



Jo Spivey

September 5, 1943 - June 23, 2021

Mrs. Jo Spivey, 77, of Lampasas, Texas died on June 23, 2021, at Advent Healthcare in Killeen, Texas. Jo was born on September 5, 1943, in Brady, Texas to Hugo and Floy (Ludwick) Otte. She and Leonard Spivey were married at their home at 1205 W. First Street in Lampasas, Texas on October 17, 1981, enjoying almost 40 years of marriage. Mrs. Spivey had lived in Lampasas since 1965. She had several positions during her life, being a receptionist for Dr. Don Bullock for several years, a mortgage processor in Copperas Cove and Killeen as well as a bookkeeper for Jerry Goodson. Jo was an excellent cook and baker. While being involved with her children showing sheep, she joined the Lampasas Livestock Association and the Ladies Auxiliary. She soon began serving as the cook at the livestock shows and in 1989 spearheaded the Lampasas County Livestock Buyers Club Dinner. This tradition continues to this day. She was a caterer in Lampasas for many years, creating and serving her birthday and wedding cakes to many in the Lampasas community. She was famous for her cinnamon rolls and Italian crème cakes. Jo was so talented with her cooking she had traveled to Dallas and Corpus Christi to deliver her creations. Her children remember fondly their nightly homemade meals, around the table, lovingly prepared by their mother. Weekend breakfasts were a very special memory, gathering around the table for homemade cinnamon rolls and all the fixins'. Mrs. Spivey was of the Lutheran faith.

Jo was preceded in death by her parents and her previous husbands, Jimmy

Smithwick and Jesse Elvin Smith. She is survived by her husband, Leonard Spivey of Lampasas, three daughters, Lisa Smith Hall, and husband Paul of Kempner, Serina Spivey Parker and husband Britt of Midland and Amanda Nicole Lopez and husband Alberto of McGregor. She has seven granddaughters, Reece Davis, Kenzlee Parker, Lindzy Parker, Shyan Miller, Ramsie Flores, Blakelyn Lopez, Brynlee Lopez and one great-grandchild on the way in November 2021.

Memorial donation may be made to the Lampasas Library or to the Lampasas Ladies Livestock Auxiliary.

Arrangements are entrusted to Heritage Funeral Home of Lampasas.

Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jo Spivey.*



July 05, 2021 at 01:22 PM



“ *Lynfred "Jo" and I grew up together, attended the same church, and our families were very close. She made the most of everything and was extremely dedicated to her family. The joys and times you shared are now your beloved memories. May these precious memories and the sympathy of family and friends help comfort you during this journey of loss. Joyce Sommerfeld Lucas*



Joyce S Lucas - July 01, 2021 at 11:20 AM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of Jo's passing. Didn't run into her very often, but always loved it when we did! Prayers for all of you. God bless.*

James & Marilee Pierce

Marilee Pierce - June 28, 2021 at 04:15 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jo Spivey.*



June 28, 2021 at 01:04 PM



“ *I have known Lynfred Jo since middle school in Brady. We were in the same class. She was a great basketball player. My sympathy to Leonard and the family. R.I.P. No, your work on earth is done. ❤️*

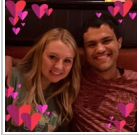
JoAnn Cummings - June 26, 2021 at 07:09 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jo Spivey.*



June 25, 2021 at 05:54 PM



“ So many memories of a super special lady! I spent a lot of my childhood at the Spivey’s house so needless to say I ate good! Always a treat when Jo was baking and we got to eat the “scraps”. She made the most beautiful wedding cakes for Pete and myself and so much more. I loved how she always gave of herself no matter how tired or how poor she was feeling. Most of all- she loved all her girls and their girls deeply. She always had a kind word or a not-so -kind word when we needed one whether we wanted to hear it or not! We lost a gem, but Jo’s memories will live forever...My love to Leonard, Lisa, Serena, Amanda and families. ❤️

Annalisa Smith - June 25, 2021 at 09:59 AM

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Jo was a late in life friend for me. We had known each other all through high school but never had the opportunity to become more than casual friends. After I really got to know her, I loved her. She was a special lady. She will be missed by so many.

kathryn yockstick - June 25, 2021 at 01:23 PM

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“ I’ll never forget the wedding cake she brought to our house when BJ and I got home from Vegas ❤️

Sherry McBryde - June 24, 2021 at 04:28 PM