



Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks

March 23, 1927 - April 24, 2026

Robbie Jo Smith Brooks was born on March 23, 1927, in Henderson to the late Tom and Ruby Smith of Pine Hill, Texas. She was the youngest of four children. She graduated the 10th grade from the Pine Hill School and Henderson High School in 1944.

On May 3, 1946, Robbie married the love of her life, Harley Brooks. They had two children, Mike Brooks in 1947 and Lynda Brooks Baker in 1948. Robbie and Harley were married 46 years.

Robbie worked for the telephone company (GTE) for 30 years. After retiring she worked at The Hale's Place and the Card Cottage in Henderson.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers James Henry Smith and Wilson Smith, sister Mary Ann Chapman, and her husband Harley.

Survivors include her son Mike Brooks and wife Mary Jane of Carrollton; daughter Lynda Brooks Baker and husband Jimmy of Arlington; four grandchildren Wendy Baker, Blake Brooks, James Noel Baker, and Scott Brooks; 16 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren; as well as a host of beloved nieces and nephews, other family and friends.

Robbie was a lifetime member of the Presbyterian Church and has attended Willow Springs Presbyterian Church and First Presbyterian Church in Henderson.

Funeral services for Mrs. Brooks will be held at 2:00 PM on Thursday, April 30, 2026, in the chapel at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Commissioned Pastor Jimmy Chapman officiating. Interment will follow at Bridges Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home. The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM until service time on Thursday, April 30, at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be Tom Smith, Aubrey Hammett, James Noel Baker, Blake Brooks, Scott Brooks, Mitchell Brooks, Garrett Brooks, Sam Britton, Nicholas Brooks, Lincoln Baker, and Hudson Baker. Honorary pallbearer will be David Price.

If desired, memorial donations may be made to Bridges Cemetery at 1494 FM 348 S. Henderson, TX 75654, and/or the First Presbyterian Church at P.O. Box 773, Henderson, TX 75653.

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

Cemetery Details

Bridges Cemetery

933 FM 348
Henderson, TX 75652

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home
1414 South Main Street
Henderson, TX 75654
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murphy@crawfordacrim.com
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Service

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Tribute Wall

DP

“*Robbie was our neighbor beginning in 2008 until she moved to Arlington. She became a trusted friend and a "Mom" to both of us. We loved her dearly. We are so thankful for her friendship and all the wonderful memories we have of her. She talked often of her love of her children, her grands and great grands included. Most of all she spoke of her love of her dear Harley. She often said he could do anything. He was the best husband and father. She missed him terribly. We take great comfort in knowing she is now with her Lord and Savior and her precious Harley.*

David and Karen Price - April 30 at 05:24 PM

GS

“*Gilbert & Jo (Coode) Salinas lit a candle in memory of Robbie Brooks*



Gilbert & Jo (Coode) Salinas - April 30 at 04:34 PM

AG

“*Alvin & Ann Green lit a candle in memory of Robbie Brooks*



Alvin & Ann Green - April 29 at 05:52 PM

MB

“ Margaret Green Brown lit a candle in memory of Robbie Brooks



Margaret Green Brown - April 29 at 05:50 PM

DS

“ I am sorry for the loss of your sweet Mother. I remember ya'll as our backyard neighbors. Great neighborhood, and good ole days! We lost our Mother last year. They both lived long, wonderful lives. Thoughts and prayers being sent to you all.
Debbie Stanley Stafford



Debbie Stafford - April 29 at 09:31 AM

DC

“ Dinah Crim lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks



Dinah Crim - April 28 at 09:31 PM

CC

“ Chris & Liz Buckner Cross lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks



Chris & Liz Buckner Cross - April 28 at 06:41 PM

MD

“ *She lived a long wonderful life. Sorry for loss of your mother.* ”



Mary Davis - April 28 at 02:42 PM

JH

“ *Barbara and Joel Hale.* 🙏 ”



Joel Hale - April 27 at 11:00 PM

CW

“ *Carolyn White Whitwell* ”



Carolyn White-Whitwell - April 27 at 07:31 PM

AH

“ *Aubrey Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks* ”



Aubrey Hammett - April 26 at 06:07 PM

KP

“ *Kathy Porter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks*



Kathy Porter - April 26 at 02:32 PM

MM

“ *Marilyn Martin*



Marilyn Martin - April 26 at 10:24 AM

NG

“ *Nancy & Mark Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Robbie Smith Brooks*



Nancy & Mark Gibson - April 26 at 09:53 AM

KH

“ *Mollie & Ken Hale*



Ken Hale - April 26 at 08:24 AM