



Josephine Shipman

October 18, 1940 - March 24, 2006

Jo Shipman Josephine Ruth Shipman was born October 18, 1940 in Warrick County, IN to Olinda (Hemmer) and Gus Broeker and passed away March 20, 2006 in Bryan, Texas. She has lived in Huntsville for over 34 years. She worked as office manager, receptionist and a do everything girl in Dr. Conwell's office over 27 years. Dr. Conwell described her as a very resilient lady who was courageous and never a complainer. She was a member of University Heights Baptist Church and a Gaither music fan. She was a genuine caregiver who cared about everyone else. She was preceded in death by her husband William Shipman in 1975. She is survived by one daughter, Susan Shipman of Huntsville, son Bill Shipman and wife Leah of Spring, Texas, granddaughter Amber Gourley of Spring , and two sisters Henrietta Stephens of Holland, IN and Rosena Lankford of Huntingburg, IN. Services will be held Friday March 24, 2006 at 10 AM at University Heights Baptist Church with Rev. Richard Rogers officiating. Interment will follow at Adickes Addition of Oakwood Cemetery under the direction of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM Thursday, March 23, 2006 at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to the: Relay for Life at 122 Heaton Ave., Huntsville, Texas 77320. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at www.shmfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Shipman*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *As one of the Delta Air Lines pilots who at least every six months had the pleasure of your mom's personality, I want to offer my condolences and also my apologies for the tardiness of my message to you. Having been out of the country and involved elsewhere, Jo's passing was not known by me for some time. One of my pleasures was the making of a walking cane for her, and delivering it to her at her home. She will always be remembered fondly by all of her pilots.*

Ron

Ron Kolb - July 27, 2006 at 01:45 PM



“ *Jo will always have a very special place in my heart. She was a wonderful person and I will forever treasure and hold dearly, many special memories of her.*

Deven Cockerell - March 23, 2006 at 11:46 PM



“ *We send our deepest sympathy.*

Judge & Mrs. Ernst & Gina - March 23, 2006 at 02:28 PM

KF

“ Susan and Bill,
I haven't had contact with any of you in quite some time, but your mom was always one of my favorites. She was truly a hero in every sense of the word. I feel very fortunate to have had her, however briefly, in my life. And I look forward to seeing her once again in Glory. My prayers and thoughts are with you. Kay Fountain

Kay Fountain - March 23, 2006 at 11:49 AM

JS

“ The family of Josephine Shipman has our most sincere sympathy. May the Lord be with you, May His light shine upon you and give you peace.

Jerry & Nancy Smith - March 22, 2006 at 07:30 PM

GG

“ Jo was a great friend. Some of our best memories were the Christmas parties at her home, which was beautifully decorated with multiple trees and filled with delicious goodies!
God bless you as you say goodbye to this sweet lady.

Greg and Dani Gathright - March 22, 2006 at 07:19 PM

MK

“ Susan and Bill, I want to let you know what a special MOM you had. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. God Bless!
Peggy and Milton Kroesche

Milton & Peggy Kroesche - March 22, 2006 at 05:11 PM

SJ

“ Jo was such a sweet giving person. She was always there for my daughters and grandchildren and was a true “Granny” to Gabe and Jamie. I will never forget her presence and support last year when our family was going through a very hard time; it touched the whole family and gave us hope when we needed it the most.

Jo, I wish you a sweet journey on to your next life; all of us left behind that you touched in this life will miss you.

Susan Johnston - March 22, 2006 at 08:56 AM

MR

“ Would like for you to know how much your Mom means to us. She really left a mark on us. She is very special. It was an honor to pray for her and be called a friend. No one would even know she was handicapped. She didn't have a selfish bone in her body. I think the Lord that He let her cross ours paths. May God give you peace and know that she is in His loving arms. Maybe this will be comfort to you. Until Christ Returns, Vera, Peggy, & Randy

Mrs. Jim Duke & Peggy & Randy Reynolds - March 21, 2006 at 05:52 PM