



## Mary Ethel Hays

October 15, 1924 - July 28, 2010

Graveside services for Mary Hays, 86, of Minden, will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 30, 2010, at Maple Grove Cemetery with Rev. Billy Ferguson officiating. Interment will follow in Maple Grove Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson. Mrs. Hays died July 28, 2010, at Willowbrook Nursing Center in Nacogdoches. She was born Oct. 15, 1923, in Corrigan, Texas and lived most of her life in Minden. She was a seamstress and homemaker. Survivors include: sons, Bobby Hays of Brachfield, Dickie Hays of Marshall, Mark Hays of Longview and Johnny Hays of Marshall; daughters, Barbara Cranford of Mount Enterprise, Nell Hays of Shreveport, La., Linda Coats of Nacogdoches and Sue Blacksher of Nacogdoches; 16 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren. Pallbearers will be grandsons. Condolences may be made at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com)

# Tribute Wall

SS

“ Dearest Hays Family, I was so sad to hear of the loss of your mom and grandmother. She was the sweetest Aunt and I remember her as always smiling and with kind words and a kind heart. What an accomplished woman she was to raise such a wonderful family. My heart goes out to all of you and I am so sorry I could not be there for you. Her loss brings back alot of good memories we shared as cousins in our younger days. God bless all of you and know she is in a better place smiling down on all of you!

Stacey Shepherd Sonneborn - August 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ We loved Aunt Mary so much, she was always so sweet to all of us girls and we have such good memories of her, always very loving and caring. She loved her family so much, I hope you find comfort in knowing how much she loved you all. I hope you find comfort knowing that she is with the rest of her sisters and brothers in heaven, all together again. All my love- Rosalind Shepherd Peshorn

Rosalind Shepherd Peshorn - August 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Linda, Mary Nell, and family. My deepest sympathy on the loss of your sweet Mother. I still remember all the good times we had on Minden Hill and your Mother was always so sweet and fun to be with. May all your happy memories comfort you in the days to come.

Brenda Louise (Akin) Richardson - July 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Mr. Bob an family so sorry for your loss. You are all in our prayers.

Toni Barton - July 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Dear Bobby, Dickie, Mark, Johnny, Barbara & Nell, Our hearts are going out for you today. We love your sweet Mother & all of you. So many dear memories come to mind. Our Mother is in the hospital recovering from knee surgery so we will not be able to attend. Just know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers always. Love, Sippy, Cyndy, David & Family

Cyndy Cates Broadus - July 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ We are so sorry for you loss of you wonderful mother. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with your family.

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**Tracy Shepherd Rappmund** - July 29, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Dear Cousins, We all loved Aunt Mary so very much! We will always remember the good times we spent together. We think of you all of the time and wish we lived closer so that we could be there for you as you were for us when Daddy was so ill. It is hard to believe that our beloved Aunt Mary is the last of the Shepherd sibblings. Will always remember her for the happy, giving, loving Aunt that she was. God bless you all. Love, John, Shirley (Shepeherd) and Family

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**John, Shirley Bohannon and Family** - July 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM