



Agnes Decker

November 9, 1912 - May 3, 2006

Agnes Blair Decker Devoted Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Friend Agnes Decker, age 93 years young, went home to heaven Sunday, April 30, 2006, after suffering a stroke on March 3. She was born November 9, 1912, in Madison County, TX, to E. E. and Amanda Winn Blair. Mrs. Decker was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Robert L. Decker; an infant daughter, Robbie Jean Decker; son Pierrie Lee (Red) Decker; step-sons, Roland, Maurice, and Ross Decker; grandson, Robert Whitley; granddaughter, Clovis Martin; sisters, Bessie Harris and Elizabeth Moseley; brothers, Virgil and Sherman Blair. Mrs. Decker is survived by her daughter, Beulah Grimmet of Cleveland, Texas; daughter-in-law, Dorothy Decker of New Waverly, Texas; daughter Vergie Dotson and husband Connor of Huntsville, Texas. She was "Nannie" to a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren including: grandson, Joe Whitley and wife Karen of New Waverly; grandson, John Decker and wife Debra of New Waverly; granddaughter, Carol Kilgore and husband Mike of New Waverly; granddaughter, Courtney Dyer and husband Toby of Huntsville; granddaughter, Stephanie Brock and husband Justin of Huntsville; granddaughter, Teale Dotson of Oakton, VA; grandson Connor Wade Dotson of Ft. Riley, KS; granddaughter Jeanette Weems and husband Boyd of La Grange. Great grandchildren include Kayla Jo and Laura Beth Whitley, Brandon and Barton Decker, Rebecca and Michael Kilgore, Bethany Brock, Mark Weems, James Roland Martin and another whose birth in October she was eagerly anticipating, Baby Dyer. The family wishes to thank

two special neighbors, Bill and Carmelita Haynes, who treated Agnes like their own mother and whom she loved dearly. Also, special gratitude to Dr. Tommy Cole, whose careful care over many years enabled Mrs. Decker to live a full, healthy, and happy life. Mrs. Decker experienced many changes throughout her 93 years including two World Wars, the Great Depression, the widespread use of electricity and automobiles, the inclusion of radio and then television and telephones into her home, air travel and cell phones, but never lived in the past. She was an intelligent, outgoing woman always ready to try new things. But one thing that never changed was her dedication to family and friends. She taught by example, and so many of life's greatest lessons will be carried on by those who knew and loved her. Funeral services for Mrs. Decker will be held Wednesday, May 3, at 10:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church in New Waverly. Bro. Elmer Fulp will preside. Burial will be at Old Waverly Cemetery. Pallbearers are: Joe Whitley, John Decker, Brandon Decker, Barton Decker, Toby Dyer, and Justin Brock. The family will welcome visitors Tuesday, May 2, at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville from 5-8 p.m. For those wishing to leave memorial condolences, you may leave the family a message at www.shmfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Agnes Decker*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Vergie,
Our family would like to extend our heartfelt sympathy to you and your family during this period of your lives. Mrs. Decker was a special person and you will have a life-time of beautiful memories. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Cade S. Reece - May 03, 2006 at 07:58 PM



“ *To Virgie and family, family of Agnes Decker*

We are sending our condolences to you in the death of your beloved mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Death is hard to accept when it comes to our love ones, but we can be assured if they die in Christ then God gives us the assurity that death is not final; we will see our love ones again in heaven. Heaven gives us the hope that God will wipe away all our tears and sorrows that this world holds for us. We pray that God comfort and keep you during this time.

Henry, Thelma and Noah Spikes

Henry, Thelma and Noah Spikes - May 02, 2006 at 12:33 PM



“ *Our thoughts, love and prayers are with your family at this time.*

Danny & Pam Upchurch

Danny & Pam Upchurch - May 02, 2006 at 08:47 AM

GD

“ DEAR FAMILY AND LOVE ONES WE HAVE LOST A VERY LOVING LADY AND SHE WILL BE MISSED BY ALL THE FAMILY AND LOVE ONE. SHE WAS ALWAYS KIND TO ME AND A VERY LOVING AUNT AND WILL NOT BE FORGOTTEN BY ME OR MY FAMILY. MY KNEES IS GIVING ME MUCH TROUBLE AND I MAY NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE SERVICE. MY HEART AND PRAYERS WILL BE WITH YOU ALL. LOVE GEORGE AND PATTY DECKER

GEORGE DECKER - May 01, 2006 at 08:58 PM

MI

“ Beulah may your family know that our prayers are with each one of you. God sustain and comfort you. Marsha Ivey

Marsha Ivey - May 01, 2006 at 02:54 PM

RD

“ As I sit here and read the condolences' above, all I can think to say is something that my daddy "Roy Hayes" always said: "Ditto Ditto Ditto"

Aunt Agnes was very special too so many people.

She will be greatly missed.

John 3:16

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.

I know that Aunt Agnes will have eternal life, because she was an "Angel" here on Earth. I will miss her dearly. With this, I send my love and prayers.

The Broken Chain

We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name.

*In life we loved your dearly,
in death we do the same. It broke
our hearts to lose you, you did not go
alone; for part of us went with you,
the day God called you home.*

*You left us peaceful memories,
your love is still our guide;
and though we cannot see you
you are always at our side.*

*Our family chain is broken,
and nothing seems the same;
but as God calls us
one by one, THE CHAIN
will link again.*

*I love you all,
Retha Hayes Denais*

Retha Denais - May 01, 2006 at 01:45 PM

DI

“ *What a glorious homecoming for Aunt Agnes and Uncle Robert! Fond memories carried down to my generation as well. I well remember Aunt Agnes as a kind, generous, loving woman, always with a smile and so much grace. Even as a child, I recognized her great love for family and friends and how she always welcomed us with laughter and hugs. It was such a special treat as kids when Mom took us to the old Cherry Store in New Waverly to see her. Her face would just light up when she saw us coming. I will miss her, but she's rejoicing in Heaven. My love, thoughts and prayers to the families of Beulah Mae, Red and Virgie. Divonna Hold Irvine*

Divonna Hold Irvine - April 30, 2006 at 01:13 PM

EH

“ *Aunt Agnes was a dear and precious lady. Her smile and laughter leaves me with a wonderful memory of her. As a child growing up I remember all the wonderful visits with her family and good cooking, too. It was always a fun time to visit Aunt Agnes and Uncle Robert. Prayers are with all of her family.
With love to all of you,
Emma Decker Hold*

Emma and James Hold - April 30, 2006 at 10:10 AM