



Ruth Prather Chandler
November 24, 1919 - January 29, 2018

Celebrating the Life of
Ruth Prather Chandler
Friday, February 2, 2018 11:00 a.m.
Broussard's Chapel
Beaumont, Texas
Reverend Jill R. Daniel



Gathering

Prelude

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

The Word of Grace

Opening Prayer

The Gospel Lesson

From John 14

Eulogy

Rusty Chandler

Barbara Nunn

Song of Praise

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Family Reflections

Elyse Kruzel

Elaine Schoch

Rou Hoke

Russ Chandler

The Psalter

Psalm 23

Closing Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Benediction

Go out into the world in peace; have courage, hold on to what is good, return no one evil for evil, strengthen the fainthearted, support the weak, help the suffering, honor all people, love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Postlude

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

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Ruth Prather Chandler, 98, passed away Monday, January 29, 2018. Born in Beaumont on November 24, 1919, she was the daughter of Mae Lucas and Roger “Rap” Prather. Ruth grew up in Beaumont, graduated from Beaumont High School and earned an Associate Degree from Lamar Junior College. She married Darrell E. Chandler November 1, 1941. They raised two children, Barbara and Rusty. She was active in the children’s activities as well as Westminster Presbyterian Church, Trinity United Methodist

Church, League of Women Voters, and Neches River Festival.

Ruth loved her family dearly and always enjoyed spending time with them and with her friends. She will be dearly missed.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Darrell E. Chandler; son-in-law, Charles F. Nunn; and daughter-in-law, Shelley Chandler.

Ruth is survived by her daughter, Barbara Chandler Nunn of Grapevine, Texas; son, Rusty Chandler of Beaumont; grandchildren, Elyse Nunn Kruzal and her husband, Tom, of Colleyville, Texas; Elaine Nunn Schoch and her husband, Jared, of Denver, Colorado; Rou Chandler Hoke and her husband, Will, of Katy, Texas; Carrie Chandler Handler and her husband, Matt, of Fairfield, Connecticut; and Russ Chandler and his wife, Brooke, of Port Neches; and ten great-grandchildren.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to her caregivers, Gwen Jackson and Audrey Williams, for their care and compassion.









"My Loving Wish and Prayer"

When I die,
If you need to weep,
Cry for whatever separates you from anyone I love.
And when you need me
Put your arms around each other
And give whatever you need to give or receive from me.

I wanted to leave you something
Something better than words or sound.

Look for me in the people I've known or loved
And if you cannot give me to them
Let me live in your eyes and touch
And not on your mind.

You can love me most by letting hands touch hands
By letting go of anything
That makes you unfree to love each other.

Love doesn't die,
People do.
So when all that is left of me is love
Give me away to one another.

(Author Unknown)















Burial of Cremated Body
Friday, February 2, 2018 2:30 p.m.
Forest Lawn Memorial Park
Beaumont, Texas

Memorial Contributions
Trinity United Methodist Church
3430 Harrison Avenue
Beaumont, Texas 77706



To a Charity of One's Choice



Please sign Mrs. Chandler's guest book and share your memories at
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