



Ada Belle Corcoran

December 11, 1921 - September 18, 2009

Ada Belle Corcoran Ada Corcoran passed away peacefully on September 15, 2009. She was born to Helen and Hance Henderson Hobson on December 11, 1921 in Maypearl, Texas. Ada was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of fifty-four years, Elbert Lee Corcoran, and sisters Margaret Lucas and Patsy Hobson. A retiree of The Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Ada possessed extraordinary strength of character and held strong Christian values. She lived her life with grace and dignity, always exhibiting a kind and giving spirit. Ada provided unconditional love not only to her family and friends but to others from all walks of life. Her generosity helped many in times of need. She was and will forever be deeply loved and respected by those whose lives she touched. Ada Belle is survived by her daughter, Elsie Davis and husband, Dan; son, Buddy Corcoran and wife, Wonda; son, Elmer Corcoran and wife, Joyce; and son, Wayne Corcoran and wife, Patti. Her grandchildren include Michaela Ginsel and husband, Ricky; Jennifer Davis; Anthony Corcoran and wife, Sonja; Rusty Corcoran; Michael Rinehart and wife, Wendy. Ada is also survived by five great grandchildren, one great-great grandchild and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Devoted siblings include Carl Hobson, Robert Hobson and wife, Jean; Juanita Hinson and husband, E.J.; Gerald Hobson and wife, Jeanie; Bennie Hobson and companion, Fran Jacobs; and Curtis Hobson and wife, Beverly. The family wishes to express gratitude and appreciation for the loving care provided to our Mom by the people at The Carriage Inn, The Lexington and most recently

The Avalon. Serving as honorary pallbearers are Ada's grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home on Friday, September 18, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. Internment will follow at Rockland Cemetery in Lovelady, Texas at 3:00 p.m. The family will receive visitors at The Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home on Thursday, September 17, 2009 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. If desired, memorials may be made to the Houston Area Parkinson's Society, 2700 Southwest Freeway, Suite 297, Houston, Texas 77098; or to the Riverside Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 9, Riverside, Texas 77367. Those wishing to leave a memorial condolence may do so at www.shmfh.com. To honor our Mom and her kind way of living, the family asks that you do something nice today for someone in need.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ada Belle Corcoran*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Walter Bennett - September 18, 2009 at 08:22 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you and want you to know that she was a very "special" cousin. She had such a spirit of love and humility to all who knew her. So thankful that I was allowed to have many good visits with her and share many memories. God Bless, Geneva*

Geneva Walling - September 17, 2009 at 07:22 PM



“ *Elsie and family,
So sorry to hear of your mom's passing ! Our sympathies to you and the family.
Sincerely, Dorothy Autery Duty*

Dorothy Autery Duty - September 17, 2009 at 07:13 PM

DC

“Whoever bears my word and believes him who sent me...has crossed over from death to life.” -

John 5:24

"She believed!"

I pause to extend my sincere sympathy to the family of Mrs. Ada Corcoran. You so freely shared your love one with us during her professional career with TDCJ and we thank you. She lead by example; trained many; and was dedicated to public service. Please bring to recall in those quite days to come,you will still be in our prayers.

Submitted on the "Wings of Prayers".

Dessie Cherry - September 17, 2009 at 05:22 PM

TG

“Grandmothers have a special place in our hearts. It is hard to lose them no matter the reason. Cherish and enjoy the memories of her, and know that she is in a wonderful place and you will get to see her again one day. The Garcia Family sends their thoughts and prayers to everyone in the Corcoran and the Ginsel families.

Tina and Alex Garcia

Tina Garcia - September 17, 2009 at 04:49 PM

AA

“Elmer Joyce & Anthony,
We are so sorry to hear about Ms. Corcoran. We know you all will miss her greatly. She is at peace now rejoicing in heaven! We will be thinking about you and praying for you all in the days ahead. We love you all.

*Albert Rita & Ricky
Mobile, Ala.*

Albert Rita & Ricky Baggett - Mobile, Ala. - September 17, 2009 at 03:18 PM

KH

“ *Elmer and Family,
My deep condolences over the loss of your precious Mother. I hope
your loving memories will bring a smile to your face every time you
think of her. kh*

Karen Coker Hewitt - September 17, 2009 at 02:08 PM

ME

“ *Dear Elmer & Joyce:
On behalf of my own family and our HHS Class of 1962 classmates,
I offer our condolences in the death of your mother. Please know
that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during
this time of loss. I will share her obituary with the members of our
class.
Sincerely,
Mickey and the HHS Class of 1962*

Mickey Evans - September 17, 2009 at 01:46 PM

BN

“ *To the Corcorans and their extended families. So sorry of your loss.
The Lord will give you strength to heal. You all are in my prayers
during your time of sorrow. Moms, grandmothers and great-
grandmothers are special and will always be missed, but think what
they have taught the ones who are left to mourn. Mrs. Cocoran will
be remembered for her kindness, grace and giving.*

Beverly Conner Niederhofer - September 16, 2009 at 09:09 PM

MW

“Joyce & Elmer and all the Corcoran family, We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear Mom . She was one great lady. Thank God she won't have to suffer any more. She is with her maker. She will be missed, sorry we could not be there. Sincerely Mae

Joyce & Elmer and all of the corcoran family . so sorry to hear about your dear sweet mom. She is with her maker now no more pain and suffering. She was one special lady. I will always remember her loveing smile. You will always miss her but just remember she is in a better place just waiting for you. Sorry we could not come. Love & condolences Mae & Clint Wright

Mae Wright - September 16, 2009 at 08:01 PM

MF

“ *May you find comfort in the memories that are yours to cherish always, and strength in the companionship of those who share your loss.... I have learned never to underestimate the healing power we all have. It is always there to be used for the highest good. Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. (Matthew 5:4) May it be a source of inner strength to know that there's a loving God watching over you, and that, throughout this time of need, He'll stay close by your side. I have fought the fine fight, I have run the course to the finish, I have observed the faith.-2Timothy 4:7. As for me, I will lie down that I may sleep; I shall certainly awake, for Jehovah himself keeps supporting me. -Psalms 3:5*

Magallon Family - September 16, 2009 at 11:48 AM

HW

“ *Mrs. Davis, Elmer, Davis family and Corcoran Family, Please accept my most sincere and heartfelt condolences on the loss of Ms. Corcoran. She was a kind and gentle person and I will never forget her.*

Howard White - September 16, 2009 at 10:58 AM

KC

“ *Sgt. Corcoran was truly a friend, confidant, and filled every life that she touched. I first met her as a young correctional officer at the Goree Unit and she had a tremendous impact on my life. If we all could be as full of grace, kindness, and love as Sgt. Corcoran was we would live in a wonderful world. I know that you will miss her but if anyone was ready to go home I know it was Mrs. Corcoran.*

Karen Cruse

Karen Cruse - September 16, 2009 at 10:54 AM

DH

“ *Anthony:
Sorry to learn of the passing of your grandmother. Grandmothers are special.
dh*

David Henderson - September 16, 2009 at 10:33 AM