



## Billie Jean Mesecke

March 9, 1929 - April 13, 2010

Billie Jean Mesecke entered into life on March 9, 1929 to parents of Ernest and Josephine Moss in Rock Island, Texas. Billie passed away on April 13, 2010, at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston from complications of an aneurism.

Being the oldest child of nine, Billie was not only the oldest sibling; she was called upon to be a leader of the family children at an early age. This love of children must have set her for her life to come. In 1948 she married Norwin T. Mesecke of Beasley. This union resulted in a family of four children that Billie continued to devote her love and life. After the youngest child was grown, Billie decided to devote her life to helping others by working with children at Richmond State School until her retirement. Billie loved to spend time with her family at her place at Lake Somerville whenever time was available.

Fellowship with all the family over a plate of BBQ ribs or steak was most enjoyable for her. Again she was the binding force that kept the family together whenever possible.

Billie is preceded in death by her husband, Norwin, brothers Ernest Moss Jr., Allen Moss, Bennie Moss. Survivors include daughter Deanna and husband Sam Pope of Lake Somerville, Pamela and husband Steve Anderjeski of College Station, son Randy Mesecke of Richmond, and daughter Tabby and husband Bill Shuler of Richmond. Grandchildren include Chelsea Mesecke, Chet Mesecke, Missy Wood, Holly Anderjeski, Dillon Shuler, and Keely Shuler.

Great-grandchildren include Jacob & Caleb Wood. Other survivors include Billie's brothers Larry Moss and Bob Moss, sisters Betty, Susie, and JoAnn.

Visitation will be held at 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Thursday, April 15, in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, April 16, in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg, with interment following at Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

Memorial donations may be made in Billie's name to the St. Luke's Episcopal Health System, Stroke/Neurology, 6720 Bertner Avenue, Houston, Texas 77030. Or you can contact on the website <http://www.stluketexas.com/Giving/donations.cfm>

For those wishing, tributes and words of condolence may be left for the Mesecke family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.com).

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd. in Rosenberg, 281-341-8800.

# Tribute Wall

JW

“ Dear Mesecke family - I don't know if you'll see this so long after the funeral, but I figure it's worth a try. I just learned about this thru Facebook and a friend of a friend named Mesecke. Please accept my condolences on the loss of your mother and your father, too. I always enjoyed talking with your mom when we were growing up.

*I have fond memories of living across the street from you all, playing baseball in the vacant lot and riding our bikes on the "back road" to Plummers. I've wondered how you are from time to time, and I hope the years have been good to you.*

*All the best, Jeanie Flake Woodruff*

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**Jeanie Flake Woodruff** - September 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Deanna and family, You are so in my thoughts and prayers at this time. I don't know if you will remember our family, but we lived next door to you on Georgiana St. when we were all kids. Our mom Emma Nichols, and your mom were the best of friends. How many hours they spent hanging out over the cloths lines talking. I wanted so badly to be at one of the services but was called out of town on an emerency. I am so sorry.

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**Bessie Sister Nichols Preuss** - April 19, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Deanna and family-Your mom has left this world a better place. We need to draw on her strength to fill the void in our hearts. My deepest sympathy.

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**FernandoFerne Orona** - April 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Deanna Mesecke and family, please know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Bud Brown  
Somerville, Texas*

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**Bud Brown** - April 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to Billies family. She was a wonderful woman and friend who will be missed by so many who knew her. God Bless you all.*

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**Darla Deford** - April 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My thoughts & prayers are with the Mesecke family during this difficult time.*

*Wishing you peace & strength,  
Wendy O'Kane*

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**Wendy O'Kane** - April 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM