



Jo Ella Hester

June 16, 1939 - August 30, 2021

Jo Ella Hester, 82, of Celina, TX, passed away Monday, August 30, 2021 in Frisco, TX. Jo was born June 16, 1939 in Tishomingo, OK to Melvin Sisson and Hazel Ham. Jo married Bobby Gene Hester on January 28, 1955, in Wylie, TX.

Jo is survived by her sons, Michael Hester and wife Susie of Celina, TX and Christopher Hester and wife Heather of Allen, TX; daughters, Lori Hernandez of McKinney, TX and Chrissy Smith and husband Josh of Celina, TX; nine grandchildren; Alisa Hester, Janice Babb and husband Eli, Danielle Harris and husband Tony, Katie Hernandez, Misty Hester, Shannon Hester, Billy Hester, Curtis Hester, and Stacy Hester; seventeen great grandchildren, Brookelyn and Easton Babb, Lexi and Avery Rodriguez, Nathan and Presley Page, Avery Smith, Hannah Hester, Emilee Hester, Sidney Franco, Elvis Hernandez, Bobby Hester II, Austin Morgan, Haleigh Morgan, Sarah Sander, Emily Hester, and Billy Hester III; brother, Jimmy Sisson of Collinsville, TX; and sister Judy Wester of Gainesville, TX.

Jo was preceded in death by her husband, Bobby Hester on May 2, 2010; parents, Melvin and Hazel; son, Billy Joe Hester; grandson, Andrew Hester; granddaughter, Jennie Rodriguez; brother, Sonny Sisson; and sisters, Johnnie Phillips and Sue Shavers.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00AM, Friday, September 3, 2021 at Gunter Cemetery in Gunter, TX with retired Sgt. Jon Felty officiating. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com.

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

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

Gunter Cemetery
Foy Wallace Rd.
Gunter, TX 75058

Tribute Wall

LR

“ *My condolences.. Go rest high on that mountain..❤️
Lor&Jose Romero and Family*

Lori Romero - September 02, 2021 at 09:18 AM

MW

“ *My heart is crying. She was in my life forever. I will miss her.*

Mary Lou Glover Washburn - September 01, 2021 at 08:36 PM

DH

“ *We used to travel to Celina when we were young and stay at aunt hazels which was next door to Jo. I loved going over there and playing with my beautiful cousin Lori. I remember for some reason Jo cooked dinner one night and how much I enjoyed it. From me and my mom Mary Lou. You are loved. And our thoughts and prayers for peace are with the family.*

Diane Harper - September 01, 2021 at 08:28 PM

NS

“ *Jo Ella was my cousin & I always enjoyed visiting her in her home. She will be missed. Nita Scruggs*

Nita Scruggs - September 01, 2021 at 05:03 PM

LH

“ *Mama I'm going to miss you so much, I know your not suffering. I will always love you*

lori hernandez - September 01, 2021 at 01:39 PM