



Cletha Fern (Lanier) Berryhill

April 16, 1942 - October 15, 2024

Funeral Services for Cletha Fern (Lanier) Berryhill, 82, of Jacksonville, will be 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 22, 2024 at Memorial Missionary Baptist Church, Rusk, TX under the direction of Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home. Officiating will be Brother Odis Bryan. Burial will follow in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Berryhill was born on April 16, 1942 in Texas to the late Zephinia Ford Conway and Stella Katherine Powell. Mrs. Berryhill was a graduate of Jacksonville High School. After she retired from the Rusk State Hospital, she enjoyed playing the piano at Memorial Missionary Baptist Church in Rusk TX and watching western TV shows. She always had a kind-hearted smile on her face, adored by many and affectionately known as Memaw. Her most treasured moments were time spent with her family and her dogs. She was a life-long Baptist, and was a member of Memorial Missionary Baptist Church.

She is predeceased by her parents, husband, Harry Berryhill, and sister, Mary Alice Conway.

She is survived by daughter Missy Miller, Rusk, TX, daughter Kay Williams, Gun Barrel City, TX, son Jim Lanier, Leander, TX, son Stacy Lanier and his wife Jeni, Escondido, CA and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., Monday, October 21, 2024 at Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, Rusk, TX. Pallbearers will be Tony Lanier, Steven Lovelady, Mikey Miller, Morgan Miller, James Sanchez, Cody Strube.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Enhabit Hospice and Cedar Creek Lodge Boutique Senior Living in Gun Barrel City TX for their excellent care of Mother over the past 18 months.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home
221 5th Street
Rusk, TX 75785
(903) 683-2222
info@wallacethompson.com

Funeral Service

OCT **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Memorial Missionary Baptist Church
927 Crockett St.
Rusk, TX 75785

Tribute Wall

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“ *Cleta was one of the best people I have ever known and a true professional in her work. I am saddened to hear of her passing. Kate Kombos*



Kate Kombos - October 21, 2024 at 07:33 PM

LW

“ *Cleta was so sweet, loving and beautiful. I'll never forget her beautiful smile that could light up a room. God bless all family members and friends.* 🙏🙏❤️❤️

Lila Wood - October 21, 2024 at 06:59 AM

LW

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Lila Wood - October 21, 2024 at 06:58 AM

RF

“ *Roger Powell and Family purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Cleta Fern (Lanier) Berryhill.*



Roger Powell and Family - October 20, 2024 at 05:02 PM

RF

“ Roger Powell and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cleta Fern (Lanier) Berryhill.

Roger Powell and Family - October 20, 2024 at 05:02 PM

LW

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Lila Wood - October 19, 2024 at 05:24 PM