



Janice Clarice Thacker

November 11, 1940 - September 17, 2016

Janice Clarice Thacker, also known as Jerry Lynn Parker, of Carrollton, Texas passed away on September 17, 2016, at the age of 75.

Graveside services will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, September 21, 2016 at the Pear Valley Cemetery in Pear Valley, Texas, under the direction of Heritage Funeral Home of Brady.

Janice was born on November 7, 1940 in Brady, Texas to Elzo and Wino Gene (Hart) Thacker. At the age of 15 she was adopted and went by the name of "Jerry Lynn". She was a woman of strong faith. She and her late husband, Stephen Parker, were founding members of the Wesley Christian Academy in Palestine, Texas. She was also a well known Christian Radio spokeswoman for KHYM. She had a love and talent for many things including; playing scrabble, owning and operating her own yarn shop as well as a florist. Janice was a very intelligent woman with a wealth of knowledge. She was blessed with six children; Lee Ann, Robin, Elizabeth, Caroline, Stepheny and Benjamin. She will be greatly missed by those who knew and loved her.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Stephen Parker; brother, Tommy Thacker; granddaughter, Michelle Tolman; and great granddaughter, Journey Tolman.

Survivors include her children; Lee Ann Phagley-Holt, Robin Fowler- Kurth, Elizabeth Fowler- Heflin, Caroline Parker- Gremillion, Stepheny Parker and Captain Benjamin Parker; grandchildren; Starla Rankin, Victoria Rankin, Christian Collida, Brian Tolman, Jeremy Heflin, Joshua Heflin, Devon Brock, Jessie Heflin, Skyler Theriot, Micah Theriot, Fairn Gremillion, Evangeline Parker, Kylun Parker, Lauren Parker and Madeline Parker; niece, Lisa Schwartz Smith; as well as numerous great grandchildren and other extended family.