



Jewel Elizabeth Holmes

January 28, 1927 - March 21, 2026

Dateline: George West, Tx.

Jewel Elizabeth “Becky” Holmes, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and greatgrandmother,

passed away peacefully on Saturday, March 21, 2026, at the age of 99. Born January 28, 1927, near Bangs, Texas, to Guy H. and Mattie Tackett Williams, Becky lived

a long life defined by faith, family, and service.

She met the love of her life, Walter Holmes, at Daniel Baker College, and they married on

February 21, 1947 — beginning a partnership that endured 76 devoted years.

Together

they raised three children, built businesses, and made their home in Kenedy and later

George West, Texas.

Becky’s faith was the foundation of her life. She accepted Christ at age 13 and remained

an active member of First Baptist Church of George West for decades, serving faithfully

in the Dorcas Sunday School class and as church librarian — personally reading every

fiction book before placing it on the shelves.

She was a proud member of the Order of Eastern Star, honored with her 50-

year pin in

2007, and a dedicated member of the National Society Daughters of the American

Revolution, where she served in many roles — most cherished among them, Registrar,

helping others discover their own family history.

She is survived by her sister, Eula Mae Milam of Joaquin, Texas; her children Rodger

Eugene Holmes of George West, Teresa Elizabeth Baker of Kyle, and Larry Joe Holmes

(Sharon) of Three Rivers; grandchildren Jennifer Crosby (Todd), Nathan Baker (Crystal),

Kelly Green (Will), Hannah Holmes, and Susan Ruthama Balew-Holmes; twelve greatgrandchildren;

and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Walter, her parents, her son-in-law James Earl

Baker, her grandson Michael David Holmes, and several beloved siblings-in-law.

Her family rejoices that she is exactly where she knew she would be.

A visitation will be held Saturday, March 28, 2026 from 6PM to 8PM in the Roberson Funeral Home Chapel. A funeral service will be held Sunday, March 29, 2026 at 2PM at the First Baptist Church in George West, Texas with a burial to follow in the George West Cemetery.

Services entrusted to Roberson Funeral Home Three Rivers, Texas.

Cemetery Details

George West Cemetery

George West , TX 78022

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Roberson Funeral Home (Three Rivers)
212 W. Hwy 72
PO Drawer 1915
Three Rivers, TX 78071
(361) 786-3666
info@robersonfuneralhomes.net
<https://Robersonfuneralhomes.net>

Funeral Service

MAR 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church
707 Frio St
George West, TX 78022
(361) 449-1231

Tribute Wall

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“ Susan J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jewel Elizabeth Holmes.

Susan J. - March 27 at 04:49 PM

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“ Love The Gang purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jewel Elizabeth Holmes.



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