon & Bonnie (Lyon) Linnstader; Daughter: Priscilla (Chamblee) Simmons, and husbands, Carol Kirby, Elton Chamblee, & J. W. Smith. Mrs. Hicks was a 60 year member of the Lindale First Baptist Church where she served 25 years in the Nursery loving each child in her special way and serving on the Kitchen committee. She also worked at Sledges and Tyler Pipe Industries.

Survived by:

Husband, Jerry "Buddy" Hicks of Lindale

Son: James (Dicky) Kirby & wife, Susan of Katy

Daughters: Carolyn (Kirby) Spurgers of Lindale & Janie (Kirby) Whitman & husband, Jim of Pratt, Kansas;

Step Daughters: Willie Janelle (Smith) Leyendecker and husband, Hubert of Corpus Christi, & Diane (Hicks) McAfee & husband, Richard of Hawkins

Step Son: Dewayne (Bud) Hicks & wife, Ruthie of Lindale

Sisters: Frances (Lyon) Crews & husband, Logan; Ernestine (Lyon) Whipple &

husband, Raymond, Juanita (Lyon) Chambless & Martha Jo (Lyon) Bircher & husband Curtis

15 Grandchildren, 26 Great Grandchildren, & 4 Great Great Grandchildren

Pallbearers will be grandsons: Jay Kirby, Keith Kennedy, Todd Hensley, Colton Hicks, Jeremy McAfee, & Wesley Fried

Family will receive friends from 5PM to 7PM on Wednesday evening at the funeral home

Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, Texas 75701 or the Lindale First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 321, Lindale, Tx 75771

Cemetery Details

Bethesda Cemetery

11824 FM 2710
LINDALE, TX 75771

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **9**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
jeff@crdfh.com

Church Service

JAN **10**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Lindale First Baptist Church
105 Hubbard Street
Lindale, TX 75771

Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - January 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *A precious Christian lady to have known...prayers to the family...
Sally & Jody Shaw, Mckinney, TX*

Sally Shaw - January 14, 2013 at 08:17 AM

KD

“ *Karen Coomer Damon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*



Karen Coomer Damon - January 12, 2013 at 01:19 PM

TJ

“ *Janie,
So sorry for your loss. My thoughts & prayers are with you and your family.
Terry Jochems*

Terry L Jochems - January 10, 2013 at 12:45 PM



“ *What a wonderful, beautiful woman your mother was, Janie. Heaven is surely rejoicing at her coming home. May the many memories of her and the loving arms of our Lord comfort ALL of the family, as you go through this grieving process, in her earthly absence. In Christian hugs, love and prayers,
Martha Turner Kirby Fager ((Randall Kirby's EX))*



Martha Fager - January 09, 2013 at 05:20 PM

MR

“ *my prayers are with all of you. she was a wonderful person to anyone who knew her.*

martha kimberly skinner rose - January 09, 2013 at 03:26 PM

MF

“ *My thoughts and prayers have been with you every day. You always spoke so highly of your mother I know you loved her dearly, your are so blessed to have had her in your life so long. Marlene*

Marlene Ford - January 09, 2013 at 02:47 PM

SW

“ *" Janie, many prayers for you and your family"*
Sandra Wagner



Sandra Wagner - January 09, 2013 at 01:59 PM

NR

“ *Nicole Rodriquez lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*



Nicole Rodriquez - January 09, 2013 at 12:17 PM

JP

“ *JANE FLEMING POWELL lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*



JANE FLEMING POWELL - January 09, 2013 at 11:29 AM

DW

“ *DeAlva Waters lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks*



DeAlva Waters - January 09, 2013 at 10:53 AM

LP

“ *Janie and family, Don and I have you in our prayers and thoughts. You have such great memories to hold on to. Lorraine Prosser-PCC*

Lorraine Prosser - January 09, 2013 at 09:22 AM

JT

“ *I was saddened to hear of the loss of such a beautiful and sweet person. I am sorry I cannot be there for the service but please know my thoughts and prayers are with all of the family. Jean McKay Taylor*

Jean Taylor - January 09, 2013 at 09:21 AM

PH

“ *Janie you are in our thoughts and prayers. I have been in your place this last year, hard times. Patty Huffman*

Patty Huffman - January 09, 2013 at 09:20 AM

KM

“ *Janie I am so sorry to hear about your mother. Although I never met her I know that she was someone special by the way you would talk about her. Lean on your friends as we want to help you anyway we can. My deepest condolences.*

Kurt McAfee - January 09, 2013 at 09:10 AM

DH

“ *Janie your momma was a beautiful woman, just as you are. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. God bless you.* ”

Debbie Hearn - January 09, 2013 at 08:24 AM

RD

“ *Rebecca Lane Daughtrey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vestal Lyon Hicks* ”



Rebecca Lane Daughtrey - January 08, 2013 at 10:57 PM

RC

“ *Sending prayers and love to Buddy and the family. - Rhonda Elliott Carmody* ”

Rhonda Carmody - January 08, 2013 at 08:31 PM

TF

“ *A beautiful woman whose beauty radiates from the inside out. She served the Lord with all she had and has left a legacy that makes me proud to be her grandchild. I love you!* ”

The Graf family - January 08, 2013 at 05:57 PM

PL

*To Hicks' Family,
Your mother was the most wonderful and gentle lady that I ever met. She rented us our 1st home as newly married couple. I was very new to the Lindale area and she open up her arms to welcome me. Even after we moved back to Louisiana, I still keep in touch with her for several years. I guess we hit it off perfect due to she had a daughter named Priscilla.*

My heart goes out to the family and I will remember Mrs. Hicks in my thoughts and prayers.

*Lynn and Priscilla Lee
Hawkins, TX*

Priscilla Lee - January 09, 2013 at 09:36 AM

DW

Lots of thoughts and prayers to your family! What a very special lady she will be missed.

DeAlva Waters - January 09, 2013 at 10:54 AM

LB

Our prayers are with you during this time. Ms Vestal was such a sweet kind lady and we will all miss her very much. We know she is in a better place now.

Louie Brown Family

Louie Raymond Brown - January 10, 2013 at 03:58 AM