



Dorothy Dell Griffin

April 9, 1956 - September 14, 2023

Dorothy Griffin, 67, of Little Elm, TX, passed away on September 14, 2023. She was born in Waxahachie, TX on April 9, 1956, to Claude Dell Young and Mary Katherine Smith Young. Her parents later moved to Duncanville, TX where she grew up with her siblings and attended school. She married Gary Wayne Griffin of Garland, TX on May 24, 1986.

Dorothy was kind, loving and had a servant's heart. She never met a stranger and was always smiling and laughing. Throughout her life Dorothy made so many friends, many she grew up with in Duncanville, some she met through her time as a nurse's aide at Shadyside Nursing Home, and at church. She loved helping others and would spend countless days and nights sewing baby blankets for the hospitals, collecting and distributing donations for Samaritan's Purse, and other various charities. Her best times in life were spent with family playing cards, dominos, taking family vacations, and watching her kids and grandkids grow. She never measured her life by her achievements, although she would tell you that her biggest accomplishment was raising her girls.

Dorothy is survived by her husband Gary Griffin; two daughters, Chelsie Griffin of Little Elm, and Sabrina Lambert, and husband, Bryan, of Waxahachie, TX; two grandchildren, Jessica Distin and husband Blake and Garrett Lambert and wife Anna; four blessings in the form of great grandchildren, Everett, Lucy, Elias and Emerson; brother Tim Young and wife

Angie and Jimmy Pat Young; sister Lea Ann Braley; brother in law Don Griffin; four nieces, Malorie Bishop, Racheal Braley, Kendal Young, Joanie Lester; nephews, Christopher Young, Justin Young; aunt Liz Smith Hickman; great nieces and nephews, cousins, and many friends.

Preceded in death by her parents, Claude Dell and Mary Katherine Young; in-laws, Dan and Maxine Griffin; grandmother's, Ethie Viola Reynolds and Henry Ann Smith; grandfathers, Claude Alexander Young and James Robert Smith; uncle, Gene Hickman; nephew, Aaron Young; and great granddaughter, Elaina Ruth Distin.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, September 19, 2023, from 6:00 - 8:00PM at Slay Memorial Funeral Home located at 400 S. Hwy. 377 in Aubrey, TX 76227. A graveside service will be held at 1:00pm on Wednesday, September 20, 2023, at Aurora Cemetery located at 507 Cemetery Road in Aurora, TX 76078

In lieu of flowers, please make a contribution to a charity of your choice.

Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Bradley Shotts and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Slay Memorial Chapel of Aubrey
400 South Highway 377
Aubrey, TX 76227
info@slaymemorial.com
<http://www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com>

Graveside Service

SEP **20**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Aurora Cemetery
507 Cemetery Road
Aurora, TX

Tribute Wall

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“ Dorothy was my friend we work together at shadyside nursing home we met each other there we both was pregnant at the same time she was always there for me I loved her just like my sister this really hits home with me she was the most kindest person she was good to her friends and she was a good Mama tell we meet again love your friend Dana Worley oh and at the job our boss Miss Manning call us they double D

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Heaven's gain and our loss until we meet again ,.Dear Precious One ! Your laughter always filled the room ,and we shall always remember your tender heart and kindness toward others even when your own life was not easy ! Many years has passed by but a true friend is a treasure for ever and that's what you were to me and Dana .and our family ! Rest in Peace you are now home ,Love you friend Till we meet again ! Kaye Stinson .

kaye stinson - September 17, 2023 at 09:23 AM