



## Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau

August 17, 1948 - April 20, 2026

A memorial graveside service for Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau, 77, of Henderson will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, May 2, 2026, at Rusk County Memorial Gardens with Russell Montgomery officiating. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson.

Mrs. Rousseau passed away April 20, 2026, in Tyler. She was born August 17, 1948 in Overton, Texas to Jesse William and Eunice Elizabeth (Smith) Gresham and was a life-long resident of Rusk County. Mrs. Rousseau grew up in Selman City and Turnertown and graduated from West Rusk High School. She worked for over 20 years as the Rusk County Treasurer and also worked as an office manager for Phenix and Crump Law Office in Henderson. During her time at Rusk County, she was also a member of the Henderson Rotary Club. Mrs. Rousseau loved studying her bible and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Henderson for many years. She also enjoyed reading, journaling, and art. Her dogs held a special place in her heart and she enjoyed taking care of them.

Mrs. Rousseau was preceded in death by her husband of 39 years, Robert Larry Rousseau; parents, Jesse and Eunice Gresham; and her sister, Laura Diane Montgomery.

Survivors include her children, Amy Rousseau, Robert Rousseau and wife

Chiquita; sister, Jessica Morgan and husband David; brother-in-law, Ronald Montgomery; nephews, Russell Montgomery and wife Keri, Michael Montgomery; great-nieces, Parker Montgomery, Makenzie Montgomery, Riley Montgomery, Sidney Montgomery; great-nephew, William Montgomery; and a host of other family and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family invites you to honor her love for her grand-dogs — Charlie, Namora, and Max — by making a donation to Rusk County Pets Alive, P.O. Box 106, Henderson, Texas 75653.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Rusk County Memorial Gardens

5013 US Hwy 259  
Henderson, TX 75652

# Previous Events

## Memorial Graveside

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

CC

“ *Carla Carlock-Self lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Carla Carlock-Self** - May 06 at 06:28 PM



“ *Cathy Hooper lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**Cathy Hooper** - May 03 at 02:06 PM

JJ

“ *Amy, I have so many fond memories of your Mom- especially working in the children's area at church and doing Disciple classes on Wed. Evening. Her friendship meant a lot to me, as well as yours! I will be praying for you & Robert as you walk through this season of life! I will miss the service this morning, as I am visiting my sister in Orange, Texas. Please know I'm thinking of you!❤️*

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**Jan Jimerson** - May 02 at 08:51 AM

RE

“ *Ronald Ellis lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**Ronald Ellis** - May 01 at 09:08 AM

KT

“ *Nora was a lovely person, kind and friendly to everyone. We worked together many years ago at First Baptist Church Mother's Day Out Program. We were together in the 3-year-old class. Nora was kind, loving, and always willing to help someone. So sorry for your loss. K. Trammell*

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**Kay Trammell** - April 29 at 08:47 PM

VP

“ *Robert, your mom was always such a nice lady. Our prayers are with you and your family in the days ahead.*

*Michael & Vicki (Stafford) Pyers*

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**Vicki Pyers** - April 28 at 06:53 PM

DC

“ *David & Kathy Chapman lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**David & Kathy Chapman** - April 28 at 03:14 AM

BP

“ *Benny Payne lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**Benny Payne** - April 28 at 01:24 AM

CN

“ *Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb** - April 27 at 09:13 PM

LD

“ *Leann Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Nora Rousseau*



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**Leann Dorsey** - April 27 at 08:12 PM

KC

“ *Kay Castleberry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Kay Castleberry** - April 27 at 11:56 AM

DC

“ David And Jan Crow lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



David and Jan Crow - April 27 at 07:49 AM

LS

“ Nora was a blessing in my life. I am honored to call her my friend and will miss our talks and times together. She was a true witness to her faith and loved serving her Lord. I know how happy she must be to be with her dear Larry again. Rest in peace dear Nora.



Linda J. Smith - April 26 at 02:48 PM

KH

“ Mollie & Ken Hale



Ken Hale - April 26 at 08:23 AM

DB

“ RIP NORA, you were a great school mate and a great Gaston Red Devil who by the way with your help we beat New London the last time we played each other, lol! We all loved you and I worked with Larry years ago a great guy. You will be missed and I'll pray for your family because we know where your at sweet girl.  
Don Boatwright

Don Boatwright - April 25 at 06:12 PM

RE

“ Robert & Dianne Everitt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



Robert & Dianne Everitt - April 25 at 03:36 PM

LR

“ Linda Rogers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



Linda Rogers - April 25 at 01:49 PM

DT

“ Donna Truelove lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



Donna Truelove - April 25 at 12:46 PM

AL

“ *Nora and I were classmates at Gaston Elementary , Jr High , and High School for eleven years. As the result of consolation of Gaston and New London we were forced into the first graduation class at West Rusk High School. We lifelong friends and I was also friends with Larry before they were married. I will be praying for Nora’s family in the coming days to help them get through this most difficult time.*

*A.L. Layne*

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**A.L. Layne** - April 25 at 11:57 AM

RJ

“ *Rena Jordan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Rena Jordan** - April 25 at 07:52 AM

