



## Mrs. Velma Raboine

December 25, 1922 - August 19, 2019

A celebration of the life of Mrs. Velma Raboine, 96, of Henderson, will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 22, 2019, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Tyler with Pastor Art Hill officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time on Thursday at the church. Funeral arrangements have been made under the direction of Crawford-A. Funeral Home.

Mrs. Raboine passed from this life on August 19, 2019, at Briarcliff Health Center in Tyler. She was born December 25, 1922, in Aurora, Illinois to the late William and Emma (Stamm) Kell and has lived in Henderson since January of 1970. After moving to Henderson, Velma worked for Dr. James Mann and Anderson-Hickey before a 15 year career with Henderson High School as a Library Assistant. She loved to play games, especially Bridge, and she had a strong wit that lent itself practical jokes in her youth.

Mrs. Raboine was a faithful soul and was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Tyler. That faith led her to plant churches, and she was part of a group that helped start a church in Tennessee and later in Henderson.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Aaron Raboine; an infant son; and her brother, Melvin Kell.

Survivors include her daughters, Marsha Bagley of Pasadena, and Debbie

Jordan of Tyler; and two grandchildren, Chase Jordan of Tyler and Alicia Jordan of Pensacola, Florida.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Trinity Lutheran Church at 2001 Hunter St., Tyler, TX 75701, and/or the East Texas Food Bank, Attn: Development Department at 3201 Robertson Road, Tyler, TX 75701.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
2001 Hunter St.  
Tyler, TX 75701

## Celebration of Life

AUG **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

KS

“ *Marsha, so sorry about the loss of your mother. Kathy Davis Spann*

**Kathy Spann** - September 05, 2019 at 11:06 PM

SB

“ *What a precious lady that I was honored to have known.*

**Sandy Burns** - September 04, 2019 at 08:00 PM

LP

“ *Linda Pool lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Velma Raboine*



**Linda Pool** - August 30, 2019 at 02:58 PM

JJ

“ *Judy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Velma Raboine*



**Judy Johnson** - August 21, 2019 at 06:28 PM

DC

“ *David & Kathy Chapman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Velma Raboine*



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**David & Kathy Chapman** - August 21, 2019 at 06:06 PM

PP

“ *Pud Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Velma Raboine*



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**Pud Patterson** - August 20, 2019 at 11:38 AM

NG

“ *So Very sorry for your loss. Mrs Raboine was a delightful neighbor and lady. She will be missed. Enjoyed seeing her fur babies including the grand dogs! Love and prayers.*

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**Nancy & Mark Gibson** - August 20, 2019 at 09:02 AM

BL

“ *Dear Debbie,*

*Our condolences and sympathies to you and your family on the passing of your mother. So sorry to hear of this. It is never easy to lose a parent. We pray for your peace and comfort.*

*May God's peace be with you.*

*The Stowe family*

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**Blake** - August 19, 2019 at 05:38 PM

FD

*Dear Girls,*

*Velma was such a kind, intelligent and compassionate person. I played bridge with her for several years, and she taught me much.*

*She loved all her family and never wanted to put anyone to any trouble. She loved her church and spoke of it often. I will always remember her.*

*May God comfort your hearts.*

*Fay Dorsey*

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**Fay Dorsey** - August 22, 2019 at 12:01 PM

RS

*Dear Marsha and Debbie,*

*I never had the pleasure to meet you but I knew Velma as a dear friend of my Aunt Tillie in Henderson. I was so saddened to learn today that Velma has passed but know she is in the presence of our Lord and Savior. May many wonderful memories of her fill your hearts and know that a joyful reunion awaits us all in Heaven.*

*Sincerely,*

*Ruth Stoerkel, Houston Texas*

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**Ruth Stoerkel** - December 20, 2020 at 12:38 AM