



## Mary Lou Melton Ables

September 25, 1946 - August 30, 2019

Dateline: Sinton

Mary M. Ables, age 72, passed away on Friday, August 30, 2019 at a hospital in Corpus Christi following an extended illness. She was born September 25, 1946 in Three Rivers. Parents are Cecil Paul and Elsie Mae (Schaas) Melton. She was a homemaker and raised her 3 sons and loved spending time with the grandchildren. She painted, loved working on floral arrangements and baking. She loved baking the birthday cakes for the grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Survivors include her husband Edward Ables of Sinton. Her 3 sons: Rocky (Crystal) Ables of Sinton, Sam (Beverlie) Ables of Victoria and Paul (Dedra) Ables of Pleasanton. Her siblings include Johnny (Dixie) Melton of Eden Idaho; Lynn (Tammy) Melton of Burley Idaho; Betty Mae (Arvil) Shipman of Campwood, Janette (Bill) Clark of Big Springs and Joyce Steele of Kerrville. She was blessed with 7 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be Thursday, September 5, 2019 from 5-8 PM at Roberson Funeral Home, Three Rivers

Funeral Service will be Friday, September 6, 2019 at 5 PM at Roberson Funeral Home, Three Rivers with Ronnie Morales officiating the service.

Pallbearers are Mathew Ables, Sidney Shipman, Jerry Shipman, Arvil Shipman, Bill Clark and Thomas Ables. Honorary Pallbearers are Delane Ables and Jose Villarreal. Burial to follow at the White Creek Cemetery.

Services entrusted to Roberson Funeral Home, Three Rivers, Texas.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Roberson Funeral Home (Three Rivers)  
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PO Drawer 1915  
Three Rivers, TX 78071  
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## Service

SEP 6. 5:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Lou Melton Ables.



September 04, 2019 at 05:25 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Lou Melton Ables.



September 04, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Lou Melton Ables.



September 04, 2019 at 08:56 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Lou Melton Ables.



September 03, 2019 at 12:32 PM

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“ One of my favorite memories of my sister is when the kids were little and we all went out in the boat on a river that had alligators, now she loved oreo cookies and we had some in the boat. Well, the boat started sinking and as Eddie was trying to steer us to the bank, she was yelling “save the cookies “. We made to the bank, thank God. I still laugh about that.

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**Janette Clark** - September 02, 2019 at 12:49 PM

 Rita  
Smith

“ *condolences To family. Prayers for peace and comfort*

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**Rita Smith** - September 01, 2019 at 01:49 PM