



## Barbara "Dianne" Laskie

April 7, 1941 - December 12, 2023

With the deepest sorrow, we announce the passing of Barbara 'Dianne' Laskie, who departed this world on December 12, 2023 at the age of 82. Born on April 7, 1941, in Midland, Texas, Dianne was a beacon of compassion, service and unwavering dedication throughout her life.

Dianne's legacy as a founding member of Master Gardeners, Riverside Trash Bash, and Keep Texas Beautiful in Walker County stands as a testament to her tireless devotion to environmental causes. Her commitment extended beyond, as she served her community with distinction as a City Councilwoman, leaving an indelible mark on the lives of those she touched.

Born to Ezras "Shorty" North and Alice North (Mathews), she was the youngest of four siblings. Dianne's upbringing instilled in her a strong sense of family values. Her passion for gardening, ceramics and breeding bulldogs reflected her creativity, nurturing spirit and zest for life.

A graduate of Midland High School in 1956, Dianne embarked on a journey of love and family, she married Nicholas Lee Moore and was blessed with five children: Kandiss Lea, Nicholas Reissor, Sherman Andrew, Joseph Todd and Robert Scott. In 1980, she moved to Austin, where fate introduced her to Felix Edward Laskie. Their love blossomed, leading to a joyful union on October 21, 1982 and she was blessed with an extended family which included the

addition of three children: Glenn Edward, Clifford Wayne and Karen Ruth. Soon after, they settled in Riverside, Texas, where they crafted a life of love, laughter and shared passions.

Her time in the nursing home did not dim her spirit; instead, she engaged in photography, spreading joy and camaraderie capturing special moments at parties.

Dianne is survived by her seven children: Kandiss Lea Gilmore, Nicholas Reissor Moore (Virginia), Sherman Andrew Moore, Joseph Todd Moore (Shari), Glenn Edward Laskie (Sheryl), Clifford Wayne Laskie (Kelly), and Karen Ruth Hay (Alan); 13 grandchildren: Angela Eastwood, Robin Gilmore, Dillon Moore, Priscilla Moore, Oliver Moore, Mason Moore, Tara Kelm, Joseph Moore, Mara Comeaux, Joseph Laskie, Andrew Laskie, Jamie Laskie and Joshua Laskie; 15 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. She is reunited in eternal peace with both husbands, her beloved parents, her son Robert Scott Moore and son-in-law David Mason Gilmore.

While her absence leaves a void, her legacy as a devoted mother, public servant and a woman of immense creativity will forever resonate in the hearts of those who had the honor of knowing her.

May her soul find eternal tranquility surrounded by the gardens she tended, the love she shared and the memories she created. Barbara Dianne Laskie will be dearly missed and lovingly remembered by her family, friends and the communities she served.

The visitation (10:00AM) and funeral service (11:00AM) will be Monday, December 18, 2023, at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, 1700 Normal Park, Huntsville, Texas 77340. Burial will follow the service. Memorial condolences to the family may be made at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Pioneer Cemetery

14172 Front Street  
Riverside, TX 77367

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville  
1700 Normal Park Dr.  
Huntsville, TX 77340

## Funeral Service

DEC 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

RM

“ Rhonda Mauldin lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Dianne" Laskie



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**Rhonda Mauldin** - December 20, 2023 at 11:11 AM

SL

“ Dianne, ("Grandma Dianne" to my kids) was an amazing person. She had a heart as big as Texas and was always working to make a difference in her environment. When our kids were born, her and Felix came North for a visit. Felix planted a tree in our front yard and Dianne made beautiful animal curtains and blankets for the kids rooms. She knew her way around a sewing machine. Her creativity was a thing to behold :). I will always remember the lively domino games we would play when we would come home for a visit. She will be greatly missed.

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**Sheryl Laskie** - December 17, 2023 at 02:05 AM

JB

“ Mr & Mrs Laskie were dear friends & supporters of my Dad. I remember riding with my Dad to the Riverside subdivisions and we always had to make a stop to visit with them! They were good people that sincerely wanted Riverside to be better for all! Sincere condolences to Kelly & Wayne ...

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**Jamie Brinegar** - December 15, 2023 at 06:00 PM

TB

“ *I think of her as a Friend, enjoyed our visits at the nursing home with Kandi. Prayers for the Family now as they miss her and Grieve her loss.*

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**Twilla Bilbrey** - December 15, 2023 at 01:29 PM

GK

“ *Gayle Spears Kelly lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Dianne" Laskie*



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**Gayle Spears Kelly** - December 15, 2023 at 12:02 PM

MH

“ *Marvin Hyvl lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Dianne" Laskie*



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**Marvin Hyvl** - December 15, 2023 at 11:47 AM