



Judy Lee Wynkoop

July 29, 1945 - June 26, 2013

Judy Lee Wynkoop Judy Lee Wynkoop, 67, of Huntsville, Texas went home to be with her Lord on June 22, 2013. Judy was born in Dallas, Texas July 29, 1945 to John Hargis Hammer and Stella Margaret Lawson. Judy spent her early years living in Commerce, Mission and Longview before finally settling in Conroe, Texas in 1954 where her father accepted a position as coach with the Conroe Independent School District. Judy was a member of the 1963 graduating class of Conroe High School where she enjoyed her classes and many friends. After graduation she went on to nursing school where she became and LVN. Judy took pride in her abilities as a nurse and the care she provided her patients. In 1967, Judy gave birth to, receiving into her and her husband's life, a beautiful baby girl; Jennifer Jane Dobyms. The joy she found in her love for her daughter was equaled only by the love she had for her grandson, Kristopher Steven Albrecht (by whom she was affectionately known as Munner); granddaughter, Britni Marie Rodriguez; and great grandson, Elijah Albrecht. In 1978, Judy married Paul Eugene Wynkoop. When Paul returned to military service he and Judy enjoyed traveling throughout Europe visiting such places as Italy, France, Germany, and Austria. While stationed in Germany, Judy became the Headstart coordinator. This program assisted incoming soldiers in learning some basic German such as reading train and bus schedules and ordering in restaurants. A highlight of the program was getting to travel to the Iron Curtain. Upon their return to the United States they were stationed in Maryland, Louisiana and Colorado. In Louisiana, Judy's

bragging rights were the over 3,000 babies she helped deliver while employed as a labor and delivery nurse. She loved being a military wife and cherished every one of her experiences during this time in her life. In 1992, Judy started a new chapter in her life when she worked for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, retiring after 12 years of service. She settled into retirement enjoying her family and becoming an avid reader. Judy was preceded in death by her father and both sets of grandparents. She is survived by her devoted and caring husband of 35 years, Paul; her loving daughter, Jennifer; her "boy" Kristopher; "Honey B" Britni; her "handsome" little man, Elijah; her 94 year old mother, Margaret; her "little" sister, Martha Minnick and husband Joe; nephew Michael Minnick; step-daughter, Penny Wynkoop Ripplinger; step-grandsons, Paul, Jeffrey, and Travis Ripplinger; and step-great-grandchildren Drake and Avril Ripplinger. Additionally, she is survived by her five babies, Willow, Ted E. Bear, Dudley, Tuffy, and Sammie. Judy also leaves behind her church family who she loved very much. Services for Mrs. Wynkoop will be held Wednesday, June 26, 2013, 10:00 a.m., at Huntsville Nazarene Church in Huntsville, Texas with interment to follow at 2:30 p.m., in Houston National Cemetery, Houston, Texas. Family will receive friends Tuesday evening, June 25, 2013, from 5:00-8:00 p.m., at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at www.shmfh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Judy Lee Wynkoop*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *My condolences for your loss.*

Marta Mjeldheim - June 29, 2013 at 03:46 PM



“ *We are sorry for your loss. Your family is in our hearts and prayers.*

John and Pam Minnick - June 25, 2013 at 05:07 PM



“ *Please accept our condolences for your loss, your family will be in our thoughts.*

Steve Albrecht & Family - June 25, 2013 at 01:19 PM

JA

“ I am so sorry to hear of Judy's passing. I was blessed to have got to know Judy when she worked at the Education Centre at Daley Barracks in Bad Kissingen, Germany in 1983. I was a young Headstart teacher and Judy took me under her wing and said she was determined that I was going to be her friend. Well, she kept her word and we have been friends ever since. I visited her several times in Maryland and Colorado and if the phone rang in the early hours of the morning here in the UK, I knew it was Judy on the other end of the line telling me how much she missed me. She was kind and loving, with a true heart of gold. I feel really blessed to have known her and to call her my friend. She will be sadly missed but now at last is at peace. Much love, Janet

Janet - June 24, 2013 at 07:17 PM

SA

“ Dear Family members of Judy,

I grew up in Conroe and went to school with Judy. Her dad, Coach Hammer, was well-known with all the kids our age, and he also taught me swimming lessons at the Conroe Community Center.

I am so glad to know that Judy loved the Lord, and your comfort will come from the knowledge that she is now with Jesus, and will be waiting to see each of you again.

Sincerely,

Sara Scheele

Sara - June 24, 2013 at 06:00 PM