



Barbara Annette Yates

May 3, 1937 - May 19, 2023

Barbara Annette (Berry) Yates, 86, passed away Friday, May 19, 2023, at the Lampasas Assisted Living Center in Lampasas, Texas.

Visitation will be at Heritage Funeral Home Chapel in Lampasas from 1:00 PM until 2:00 Pm on Tuesday may 23, 2023. Services will follow at 2:30 PM with Joe Manuel and Glendon Nicks officiating with interment to follow at the Kempner Cemetery.

Annette was born May 3, 1937, to Frank and Julia (Smith) Berry in Lampasas. She spent all her life in Texas. She was active in school taking part in the FHA, LTP, Annual Staff, Cheerleader, and playing Basketball. In 1935, she was the Hayloft Queen (now Spring Ho).

Annette started working outside the home, first working at a sweet shop to make money to go to Church Camp. Then she worked at Mott's, Lampasas Drug and Lampasas the Dispatch. She was working at the Dispatch when they had the fire on the east side of the square. They moved to Second Street and the Dispatch combined with the record at their current location today.

Annette graduated from Lampasas High School on May 31, 1955, and married Lester Yates Jr. on June 17, 1955. They would have been married 68 years has she lived 29 days longer.

She was a bookkeeper, working for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. and Harmel Oil Company. After she retired, she baby sat baby girls for some time.

Annette loved her church where she sang in the choir, was President & Treasurer of CWF, and active in bible studies.

She loved her family, always worrying about their well-being. She loved to work outside in the yard and garden, always willing to help her husband fix fences and cutting cedar. The well-being of her two sons was always the number one thing in her life.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Frank and Julia Berry, brothers, Sonny Berry and Alton Berry, sisters, Frankie Zumwalt, Mildred Dodds, and Sue Baxter.

She is survived by her husband Lester Yates Jr. of Lampasas, Texas; son Brian of Lampasas, Texas; son Ronnie and wife Melanie of Hamilton, grandson Rowdy Yates and his wife Rachael of Scottsdale, Arizona; granddaughter Lacey Proter and her husband Jay of Iola, Texas; great-grandson Dean Salome and three step- great grandkids, Conlee, Cannon, and Presley Porter all of Iola, Texas, and youngest sibling Max and his wife Wanda of Georgetown, Texas.

Burial will be at Kempner Cemetery in Kempner, Texas.

Cemetery Details

Kempner Cemetery

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAY 23. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Heritage Funeral Home - Lampasas
401 N. Key Ave
Lampasas, TX 76550

Funeral Service

MAY 23. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

MAY 23. 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM.

Kempner Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Fulton Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Barbara Annette Yates*



Fulton Family Funeral Home - May 23, 2023 at 02:54 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara Annette Yates.*



May 22, 2023 at 08:13 PM



“ *May the Lord keep you safe under His wing as you begin to navigate this new existence. Our prayers are with you and your entire family.*



Fred and Barb Abrego - May 22, 2023 at 06:36 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Annette Yates.*



May 22, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara Annette Yates.*



May 22, 2023 at 02:12 PM