



Mary Estelle Selfridge

MAR 14, 1937 - DEC 8, 2021



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Born Sunday, March 14th, 1937 in Borger Texas, and died Wednesday, December 8th 2021. Mary was born and raised in Borger, Texas to Therl and Mary Coulter (Hinds). Mary met Billy Joe Selfridge at a dance and they were married not too long after on April 14th, 1957. Mary and Bill had one child, Bret Wayne Selfridge, born July 19th, 1958.

Mary was extremely passionate about Art, she loved Western and Native American culture, but nothing was more important to her than her faith in the Lord. She was active at her church, taught at the local College, and volunteered at her Church in Howardwick to teach people who shared her love for art. Mary was an accomplished Artist, having sold and donated to past Presidents and well known actors. Mary made many life-long friends along her journey and stayed close to her and her husband's family. Mary is survived by her sisters; Margaret and Peggy, grandchildren; Ben Selfridge and his wife Erin Yahola, Adam Selfridge and his wife Aimee Selfridge, and their children, Alyson, Kaylynn and Ethan. Mary is predeceased by her loving husband Bill, her son, Bret and brother, Butch.

A Celebration of Life for Mary will be held on Saturday March 12th, at First Baptist Church of Howardwick, located at 235 Rick Husband Blvd, Howardwick, TX 79226 at 2 PM.



Events


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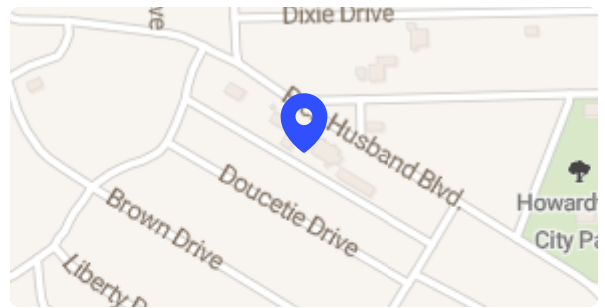
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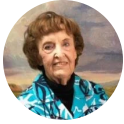
Family Directed Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, March 12, 2022

 2:00 PM CT

 **First Baptist Church - Howardwick**
235 Rick Husband Blvd., Howardwick TX 79226





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JR

Jean Romersheuser lit a candle in honor of Mary.

Mary was my cousin. She was named after Aunt Mary and my Mother Charleen Estelle Coulter. When my Uncle George was in the Service he was write letters to the family and always drew pictures on the envelopes. Mary could not wait to get the next letter. That is what inspired her to draw and paint pictures. She was very talented and gifted. God has now lifted her higher and higher to join the other Angels. Sweet Dreams my dear Cousin. Jeannie Tucker Romersheuser Downey, Ca.



March 12 at 6:53 AM

MW

Margaret Walkup posted:

Mary was a perfect older sister. all ways there to help. In later life a great friend, I miss her so much. Rest in peace dear one, I love you.

March 12 at 5:05 AM

CC

Chriss Cummins-Clifford posted:

Mary was a member of the Les Beaux Arts Club of Clarendon; that is where I met her. We started a campaign to teach art to local students. I watched as she taught pastel painting to the eager students. They hung on her every word, listened and applied pastel to paper with exuberance! They were all so very happy to be in the same room as her; I was too and felt very blessed to be in her presence as well. I could go on and on..... Aho Mary. We loved you very much and have been missing you for a very long time already.

March 12 at 2:46 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Selfridge family.



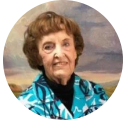
March 11 at 3:01 PM

MB

Madeleine Black posted:

When I worked at the Saints Roost Museum she was very helpful. She applied makeup to our Native American mannequin so he would look the part. She donated several Native American artifacts she had accumulated. She was a pleasant person to be around . May God's peace comfort you at this difficult time. Was proud to know Mary.

March 7 at 3:22 PM



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Beverly Burrow posted:

Mary was just precious her faith was outstanding! She shared with anyone! A sleep in Jesus.

March 6 at 7:58 AM



George Ward September 1 at 4:35 AM

I met Mary and Bill Selfridge when they came to Baltimore, MD as part of the touring Americana Indian Show and I had the pleasure of once visiting their home in Texas where Bill proudly showed me the studio he'd built for Mary. They were a truly delightful, warm couple. One of my greatest pleasures was to watch Mary paint her beautiful works even as shopping crowds walked around and chatted with her. She was a truly great promoter of American Indian culture. I have enjoyed several of Mary's works for years now and I miss Mary and Bill greatly. - George Ward, Ellicott City, MD



Jean Romersheuser March 11 at 4:57 PM

Mary was just a beautiful person. I will miss her terribly. Rest easy cousin. I love you so much. Jeannie Tucker Romersheuser.



Memories only last if you share them

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



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