SC

“ *Amy and Robert, I am so saddened to hear the passing of your precious mother Nora. What a blessing she was to everyone to whom she knew. Hugs ❤️*



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**suzanne Cross** - April 24 at 10:51 PM

CC

*Our family lived near the Greshams in Turnertown. Our sister, Sherilyn and Nora were life-long friends. Nora gave a eulogy at Sherilyn’s funeral in 2023. The McClains loved all of the Greshams and Nora was like another sister to us all. Our hearts are with her children, Jessica, and all extended family and friends. We will miss her, and are grateful to God that we will see her again.*

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**Carolyn McClain and Marilyn McClain C** - April 25 at 04:04 PM

BS

“ *Brad & Lou Ann Standard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



Brad & Lou Ann Standard - April 24 at 09:00 PM

BM

“ *Nora was a friend for many years. For a couple of years, we lived in the same duplex as she and Larry. Prayers for you, Amy and Robert.*

Beth Myers - April 24 at 08:39 PM

AM

“ *Amy Miley-Payne lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



Amy Miley-Payne - April 24 at 07:10 PM

KH

“ *Kurt Hunt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



Kurt Hunt - April 24 at 05:41 PM

JA

“ *May Nora be in peace on Heaven. Bless her family during this time and always.* ❤️❤️❤️🙏  
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**Jo Anna Apple** - April 24 at 05:07 PM

CC

“ *My heart is full of precious memories of Nora. I learned so much from her. I count it a joy and privilege to have called her my friend. Amy and Robert, prayers for comfort and peace in the days ahead.*

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**Connie Carter** - April 24 at 04:19 PM

CC

“ *Memories of Nora always bring a smile to my face. She was truly a joy to work with—so kind, sweet, and gracious in every way. Sending heartfelt sympathy and love to her family.*



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**Chris & Liz Buckner Cross** - April 24 at 04:14 PM

RG

“ *We have known Nora for many years. Our son, Matt and Amy graduated in the same class. We are praying for your comfort at this time. We love you Amy and Robert. Robert & Diane Gholson*

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**Robert & Diane Gholson** - April 24 at 01:43 PM

SM

“ *Shannon McKey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Shannon McKey** - April 24 at 10:43 AM

NR

“ *Nelwyn Richardson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Nelwyn Richardson** - April 24 at 09:02 AM

CW

“ *We are so sorry to hear this. Prayers for comfort for all the family.*



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**Cyndi Walker** - April 24 at 08:29 AM

DW

“ *Don Whitehead lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Don Whitehead** - April 23 at 11:17 PM

SS

“ Susan Stevens lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Nora Gresham Rousseau



Susan Stevens - April 23 at 11:16 PM

NG

“ We have known Nora and her family for decades as a neighbor and friend. We have taught children’s Sunday School together, had Bible Studies, and worshiped over the course of many years. Nora was a teacher, a disciple, a loving wife, mother, and friend to everyone. She will be missed.  
Mark & Nancy Gibson

Nancy & Mark Gibson - April 23 at 05:46 PM

DK

“ My Condolences

David & Dianna Kelley



David & Dianna Kelley - April 23 at 05:07 PM

SL

“ Sending condolences and prayers to Nora’s family. I’m so sorry for your loss. Her sweet smile lit up the room! She was so precious.  
Susan Russo Lingle



Susan Lingle - April 23 at 05:06 PM

WY

“ *Wilma Young lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Wilma Young** - April 23 at 03:34 PM

MS

“ *Margaret Sumrall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Margaret Sumrall** - April 23 at 02:34 PM

NH

“ *Nancy Herrington lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Nancy Herrington** - April 23 at 01:21 PM

DW

“ *Dianne Wylie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Dianne Wylie** - April 23 at 12:40 PM

SH

“ Sue Henderson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



Sue Henderson - April 23 at 11:05 AM

BM

“ I count myself blessed for having known Nora. I'm praying for you Amy.

Betty Mullens - April 23 at 09:49 AM

JW

“ God is so good. Have known Nora all of our days beginning at Gaston School. Beginning in kindergarten. Mrs Dent. You will be greatly missed on this earth, but you have gone to glory.

*Blessing and comfort to your family. I remember you were a huge Boston terrier lover.*

*Believe you played the clarinet, and we were in Mrs Dunn's 4th grade class together.*

*Peace is now yours. Love. Jean Smith Warner* ❤️ 🙏

Jean Smith Warner - April 23 at 08:09 AM

JW

“ Jean Smith Warnrt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau



Jean Smith Warnrt - April 23 at 07:59 AM

BP

“ *Prayers for family*

*Beth Hale Pope*

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**Beth Pope** - April 22 at 09:15 PM

TC

“ *Tony And Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Tony and Anita Cavaliere** - April 22 at 06:11 PM

BG

“ *Praying for peace and comfort.  
Nora was a sweet lady.  
Bonnie Geddie*



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**Bonnie Geddie** - April 22 at 05:50 PM

TI

“ *Trinity Industries lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nora Gresham Rousseau*



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**Trinity Industries** - April 22 at 04:59 PM