



Daphene Yvonne Cunningham

October 6, 1936 - January 28, 2014

Daphene Yvonne Cunningham, 77, of Corpus Christi, Texas, passed away on Tuesday, January 28, 2014, in Corpus Christi. Visitation will be held from 12 - 1 pm on Tuesday, February 4, 2014, at Heritage Funeral Home Chapel in Brady. Funeral service will begin at 1 pm with burial to follow at Live Oak Cemetery in Brady.

Daphene was born on October 6, 1936, in Kaufman, Texas, to Martin and Clara Palmer. She married Charles Cunningham on August 12, 1952, in Fort Stockton, Texas. She had been a resident of Corpus Christi since 1986.

Daphene was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. She will always be remembered for her love of her family. Daphene loved to entertain, decorate, and dance. She was very talented in home decorating and creating fashion designs.

Daphene loved to play bridge and was an avid square dancer. She was a member of the Yellow Rockers Square Dance Club in Corpus Christi for many years and also had a partnership with a florist shop in California.

She was preceded in death by; her parents, Martin and Clara Palmer; her brothers, Bobby Palmer, Travis Palmer, and Jimmy Palmer; and her sister Janice Sikes.

Survivors include; her husband, Charles Cunningham; son, Kenneth Cunningham; daughter, Rhonda McCalister; grandchildren, Austin and Colton Cunningham and Nicole McCalister; sister, Patsy Fisher; brother, Martin Palmer, Jr., and numerous nieces and nephew who loved her deeply.