



Mrs. Barbara Markey Crim

November 2, 1936 - July 2, 2023

Barbara Markey Crim was born November 2 in 1936, the daughter of Frank H. and Vernie Marie Markey. She graduated from Henderson High School in 1955 where she was the head-cheerleader, voted Best-All-Around girl her senior year, and won the American Legion Award for an essay that she was pressed to write by her father. After graduation, she then attended The University of Texas at Austin. After a few years as a military wife, she and her family moved back to Henderson where she remained a resident until her most recent move to Oak Hills Terrace Memory Care facility in Tyler. She was well-loved and taken care of by the entire staff along with her attending members of Solaris Healthcare. Barbara passed away from this life on July 2nd.

Barbara was a member of the Henderson Women's Forum and served as its president in 1986/87. She also enjoyed her membership and involvement in Pi Omega Sorority, Republic Bank Board of Directors, Camp Fire Girls where some of her friendships continued into adulthood with traveling, ski trips, attending Broadway shows and dinners. She loved music, trying new restaurants and her chocolates! She also loved spending time with family at the lakehouse and watching the beautiful sunsets. Barbara was a strong woman of faith. Her first love after her family was for her church, St. Jude's Catholic Church in Henderson. It started with the original building and parish halls on Morningside which her father was instrumental in developing and

building and continued through to her strong support for the Church's recent move to their new facility and location. Growing up in a mainly Protestant East Texas town never caused Barbara's faith and poise to wane as can be attested to by anyone who had a meal with her and heard her beautiful blessings at the start of any meal. A strong supporter of her church, the HISD Educational Foundation and Alumni Association, her charitable causes like Full Armor Academy and others meant that she left her mark on many local activities and affected many people. After her parents' death, Barbara became the "matriarch" and business leader of the family in handling a broad base of family business activities, thus utilizing and proving her business and personal strength

Barbara was preceded in death by her parents and her sister Norma Marie Markey. She is survived by sons Travis Frank Crim and wife Judy Putney Crim of Dallas and Kevin Blaine Crim of Henderson, sister Maureen Markey Brodnax of Dallas and brother Frank H Markey II and wife Shelly of Dallas, grandchildren Brooke Marie Crim of Phoenix, AZ and Kory Blaine Crim of Granbury and her numerous nephews, nieces, and other family members.

Family and friends will gather for visitation and remembrance on Friday, July 7 at Crawford-A Crim Funeral Home from 4 to 6 pm with a rosary to follow at 6:00.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday, July 8 at St. Jude's Catholic Church, 1100 Longview Dr, Henderson at 11am officiated by Father Joe Kannampuzha. Interment to follow at Lakewood Memorial Park under the direction of Crawford-A Crim Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Kory Crim, Brett Brodnax, Collin Brodnax, John Knapowski, Scott Farley, Michael Parrish and Austin Markey. Honorary pallbearers are Art Rousseau, David Alford and Ernest Winfrey.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her honor may be made to the St. Jude's Building Fund or any charity of your choice.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Lakewood Memorial Park

1001 Van Buren St.
Henderson, TX 75652

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home
1414 S. Main St
Henderson, TX 75654

Rosary

JUL 7. 6:00 PM (CT)

Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home
1414 S. Main St
Henderson, TX 75654

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Jude's Catholic Church
1100 Longview Drive
Henderson, TX 75652

Tribute Wall



“ *Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Barbara Markey Crim*



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - July 07, 2023 at 11:59 AM

VM

I have fond memories of Barbara. She was energetic and a leader. I was in the same graduating class at HHS. May God bless her family and friends in the coming days.

Velta Gray Morris

Velta Gray Morris - July 07, 2023 at 09:57 PM

EH

I didn't know she is in heaven. My stepson and I were remembering Ms Norma so we start serching about her family and we found this. Ms Barbara was so nice and kind. God bless her family

Erica J Herrera - March 19, 2025 at 02:27 PM

EH

“ *Erica J Herrera lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Markey Crim*



Erica J Herrera - March 19, 2025 at 02:34 PM

AB

“ Rest in Paradise Mrs Crim.



