



Mrs. Helen Page Brooks

January 26, 1931 - January 29, 2019

Helen Louise Page Brooks, 88, passed away at her home in Canton, Texas on January 29, 2019. Helen was born on January 26, 1931, in Benson, Louisiana to Arthur B Page, Sr. and Hazel Bissell Page. She graduated from Opelousas High School in 1950. Helen was a skilled seamstress and worked in several dress factories in the East Texas area. She and R.J. lived in the Dirgin Community for over 60 years. Helen was always involved in her children's activities including the ARC of Rusk County, the Sheltered Workshop and was a faithful advocate for the rights of individuals with Down Syndrome. She was active at Liberty Baptist Church, volunteered at the Samaritan House in Tatum and taught Sunday School and VBS for many years. She enjoyed reading and crocheting for Project Linus, family and friends.

She was preceded in death by parents; daughter, Jane Brooks; and brothers, A.B Page, Jr. and Henry Page and sister-in-law, Joyce Carter.

Helen is survived by her husband of 68 years, R.J. of Canton; daughter and son-in-law, Paige and Chris Sanders of Canton; granddaughter, Torri Sanders of Dallas; grandson, Chase Sanders of Canton; sister, Juanita Andrepont of Opelousas, LA; sister-in-laws, Maude Page and Marie Page of Lafayette, LA, Martha Gilliam of Bolivar, MO, and JoAnn Tillison of Henderson,. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews that she loved very much.

Graveside services for Mrs. Brooks will be at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, February 1, 2019, at Liberty Cemetery on CR 397 in Rusk County. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. until service time on Friday, at Liberty Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to The Brooks Family Scholarship, Tatum Ex-Students Assoc, P.O. Box 975, Tatum, TX 75691.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Liberty Cemetery
CR 397
Henderson, TX

Graveside

FEB 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DW

“ *Debbie Watkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



Debbie Watkins - February 05, 2019 at 08:07 AM

 Karissa Rodgers

“ *I loved going across the street to visit your sweet momma. We have been so blessed to know both of them and Chris and you. Praying for you!*

Karissa Rodgers - January 31, 2019 at 03:18 PM

SA

“ *My Condolences to the Family of Helen Brooks. She was a strong lady and a tireless warrior for her Children and her Husband! I grew up with Paige and was privileged to know Jane as well. So very sorry for your loss and will have you and your Family in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time of sorrow.*



We miss having you as part of our Community and hope you will come in October to Dirgin Church Reunion.

May God Bless each and every one and grant you the Peace that only He can give.

*Sam & Sonja Adams
Tatum, Texas*

Sam Adams - January 30, 2019 at 11:29 PM

JG

“ *J.L. Gilchrist lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



J.L. Gilchrist - January 30, 2019 at 03:46 PM

DF

“ Our deepest sympathies on the loss of your dear loved one. May the promise from God at John5:28,29 to resurrect our loved ones bring comfort to the family.

Dawson Family - January 30, 2019 at 02:41 PM

JP

“ I had the opportunity to teach Helen's daughter Jane and I got to know Helen. She was so very supportive of me and my endeavors with Jane and she was fantastic with my other students. She was a wonderful woman! Jan Pirtle

Jan Pirtle - January 30, 2019 at 12:11 PM

GA

“ Gale Austin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks



Gale Austin - January 30, 2019 at 08:45 AM

PK

“ Peggy Jones Keeling lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks



Peggy Jones Keeling - January 29, 2019 at 09:02 PM

LM

“ Linda Murphy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks



Linda Murphy - January 29, 2019 at 08:05 PM

JB

“ *Jill Bassett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



Jill Bassett - January 29, 2019 at 07:27 PM



“ *Donna Aaron lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



Donna Aaron - January 29, 2019 at 06:46 PM

KC

“ *Kristy Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



Kristy Campbell - January 29, 2019 at 06:19 PM

KB

“ *To RJ, Paige & Family:
Oh my, bless this sweet soul as Sister Helen is “dancing around Jesus’ throne” today! Praise The Lord! 🙏 Our Family was blessed to have spent many years with Bro RJ & Helen at The Blanton’s bible studies, they were so faithful & the sweetness of their presence was precious.
To God be the glory as we will see Helen again in His timing. Jesus loves you all, so do we!
Sincerely, with prayers & deepest sympathy,
Keith & Donna Blanton
White Oak, TX*



Keith & Donna Blanton - January 29, 2019 at 02:14 PM

WC

“ *WT & Kay Castleberry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Page Brooks*



WT & Kay Castleberry - January 29, 2019 at 11:19 AM