

Ruby Olga Coker July 21, 1938 - July 11, 2018

Mass of Christian Burial

Saturday, July 14, 2018 11:00 a.m. St. Pius X Catholic Church Beaumont, Texas

GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY

As a reminder of Ruby's Baptism, her casket has been sprinkled with Baptismal water. Then, a pall, recalling the white garment of her Baptism, is placed on the casket.

"If we have died with Christ, we are also to live with Christ in glory."

ENTRANCE PROCESSION

Processional

"How Great Thou Art"

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Job 19:1, 23-27

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

"The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want."

Second Reading

Romans 8:31-35, 37-39

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Matthew 11:25-30

HOMILY

Prayers of the Faithful

Response:

"Lord, hear our prayer"

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

"Amazing Grace"

COMMUNION RITE

Holy, Holy, Holy + Mystery of Faith Great Amen + Our Father + Lamb of God

Communion "On Eagle's Wings"

Meditation "Ave Maria"

Prayer After Communion

PRAYER OF FAREWELL

Come to her aid, O saints of God; Come meet her angels of the Lord.

Response: Receive her soul, O holy ones;

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Present her now to God, Most High.

May Christ who called you, take you home,

and angels lead you to Abraham.

Response: Receive her soul, O holy ones;

Present her now to God, Most High.

Give her eternal rest, O Lord.

May light unending shine on her.

Response: Receive her soul, O holy ones;

Present her now to God, Most High.

I know that my Redeemer lives;

The last day I shall rise again.

Response: Receive her soul, O holy ones;

Present her now to God, Most High.

Recessional "Soon and Very Soon"



Ruby Olga Coker, 79, of Beaumont, died Wednesday, July 11, 2018. She was born on July 21, 1938, to Aldonse Trebels Mees and Francois Mees, in the Dutch East Indies.

Ruby grew up in Holland after surviving World War II with her family in the Dutch East Indies. In her late teens, her family moved to Chicago to begin a new life in the United States. Ruby served as a registered nurse for many years in hospitals and with her husband, Dr. Leon Randle Coker. She was

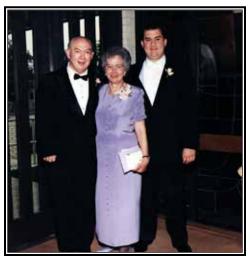
a longtime resident of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and Gonzales, Louisiana. She made many trips to Tanlajas, Mexico with her family over twenty years to help the Huastec Indian population there with medical care. Ruby was a lifelong bridge player, a great source of friendship for all, a devout catholic, and was very active in bible studies within her parish.

Survivors include her son, Francis Coker and his wife, Catherine, of Beaumont; sisters, Wilhelmina Hinkel and her husband, Bob, of Hendersonville, North Carolina and Judy Condron of Wheaton, Illinois; grandchildren, Margaret, Randle, Patrick, Clare, Daniel, Elizabeth, Rebecca, Andrew, Colleen, and Laura Coker; and a host of other relatives and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Dr. Leon Randle Coker; and sister, Ginger Hennessy.















































Celebrant Reverend Gus Wall, S.V.D.

Placing of the Pall Mrs. Coker's Family

Gift Bearers Elizabeth Coker, Rebecca Coker
Lectors Clare Coker, Margaret Coker
Music Ministers Felicia Runnels, Darla Lawless
Pallbearers Francis Coker, Randle Coker

Patrick Coker, Daniel Coker Robert Kocot, Alan Andrews

Honorary Pallbearer Andrew Coker

Graveside Service

Monday, July 16, 2018 10:00 a.m. Roselawn Cemetery 1201 North Main Street McAllen, Texas

