



Benita E. (Wieghat) Walzel

August 24, 1926 - February 13, 2017

Benita E. (Wieghat) Walzel, 90, of Needville, Texas passed away on February 13, 2017. She was born on August 24, 1926 in Needville, Texas to Willie and Martha Tielke Wieghat. In her younger years, she worked at the Needville Movie Theatre and at the bank before taking on the most important role of caregiver, wife and mother. She was a dedicated member of Immanuel United Church of Christ in Needville. Her hobbies included dancing, cooking, baking, playing dominoes, sewing, deer hunting, traveling, and playing Bingo. She also enjoyed attending her grandchildren's activities. Over the years she helped with Cub Scouts, the Lady's Auxiliary, was a member of the S.P.J.S.T., and even was on the Needville Fire Department's Pumper Team. Benita and her husband, Gilbert were members of Rosenberg, Brazoria, Wallis, Sealy and Industry Dance Clubs. This loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister and friend will be missed.

In addition to her parents, Benita is preceded in death by her siblings, Lawrence Wieghat and Rosa Lee Barnes.

Survivors include her husband of 73 years, Gilbert Walzel; children, Curtis Walzel and wife, Cindy, Jed Walzel and wife, Pat, and Corlis Delling (CD Kalinowski); sisters, Lillie Bishop and Leona Griffith; sister-in-law, Dorothy Wieghat; grandchildren, Carrie Irely and husband, Gary; Michael Eason and wife, Whitney, Corey Walzel, Bradley Vallet and wife, Kathy, Jason Vallet and

wife, Stephanie, and Melissa Sanchez and husband, Jay; great grandchildren, MacKenzie & Hunter Neal, Lauren, Waverly, and Gunner Irey, Briley, Mia and Braden Eason, Jackson Walzel, Dominick & Dylan Sanchez, Raegan & Wyatt Vallet; along with other family and friends.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 15, 2017 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg.

The service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, February 16, 2017 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg with burial following at Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

The family would like to thank the wonderful staff at S.P.J.S.T. Rest Home in Needville and the staff of Houston Hospice & El Campo Hospice for their dedicated care and support of Benita.

For those wishing, memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the family at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd., (Hwy 59 South @ FM 2218) in Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Park

3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Tribute Wall

MH

“ My sincere sympathy to all the family of Benita, she was always willing to help anyone and enjoyed doing so. You all have a lot of beautiful memories to share of her love for her family. "Do not grieve that she is no more, rejoice in that she was." Marcella Hackstedt

Marcella Hackstedt - February 16, 2017 at 05:55 PM

CB

“ Some of my best memories of grandma b include seeing Benita and Gib at her house just being best friends and sisters. Every week Benita and Gib would come by her house and go to walmart and to Larry's to enjoy the Lady's special. I will always remember Benita having that smile on her face and the picking that her and grandma b would exchange, just like any sisters would. The best part was seeing Gib sit there in the chair next to the door and either act like he did not care to listen to what they were talking about or just tuning them out like any husband of so many years has the ability to do. She truly was a person that made my wonderful grandma live on every day for the weekly visits. Benita, thanks for all the smiles and you will truly be missed.

Chad Barnes

chad eric barnes - February 15, 2017 at 11:15 PM

BS

“ Heaven has gained an Angel!

Bill and Shelly Sullivan - February 15, 2017 at 12:13 PM

JB

“ *Mr. Walzel, Corlis, Jed and Curt,*

Please know that many of us will miss your wonderful wife and Mother. Mrs. Walzel was always so wonderful to us growing up. How many Sunday afternoons were spent at ya'lls house eating her homemade cookies and the homemade pizza we girls got to help her with. She was so welcoming to all of the friends and many special memories were made for me. Corlis, the boys continued our friendship and when we moved back to Needville not only Bradley and Matt, but Corey, Jason and Melissa were all friends with the twins. I was so happy for those memories for our children. I then visited with her at the nursing home after her memory was affected. She was still so sweet. As you all know Ed's Mom was one of her table mates. I know that you all have had a long hard journey with her but she is now at peace. May God Bless the whole family and wrap his arms around you all.

*Always,
Janet Zwahr Baranowski*

janet baranowski - February 15, 2017 at 10:51 AM

DB

“ *I am so sorry to say the timing of this evening's viewing and visitation as well as tomorrow's service are both scheduled for times when Lyn has obligations making our attendance at either an impossibility. I send love, hugs and a tear but oh the beautiful memories I shall carry on with me. I have a picture of the 4 Wieghat girls before Lawrence made his entry into the world and if anyone would like a digital copy, I will be happy to send it. If you do not have an email address for me, you can find me on FaceBook or through Marje or Caroline.*

Dolores Tielke Blaylock

Dolores T. Blaylock - February 15, 2017 at 09:10 AM

DB

I just learned Lyn has been able to find a Sub for her this afternoon/evening and we will be able to be at the viewing.

Dolores T. Blaylock - February 15, 2017 at 09:30 AM

SH

“ *Corlis. your mother was such a sweet lady. I send my condolences & pray God gives you peace during this difficult time. May you treasure the memories of happier times. -Stephanie Rainosek House*

Stephanie Rainosek House - February 15, 2017 at 08:31 AM

TD

“ *Mrs. Walzel was always kind and very sweet to me. I am very saddened of her passing. Collis, Jed and the rest of your family I send my deepest condolences. God Bless. Terry Dudley*

Terry Dudley - February 15, 2017 at 12:45 AM