



Winona LaVerne Manire

July 9, 1931 - March 26, 2024

Winona LaVerne Manire passed away on March 26, 2024, at the age of 92 in Houston, Texas. She was born July 9, 1931 in Corpus Christi, Texas to Neva Russell Vannoy and Fred Cox Vannoy Jr.

She married Ira Manire Jr. on April 12, 1947. They were blessed with 69 years of marriage at the time of Ira's passing in 2016. They have 4 children: Charles (Ruth) Manire of Sarasota Florida, Iris Kohlleppel of Houston Texas, Leona (Bob) Leinweber of Willis, Texas, and Cynthia (Gerald) Bendele of Spring, Texas.

She is survived by her 4 children, 9 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, her sister Shirley Vannoy Wilder of Lake Butler, Florida, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Winona was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, grandson Brian Bendele, son-in-law Paul Kohlleppel, her sisters and brothers-in-law Darlene and Gene Ward, Maxine and Robert Fain and brother-in-law Leonard Wilder, and brother and sister-in-law Kenneth and Delores Vannoy, brother Carroll Vannoy and an infant brother.

Serving as pallbearers are grandsons Chris Manire, Greg Leinweber, Chad Randolph and great-grandsons Cody Slama, Duncan Leinweber, and Brian Craig.

Honorary pallbearers are great-grandsons Rayhan, Riyad, Kadin, and Kais Elouaid,

Lex and Max Bendele, Tyler and Carter Abdalla, Brayden Leinweber, Kameron and Layton Craig.

Visitation with family and friends will be on Friday Mar 29 at 1 pm followed at 2 pm by a graveside service at Sam Houston Funeral Home in Willis, Texas.

You are invited to leave written condolences at www.shmfh.com

Cemetery Details

Smith Memorial Park

10129 FM 1097 Rd W
Willis, TX 77318

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 29. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Willis
10129 FM 1097 Rd. W
Willis, TX 77318

Burial

MAR 29. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Smith Memorial Park
10129 FM 1097 Rd W
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Tribute Wall



“ *Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Winona LaVerne Manire*



Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - March 28, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Winona LaVerne Manire.*



March 28, 2024 at 01:01 PM



“ *Phyllis Stolzoff and family Isaiah 35:10 purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Winona LaVerne Manire.*



Phyllis Stolzoff and family Isaiah 35:10 - March 28, 2024 at 12:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Winona LaVerne Manire.*



March 27, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ *Nancy Carmicheal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Winona LaVerne Manire.*

Nancy Carmicheal - March 27, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Winona LaVerne Manire.*



March 26, 2024 at 08:28 PM