Ann Bottoms-Barr - July 07, 2023 at 06:15 PM

JT

“ Maureen, you and your family are in my prayers. Sorry I never met Barbara, but I almost feel as if I had, as I have heard you speak of her these last couple of years. Judy Townley, Dallas



Judy Townley - July 07, 2023 at 03:24 PM

KH

“ Kurt Hunt lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Kurt Hunt - July 07, 2023 at 03:14 PM

AR

“ Colby & Amy Rockey

Amy A Rockey - July 07, 2023 at 11:07 AM

LS

“ *Leslie Spell lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Leslie Spell - July 06, 2023 at 09:26 PM

TA

“ *Sorry to hear about your mom, TC. You and your whole family are in my thoughts.*

Tracy Allen - July 06, 2023 at 07:17 PM

DM

“ *Barbara was so beautiful and kind. I will miss her. I loved her in Christ Jesus.*



Doris Madkins

Doris Madkins - July 06, 2023 at 08:44 AM

AT

“ *Barbara was a dear friend and I will miss her so much. We shared a beautiful friendship with a special love for our families and fashion. I will always treasure our moments together. She was a beautiful, gentle, loving friend.*



Amy Turlington - July 05, 2023 at 10:23 PM



“ Pam Brown lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Pam Brown - July 05, 2023 at 08:49 PM

WR

“ Maureen, sincere sympathy to you and your family.



Winnie Ramey - July 05, 2023 at 07:15 PM

PW

“ Barbara was such a lovely and kind lady. Prayers for her family during this difficult time. Pam Wells



Pam Wells - July 05, 2023 at 05:07 PM

PB

“ Barbara was that special person that touched many lives. The perfect example of what a lady should be. I had the privilege of being with her in our Fun Friends group. How blessed we are to have known her. Rest in peace my dear friend. Loved you and will miss you.

Pat Brack - July 05, 2023 at 03:42 PM

PB

“ Barbara was a very special lady. Beautiful inside and out. I consider it a privilege to call her my friend. she was a very giving person and touched many lives. Barbara will truly be missed.

Pat Brack - July 05, 2023 at 02:56 PM

MM

“ I will miss your u Aunt Barbara ❤️

marsha mckenna - July 05, 2023 at 01:53 PM

JS

“ It was an honor to know Barbara Crim.



Judy Sewell - July 05, 2023 at 01:12 PM

DB

“ Damon Bassett lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Damon Jill Bassett - July 05, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *Pam Brown lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Pam Brown - July 05, 2023 at 07:34 AM



“ *Tony Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Tony and Anita Cavaliere - July 04, 2023 at 03:47 PM



“ *May you continue to light the world from Heaven like you did while here on Earth. ❤️*



Claudia Morgan-Gray - July 04, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *We loved Barbara! So sorry for your loss. We will always cherish our memories of her. She was truly the definition of a lady with her grace, kindness, and gentle spirit.*
Mark and Nancy Gibson

Mark and Nancy Gibson - July 04, 2023 at 01:04 PM

MT

“ *Mark Taylor lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Mark Taylor - July 04, 2023 at 11:42 AM

CT

“ *Chuck Lisa Towe lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Chuck & Lisa Towe - July 04, 2023 at 11:02 AM

BH

“ *Brent Hale lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Brent Hale - July 04, 2023 at 11:02 AM

VH

“ *Virginia Hutto lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Virginia Hutto - July 04, 2023 at 10:35 AM

PP

“ *pud patterson lit a candle in memory of
Barbara Crim*



pud patterson - July 04, 2023 at 09:14 AM

MH

“ *Missy Hacker lit a candle in memory of
Barbara Crim*



Missy Hacker - July 04, 2023 at 09:10 AM

BP

“ *Prayers for family*

Beth H Pope

Beth H Pope - July 04, 2023 at 09:08 AM

MM

“ *Barbara was a long-time friend of our family.
She served for years on the Republic Bank
Board of directors with me.
Milton and Sharla McGee*



Milton McGee - July 04, 2023 at 09:02 AM

LL

“ *Linda Long lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Linda Long - July 04, 2023 at 08:14 AM



Maureen I am so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed spending time with Barbara in our Fun Friends group a few years back. You and your family are in my prayers.
Pat Whitaker Vanderwater

Pat Vanderwater - July 04, 2023 at 09:39 AM

DS

“ *Barbara was a lovely lady, a sweet friend, and will be missed by all those many friends who knew her.*



Doyle and Margaret Sumrall - July 03, 2023 at 06:48 PM

SP

“ *Sue Plummer lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim*



Sue Plummer - July 03, 2023 at 04:00 PM

CN

“ Clay & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb - July 03, 2023 at 03:48 PM

GW

“ Gary Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Gary Wilkerson - July 03, 2023 at 03:37 PM

HM

“ Sweet Lady May You Rest In Peace.



Hal and Rosa Martin - July 03, 2023 at 10:52 AM

DB

“ Damon Bassett lit a candle in memory of Barbara Crim



Damon Jill Bassett - July 03, 2023 at 10:47 AM

CW

“ *I am so sorry to hear this. Barbara was a true lady, so sweet and beautiful. I have so many memories of her in Renaissance Club. She will truly be missed. Praying for God to comfort the family.*

Cyndi Walker - July 03, 2023 at 09:18 AM