



## Nelwyn Phillips

December 26, 1928 - June 10, 2008

Nelwyn Green Phillips, 79, went to be with the Lord on Friday, June 6, 2008 in Baytown, Texas. Born on December 26, 1928 in Paxton, Texas, she was the daughter of Ralph Eugene Green and Nettie Ann Cammack Green. A retired teacher, Nelwyn earned both an undergraduate degree in home economics from Texas Woman's University and a Masters from Lamar University. She was happily married to Bobby Maurice Phillips for 41 years. During their time together, the couple made their home in Baytown, Sherman, Palestine, San Antonio, and Silsbee, Texas. Nelwyn moved to Huntsville, Texas following the death of her husband and later returned to Baytown where the couple had once resided. There she was a resident of St. James House for over five years. Nelwyn is survived by daughters, Denise Morgan and husband David, June Waggener; son Jerry Phillips and wife Judy; sisters Blanche Phillips, Esther Adams, and Allene Green; and brother, Ralph Green. Her grandchildren include Noel Waggener and wife Charisse, Sarah Waggener, Leah Morgan, Natalie Morgan, Cara Morgan, Haley Phillips, and Rachel Phillips Nalle and husband Jordan. She was preceded in death by both her parents and brothers Clarence and James (Buck) Green. Nelwyn was active in several Baptist churches during her lifetime and was currently a member of First Baptist Church in Huntsville. Arrangements have been entrusted to Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home. The visitation for Nelwyn Phillips will be 5 - 8:00pm, Monday, June 9. Services will be Tuesday, June 10 at 10am in the chapel of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home. Graveside services to follow

in Woodville at 2:00pm in Mt. Pisgah Cemetery. Active pallbearers will be Noel Waggener, David Morgan, Scott Bennett, Truett Bennett, Dirk Lorimier, and Bob Phillips. Honorary pallbearers will be Ralph Green, Cecil Morgan, Armender Hayes, Jerry Nobles, Ralph Phillips, and Frank Green. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, Box 281, Huntsville, TX 77342. Memorial condolences may be made online at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Nelwyn Phillips*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *June, Jerry & Denise,  
I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of our beloved Nelwyn. I wish I had known, I would have been at the service. I loved your Mom very much and she was always so special to me, Michele, Phillip and Jenna in the Silsbee schools. I know she will be missed by everyone. Please contact me - I am Barbara and Charles's daughter. I'd love to hear from you all including Ralph Warren and Bob Walter - it has been way too many years.*

**Cindy Witt Pratt** - June 15, 2008 at 06:34 PM



“ *Jerry, Judy, and girls I am sorry to hear about your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Let me know if there is anything I can do.*

*ruth Tarver*

**Ruth Tarver** - June 13, 2008 at 11:37 PM

TB

“ June, Denise, & Jerry,  
We want you all to know how much we loved your mom and dad. They were very special to us. She taught me so much, always sharing recipes or ways to make things different. We had a lot of good times together. They were a special couple, each having their unique ways. Each one of you kids were very special to them and they were very proud of you.  
With Love, Truett & Kay Bennett

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**Truett & Kay Bennett** - June 09, 2008 at 10:52 PM

MW

“ Denise, your mother and Bobby were friends of ours forty years ago when we all lived in the same neighborhood. I had never connected the two of you. She was very special - always sweet and kind to everyone. Please extend my sympathy to your entire family.

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**Mary Wheatley** - June 09, 2008 at 11:43 AM

DH

“ Jerry, Judy & Girls,  
  
I am so very sorry for your loss. Just remember that your friends are praying for you to make it through this very difficult time. She was a very godly woman and now she is in the presence of the Lord--what more can anyone want?

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**Donna Haney** - June 09, 2008 at 08:03 AM

TL

“ I am praying for your family and the comfort and love of God's arms to wrap around you in your time of need. It is only for a time that you say good-bye to mom for you will once again meet in your heavenly home.

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**Tamie Land** - June 08, 2008 at 08:50 PM

TD

“ I JUST WANTED TO SEND MY CONDOLENCE FROM ST JAMES HOUSE. I AM A CNA I TOOK CARE OF HER. SHE WAS THE MOST SWEET PERSON. SHE NEVER FORGET A FACE. FOR THE TIME I WORKED WITH HER SHE ALWAYS KEPT A GOOD SPIRIT. SHE WILL BE MISSED. SHE IS MUCH HAPPIER THAN SHE WAS HERE. LOVE, TISHIBA DUPLESSIS

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**Tishiba Duplessis** - June 08, 2008 at 07:36 PM

TN

“ We were so sorry to hear about your Mom's death. We pray for strength for your entire family as you say goodbye for now to such a godly woman.

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**Terry & Brenda Nikirk** - June 08, 2008 at 04:02 PM