



## Mrs. Nancy Bland

January 12, 1952 - September 4, 2024

Graveside services for Mrs. Nancy Bland, 72, of Carthage will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, September 9, 2024, at Antioch Cemetery with Betty Wills officiating. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson.

Nancy was born January 12, 1952 in Kingman, Arizona to Alvan Telly and Fern Edith (Short) Bland and has made Carthage her home for the last forty years. Nancy was a devoted Christian and faithful member of Abundant Life Church in Carthage. She loved to preach the gospel and enjoyed cooking good meals for anyone and everyone she could.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents, Alvan and Fern Bland; and her siblings, Marvin Bland, Beverly Lancaster, Shirley Young, Stanley Bland, Sandra Heath, and Loretta Callahan.

Survivors include her siblings, Bill Bland, Sharon Francis, Lois Simonson and husband Rick, Phyllis Blankenship; and a host of nieces and nephews, that she treated like her children and left her trademark red lipstick on their forehead, other family, and friends.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Antioch Cemetery

County Road 405  
Carthage, TX 75633

# Previous Events

## Graveside

SEP 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

YV

“ Hi, Ms Nancy. I just found out about this. I am very far away as you know. I think about you often and you will always be a part of my story. I will never forget how you all found me that day in the old church we went to, House of Faith, back in 1999. I was so rough but you and Jodie March took me right under your wings. You guys disciplined me. You even took me into your home for six months, fed me, clothed me and had Bible study three times a day. You taught me how to study, pray and how to live a life as a godly woman. I am so glad I got to catch up with you a few years ago. I will see you next day and I know you will be so happy and so proud of me. I hope you know that you share in any success in my life. Though, I am still not quite at the mark you set for me. One day, though. Glory to God in the highest!

Yvonne Velasco - February 06, 2025 at 10:08 PM

LB

“ Linda Bradbery sent a virtual gift in memory of Nancy Bland



Linda Bradbery - September 24, 2024 at 04:38 PM

LB

“ Nancy... You were my friend for many years. Our trips and our many July 4ths along with Thanksgivings we spent together. What a joy when you move to Henderson. So much love and memories we shared in our visits at the nursing home. We always with a prayer and a kiss on the cheek. Sure will miss you but know you are leaping, dancing and praising God. See you later my good friend!

Linda Bradbery - September 24, 2024 at 04:34 PM

DE

“ Nancy, It was a joy to know you for many years. Im so thankful that Pamela and I had stopped by the care home in Henderson in the last few months to visit you. You lived your faith in Jesus loudly and anyone who knew you knew how much you loved Jesus. You are worshipping Him face to face now. We will see you again Nancy when we shed these earthsuits like you just did. Sending love to your family.

*Deborah & Carlton Edwards*

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**Deborah Edwards** - September 09, 2024 at 05:37 PM

DB

“ You will be missed by many. While we are sad here on earth, we know you are pain free and rejoicing behind Heavens gates. I love you Nancy.

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**David Britt** - September 05, 2024 at 09:22 PM