



## Julia M DuPriest

May 18, 1931 - February 9, 2022

Julia Lavaughn DuPriest, age 90, of Brady, passed away, Tuesday, February 9, 2022, at Brady West Nursing Facility where she previously worked. She was born May 18, 1931, in Hasse, Texas to Rutledge Helton McDonald, and Pearl Valerie Purdue.

She attended Hardin Simmons University receiving a Bachelor of Science in May of 1951. She also attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary receiving a Master of Religious Education in Jan. of 1954. While living in Florida she received her Master of Education at Florida Atlantic University June of 1973.

After receiving her education, she was commissioned as a Southern Baptist Foreign Missionary to Tokyo, Japan. Upon returning to the states, she began a career of teaching elementary children and later special needs children at New Horizons Ranch in Goldwaite, TX. For many years in which she really enjoyed.

She was preceded in death by both parents and daughter, Jan Lannette Hamilton.

She is survived by her son Allan and wife Janet DuPriest, daughter Rhonda DuPriest-Estes, son in law Phillip Hamilton and five grandchildren and six

great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Heritage Funeral Home of Brady.

Please view Ms. DuPriest's online memorial at [www.heritagefuneralhomes.com](http://www.heritagefuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Crematory

401 North Key  
Lampasas, TX 76550

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Julia married Milton Du Priest and they had three children; Jan Lanette, Rhonda Linn, and lastly-one son. Both Julia and Milton committed their lives together to not solely their three children but as appointed missionaries to Tokyo, Japan. Upon returning to the United States of America (New York, NY), their lives continued in love, and in commitment to The Lord Jesus Christ, being; most obvious to all whom they knew and others in observance... an amazing love which radiated amongst many! Julia was an extraordinary wife, mother, and eventually as a grandmother to Danny, Nannette, Koa, and Andrew. Additionally, she became a great grandmother to both Andyn Jo and Rhyan Lanette. Julia's love for family was amazing-never missing birthdays and special events in and throughout their lives! When she passed... we all knew that her crown was heavy with many jewels as the angels sang and she was told, "job well done my faithful and loving child "!*

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**Child of the Living God Most High** - May 18, 2025 at 10:21 AM

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“ *So sorry to read about the passing of your mom Allan. I remember her as a very sweet woman.*

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**Dave Fleming** - May 13, 2025 at 11:38 AM

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“ *Just find out. Julia passed. Sweet. Lady. I. Worked. With her at. Convenient store. She. With. The. Lord*

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**De. Eavenson** - February 28, 2022 at 11:24 PM