



## Thelma Steely Loving

March 6, 1921 - September 15, 2011

Thelma Steely Loving Thelma Steely Loving passed peacefully at home in Huntsville, Texas on September 12, 2011, at age 90. She and her twin sister, Velma Warner, were born, March 6, 1921, in Pine Valley, Texas to William Arnold Steely and Nora Emma Lee Steely. Thelma lived most of her life in Walker County, Texas. She is preceded in death by her mother and father; twin sister and other siblings; son, Michael Loving; grandson, Stephen Loving and granddaughter Sandra Yancey. Those left to cherish her memory are her son, Curtis Loving and wife Olene; daughter Barbara Whiteside; grandchildren, Michael Whiteside, and Sherry Williford; great-grandchildren, Stephanie Self, Joshua Chatman, Jasmine Williford and Heather Lord; sisters, Dot Nethery and Stella Milam; sister-in-law Becky Steely and numerous other family members. Thelma worked as a bookkeeper for Goolsby Drug and retired at age 76 from Beckham and Jones Heating and A/C. She loved spending time with family and friends playing 42 Dominoes. Thelma also enjoyed playing bingo, gardening and cheering for the Houston Astros. She was actively involved in Calvary Baptist Church. Services for Mrs. Loving will be held Thursday, September 15, 2011, 10:00 a.m. at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home Chapel in Huntsville, Texas with burial to follow at Black Jack Cemetery in Huntsville. Family will receive friends Wednesday, September 14th, 5:00-8:00 p.m., at the funeral home. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com)



# Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Steely Loving*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Curtis & Olene: I have been at Heathers for two months and did not know about the loss of your mother. I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I love you both dealy.*

**Mellicent Wiley & Family** - October 18, 2011 at 09:49 AM



“ *May God comfort you and keep you during your time of loss. Our prayers are with you all.*

**Thomas & Susan Mott** - September 14, 2011 at 05:52 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Loving family. Thelma and I had a good time playing bingo at the Elks Lodge through the years. She was a very sweet lady.*

**Milton and Peggy Kroesche** - September 14, 2011 at 12:11 PM



“ *Curtis, Sorry for your loss. I will be thinking of you.*

**Gerald Adams** - September 14, 2011 at 10:40 AM

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“ Curtis, Olene, Sherry, Jasmine and Family,  
Our hearts and prayers are with you today and in the days to come.  
Your sadness will turn to joy as you re-live memories with your  
sweet Mom/Grandmom.....everything will remind you and you will  
always smile with love at those times. God's peace and comfort be  
with you now.  
Sending our love,  
Ray, Brenda, Tyler  
Amy's family  
Susan's family

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**Brenda & Ray Mitchell** - September 14, 2011 at 08:24 AM

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“ We will miss Aunt Thelma so much. I remember all the laughter and  
good times that she had with her twin sister and all our family. We  
loved it that she was always so happy to see us. Our sympathy and  
love. We were blessed to have her for as long as we did.

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**Doris Warner Phelps** - September 13, 2011 at 02:37 PM

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“ Barbara, Curtis and extended family, I am so sorry to read about  
Thelma passing away. She will always be remembered. She was a  
very good neighbor to Mother during the years. I remember her just  
being a big part of Goolsby Drug. Your Dad and Mom where a big  
part of my family's life in the 1950's. You all will be in my thoughts  
and prayers during your time of grief.

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**Beverly (Conner) Niederhofer** - September 12, 2011 at 09:25 PM