



Dorothy Patricia Coffey

March 14, 1933 - December 19, 2023

Patricia Coffey was called home by God on Tuesday Dec. 19th at the age of 90. She was a wonderful, dedicated and loving mother and friend who was always there for others. She was a well-loved member of the community.

Pat was born in Zanesville, Ohio on March 14, 1933. She was raised by Dorothy and Harry Spring, who precede her in death. She studied at the University of Akron, Ohio.

She later married Thomas Coffey and traveled extensively due to his job. In 1973 they moved to Brownsville and finally settled in Laguna Heights where they opened their business.

Miss Pat loved art and painting and was a member of the Laguna Madre Art Society for many years. She relocated to Harlingen to be closer to her daughter. She became a member of the Treasure Hills Presbyterian Church where she loved serving and volunteering. Even up to last week she devotedly listened to their on-line church service from her bed. She loved baking, flower arranging and rescuing animals. She never met a cat she didn't like! Pat is survived by her loving daughter, Laurie Coffey; her daughter-in-law, Alicia Lugo; her two grandsons Sonny (Jo) and Andy (Jessica) Lugo; 10 great-grandchildren, 8 great, great-grandchildren (who she called her "little people.") and Veronica Olvera who helped care for her this last year.

We would like to give a special thanks to her church family, the staff of Greater Valley Hospice, her caretakers and her friends who visited throughout her illness. We would also like to thank Drs. Shenkenburg and Bothwell and their staffs. But most importantly, we offer our heartfelt love and gratitude to her best friend Marilyn Blackburn who was there for her (and us) every day.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

Treasure Hills Presbyterian Church
2120 N. Ed Carey Drive
Harlingen, TX

Tribute Wall

VS

“ VAC Staff planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dorothy Patricia Coffey.

VAC Staff - February 09, 2024 at 03:30 PM

VS

“ VAC Staff purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Dorothy Patricia Coffey.



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FA

“ My heart is broken knowing that Mz Coffey has passed. I kept putting off visiting with her. May she RIP and I do hope she is greeted by TJ, someone she helped and loved very much. I will always have great memories of her and will treasure her floral arrangements she made for TJ's memorial. My condolences to her family!

Frank Andrade - January 08, 2024 at 12:17 AM

LA

Thank you Frank.
Sorry so late to reply, I still cry reading her obituary and the memories. I miss her so much.
I too, hope her and TJ meet up in heaven and watching over us.

Laurie - March 08, 2024 at 01:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dorothy Patricia Coffey.*



December 22, 2023 at 04:10 PM



“ *Laurie, we are so sorry for your loss. Your mom welcomed our family with open arms when we joined the church. She was an amazing woman who exuded God's love everywhere she went. She worked tirelessly for the Treasure Hills Presbyterian church spreading God's love no matter the task or how tired she might be. She would help decorate, set up and baked several desserts aside from making her own dish to contribute for our potlucks to make sure everything was ready and welcoming. She volunteered with kids club and vacation bible school. She baked goodies to share every week for our coffee hour after the church service. She made and donated many crafts, manned her own booth and went from business to business to get donations for the bucket auctions all for our annual country fair. She helped with so much I'm sure I'm probably forgetting something. She was always there to greet everyone with her heart warming hugs that you knew were truly genuine. She always lent a listening ear and we shared many tears and great laughter together. There will never be another to fill her shoes, we were so blessed to have her in our lives. We will pray for God to grant you peace and comfort during this difficult time. There is something about loosing your mother that is so much harder, but we know you are glad she is no longer in pain, as are we. We all loved her very much and she will be truly missed. Please know we are here for you should you need something, don't hesitate to ask. Love the Camp family - Harry, Katie, Crystal & Lilli*

Harry, Katie, Crystal & Lillian Camp - December 21, 2023 at 04:20 PM



*Katie, Thank you for your kind words.
My mom loved her church family and loved to contribute her time and her goodies.
I miss her so much, she was my best friend.
Thanks again.*

Laurie - March 08, 2024 at 01:36 AM