



Mrs. Walta Allen

September 6, 1937 - March 21, 2020

Mrs. Walta Allen, 82, of Overton, after losing her battle with cancer, passed from this life on March 21, 2020, at The Center at Grande in Tyler. She was born September 6, 1937, in Troup to the late Garth and Golden Loper. A daughter, Rebecca Kay Allen also preceded her in death.

She was a wonderful and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother and was very much hands on with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Walta was known for her nurturing personality and quick wit as well as her cooking. She was also an avid reader, having a passion for good books. Mrs. Allen loved her family and church, and one of her greatest joys was preparing meals for them.

Walta attended Overton High School, and loved her community. She was a member Selman City Christian Church for over 55 years where she had also served as church secretary. She loved her church family dearly.

Survivors include her husband of 60 years, Milton Allen of Overton; daughters and sons-in-law, Debra and Bob Lynch of Odessa and Periann and Steve Crane of Kilgore; sister, Sue James of New London; grandchildren, Patrick Lynch, Amy Carter, and Taylor Carter and wife Ashley; and great-grandchildren, Amara, Lily, Julia, Avery, and Nolan.

Family graveside services for Mrs. Allen will be held on Wednesday with Danny Courcier officiating, under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

A register book for Mrs. Allen will be available from 9 a.m - 4 p.m., Monday and Tuesday, at the funeral home for friends and family to come in and pay respects as well.

Honorary pallbearers will be Steve Crane, Bob Lynch, Taylor Carter, and Patrick Lynch.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Choice Hospice, 1901 Rickety Lane, Ste. 103, Tyler, TX 75703, or the American Cancer Society, 1301 S. Broadway, Tyler, TX 75701.

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

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Cemetery

5560 TX-Hwy 64 West
Henderson, TX 75652

Tribute Wall

BG

“ *Becky J Goodwin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Walta Allen*



Becky j Goodwin - April 24, 2020 at 07:06 PM

DJ

“ *I wish I had known she was ill, she was a very caring person. I always loved to sit and listen to her talk. She had such a sense of humor and didn't mind speaking up about how she felt about any subject. I sure wish we could have gotten together during this time of grief to comfort and hug you Milton, Periann and Debbie. Just know you are thought of, being prayed for and very loved as was Ms Walta.*



Donna Richmond Judalet - March 26, 2020 at 04:09 PM

SB

I was an Overton High School classmate and CLOSE friend of Walta. I moved to Carlisle High after my Sophomore and life took over and we lost touch. I have thought of her so much through the years and wish I had known she was still right there in Overton. We had such great times for the four years I was there and she was a special friend, always there to cheer us up and a real part of my life. Thanks Walta for the memories! Vonnelle VanSickle Baird

Stacey Baird - March 28, 2020 at 09:23 AM

JE

“ Jerry And Tamara Elliott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Walta Allen



Jerry and Tamara Elliott - March 24, 2020 at 02:50 PM

PB

“ Periann, I just saw this. I am so very sorry. I thought the world of your mom. Lifting your dad, sister, you, and all others up in prayers. Love and hugs.

Patti A Bryan - March 24, 2020 at 02:08 PM

JE

“ Jerry And Tamara Elliott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Walta Allen



Jerry and Tamara Elliott - March 23, 2020 at 06:38 PM

BT

“ Bonnie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Walta Allen



Bonnie Thompson - March 23, 2020 at 01:32 AM