



## Mary Helen Ryan

December 26, 1938 - June 25, 2012

Mary Helen Ryan, 73, of Brady, Texas, passed away Monday, June 25, 2012, in Brady. Visitation is from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 27, 2012 at Heritage Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Thursday, June 28, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Heritage Funeral Home Chapel with interment at Rest Haven Cemetery.

Mary was born in Fayetteville, Alabama, on December 26, 1938, to James Calvin Bates and Agnes (Pannel) Ryan. She married Herbert Ryan on July 17, 1962, in Houston, Texas. They moved to Brady from Houston in October, 2001.

Mary loved her family greatly and enjoyed spending time with them. She also enjoyed a good game of cards and loved listening and dancing to Elvis Presley songs-often dancing along as she cleaned house and went about her daily chores.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one sister and seven brothers.

Survivors include; three sons; Thomas Graves, and wife Judy, of Ocean Springs, MS; Charles Graves of Houston; Herbert Ryan Jr., of Brady; two daughters; Laura Copeland, and husband Greg, of Lake Dallas, Texas; Rose Castillo, and husband Mike, of Houston; one sister; Norma Flores of Houston; 15 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I sure do miss you Granny. I often think of all the love you shared with all of us in your time here, and I hope you know that I am always, always, always going to be forever grateful that you were my sweet Granny. There are just some things in life that make you remember love and you frying eggs and bacon and the smell of gasoline on Poppas hands from cleaning carburetors will forever be my favorite memories. I loved you then, I love you still, always have and always will. Miss you my sweet Granny so much. ❤️



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