



Mrs. Joan Ferguson

February 1, 1950 - April 15, 2026

Memorial services for Mrs. Joan Ferguson, 76, of Carlisle, will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, April 25, 2026, in the chapel of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Rev. Billy Ferguson officiating under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM on Saturday, April 25, 2026, at the funeral home.

Mrs. Ferguson passed away April 15, 2026, in Longview. She was born February 1, 1950 in Overton, Texas to James Lee and Estella Mae (Ward) Smitherman and spent most of her life in Rusk County. Mrs. Ferguson worked for Carlisle Independent School District as the Custodial Director until her retirement. She enjoyed the outdoors and spent a lot of time with her family going hunting, fishing, traveling in an RV, riding motorcycles, four-wheelers, and side by sides. Mrs. Ferguson also enjoyed doing different crafts, such as sewing and crocheting. She was a member of The Father's House Church.

Mrs. Ferguson was preceded in death by her parents, James and Estella Smitherman; sister, Jimmie Lou Davis; brother, Jerry Lee Smitherman; and brother-in-law, Larry Davis.

Survivors include her husband of 56 years, Billy Fergerson; daughters, Sherri Pirtle and husband Blake, Judy Davila; son, Grafton Fergerson and wife Donna; sisters, Janet Jacobs and husband Harold, Jean Still, brother, Jack Smitherman and wife Linda; ten grandchildren, five great-grandchildren with two more on the way; and a host of nieces, nephews, other family, and friends.

Honorary pallbearers will be her grandsons, Colton Hamilton, Hunter Abbott, Isaac Fergerson, Aaron Pirtle, and Taylor Glover.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **25**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

SA

“ *Joan was such a sweet lady. She will be missed. Keeping you all in my prayers.* ”



Sheila Alford - April 24 at 11:39 PM

TF

“ *She was always so very sweet to me as I use to come over & play with their kids. You are going to be missed by many Joan.* ”



Traci Fallwell - April 24 at 10:39 PM

PS

“ *Joan always had a smile for everyone She was so kind and loving during my years of knowing her Rest in peace sweet lady Penny Smitherman* ”



Penny SMITHERMAN - April 24 at 07:50 PM

SC

“ *She was always so sweet to me and my mother my prayers for her family during this difficult time* ”



Sheila Cain - April 24 at 07:47 PM

SS

“ *Sydney Shoptaw lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Ferguson*



Sydney Shoptaw - April 23 at 03:39 PM

BH

“ *A very sweet lady. You all are in my prayers*



Barbara Hankins - April 22 at 10:20 PM

AS

“ *Amanda Stanley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Ferguson*



Amanda Stanley - April 22 at 09:16 PM

MC

“ *Mike And Linda Coleman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Ferguson*



Mike and Linda Coleman - April 22 at 04:11 PM

NR

“ *Nelwyn Richardson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Ferguson*



Nelwyn Richardson - April 21 at 03:06 PM

AK

“ *Amanda Kellis lit a candle in memory of Joan Ferguson*



Amanda Kellis - April 21 at 08:42 AM

JS

“ *Edson and I will always remember how good she was to me. When I was in labor with Michelle she walked me all over Carlisle. She kept the boys when we went to the hospital. I will always love and remember her kindness.*
Edson and Joy Smith

Joy Smith - April 20 at 09:06 PM

GK

“ *Gene Kelsey lit a candle in memory of Joan Ferguson*



Gene Kelsey - April 19 at 06:37 PM

TB

“ Teresa W Brady lit a candle in memory of Joan Fergerson



Teresa W Brady - April 18 at 10:50 PM

JS

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Joan. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.



Jesse & Genna (King) Stewart - April 18 at 12:35 AM

AW

“ Amanda Wilson lit a candle in memory of Joan Fergerson



Amanda Wilson - April 17 at 03:03 PM

AP

“ So sorry for your loss, praying for family and friends.



Ashley Pruitt - April 17 at 11:23 AM

RL

“ Rhonda Little lit a candle in memory of Joan Fergerson



Rhonda Little - April 17 at 11:12 AM

CG

“ So sorry for your loss.
Candy Duncan Grant



Candy Grant - April 17 at 08:00 AM

JP

“ Joy Pyle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Fergerson



Joy Pyle - April 16 at 08:44 PM

SA

“ Shelesa Armstrong lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joan Fergerson



Shelesa Armstrong - April 16 at 07:54 PM