



Winnie Jo Elkin

June 14, 1926 - March 5, 2014

Graveside services for Winnie Jo Elkin, age 87, of Rusk are scheduled for 2:00 p.m., Friday, March 7, 2014 in Shiloh Cemetery with Steve Slover officiating under the direction of Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home in Rusk. Mrs. Elkin passed away peacefully March 5, 2014 in Keller Oaks Nursing Home, Keller, TX. She was born June 14, 1926 in Alto, TX to the late Joe A. and Ruth Ann Brunt Black. Mrs. Elkin was a resident of Rusk for many years formerly of New York, NY, Houston, TX and Alto, TX. She was recently a member of Lexington United Methodist Church in New York before moving back to Texas. Mrs. Elkin was married 50 years to Leo Elkin, a classical musician, and retired in 1995 from the American Bible Society where she worked as a secretary. She was a very happy person, laughed and smiled everyday and liked trivia. She liked to reminisce through her abundance of photo albums and liked recollecting past events. Mrs. Elkin also enjoyed when her grandkids would visit her in New York during summer break.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leo Elkin, brothers, Winford Black and William David Black. She is survived by a daughter, Linda Joy Watkins of Irving, TX, granddaughter, Ginger Weaver of Keller, TX, grandson, Thomas J. Watkins of Fort Worth, TX, great granddaughter, Emma R. Watkins of Fort Worth, great grandson, Joseph Leo Watkins of Fort Worth and many cousins, nieces, nephews and friends around the world.

There will be no visitation.

If desired, memorials may be made to Meals on Wheels, In Memory of Winnie

Jo Elkin, 413 North Lee St., Alexandria, Virginia, 22314 or at mowaa.org.
Flowers may also be sent.

Tribute Wall



“ *Winnie Jo Elkin*

October 04, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy. May those precious memories be foremost in your hearts and minds during this difficult time.*
(Isaiah 25:8)

Jackson Family - March 09, 2014 at 10:17 PM



“ *Ginger & Family,*

Please accept my sympathy at this sad time. Cousin Winnie was a happy, fun-loving person and she will be missed. I have many fond memories from our large, extended family gatherings and sing-alongs. It's hard to say goodbye to the ones we love, but let happy memories comfort you and keep her spirit alive.

Cousin Janey

Jane Woods - March 06, 2014 at 11:14 AM



“ *Desira D. purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Winnie Jo Elkin.*



Desira D. - March 05, 2014 at 10:41 PM