



Elva Livian Dishman Davis

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A MARILLO / HEDLEY SERVICES - 10:30 am on Friday, February 1, 2008 at the Trinity Baptist Church in Amarillo with Rev. Robert Fields officiating.

INTERMENT - 2:00 pm at Rowe Cemetery in Hedley, Texas. Mrs. Davis was born on November 13, 1915 in Rogers, Arkansas to Simeon Perry & Isabell Whaley Dishman.

She was a graduate of Hedley High School's class of 1933 and shortly after her graduation she married Frank Douglas "Skeeter" Davis on November 18, 1933 in Memphis, Texas. Before moving to Amarillo in 1978, Elva and her husband farmed and ranched north of Hedley until Frank's death in 1949. She was active in the First Baptist Church in Hedley and had been the Postmaster at the Hedley Post Office until her retirement. She was an avid reader, quilter, and most of all, loved to oil paint. She was a member of the Trinity Baptist Church in Amarillo.

PRECEDED IN DEATH BY - her parents; her husband, Frank Douglas "Skeeter" Davis on August 29, 1949; 1 son Frank Douglas Davis, Jr.; 3 brothers, Elmer, Earl, and Edward Dishman; 2 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild. SURVIVORS - 5

daughters, Barbara Chedester and husband L.D. "Red", Sandra Penn and husband Billy, Sharon Crews and her late husband Seth all of Amarillo, Linda Stephens and husband John of Sparta, TN, and Thava Merrett and husband Paul of Aztec, NM; a sister-in-law, Edna Dishman of Dallas; 8 grandchildren, Scott Gray, Neil Hemelstrand, Cameron Gray, Douglas Stephens, Terry Stephens, Michael Stephens, Mitchell Stephens, Steven Hemelstrand; 18 great grandchildren; and 5 great-great grandchildren. MEMORIALS - The family request memorials be to the Rowe

Cemetery Association. The body will be available for viewing Thursday at Rector Funeral Home, 2800 South Osage, from 10:00 am - 8:00 pm. The family will receive friends from 6:00 - 7:00 pm at Rector Funeral Home.

The family may be contacted at: 3303 Oxbow Trail / Amarillo, Texas 79106 / 806-355-7574



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ZC

Zelfa Dishman Atkinson Of Corona, Nm posted:

We send our thoughts and prayers to each of you. Your memories of such a wonderful mother will comfort you now and in years to come. I have fun memories of our childhood together as the best of cousins. Love, Zelfa (and daughter, Kay, too)

February 5 at 7:00 PM

CB

Cindy Davis Of Bacliff, Tx posted:

Dear Family: Please accept my sympathy regarding the loss of your mother, and grandmother. I have never met some of you but understand the grief you are feeling and going through. One day we will all meet in Heaven. God be with you at all times. Cindy

February 2 at 7:00 PM

LT

Linda (Alexander) Sanders Of Memphis, Texas posted:

Thava and family, Please know that I am thinking and praying for you and your family. Please let me know if I can do anything for you or your family at this time. Linda

January 30 at 7:00 PM

HT

Harold & Mollie Moffitt Of Memphis, Texas posted:

Our thoughts and prayers go out to you. Mother always enjoyed Elva so very much. Your Mom was a kind and thoughtful person. Your wonderful memories will be cherished. Love, Mollie & Harold

January 30 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Elva by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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