

Ruth Margaret Cornwell May 8, 1926 - July 15, 2019

# Celebrating the Life of Ruth Margaret Cornwell Thursday, July 18, 2019 2:00 p.m. Broussard's Chapel Silsbee, Texas



"On Holy Ground"

Obituary John Cornwell

Memories Jason Cornwell Ashli Sambaluk

"I Found the Lily In My Valley"

Poem Anne Marcus

Memories Janice Odom

"In the Garden"



Ruth Denson Cornwell, 93, of Silsbee, died Monday, July 15, 2019. She was born on May 8, 1926, in Silsbee, to Eugenia Alvenia Phillips Denson and Charles McKinney Denson.

She graduated from Silsbee High and attended Chenier Business School before working for the Beaumont Enterprise and Gulf Oil Corporation. In 1945, Ruth married Wendell Cornwell, her late husband of sixty-eight years. Ruth and Wendell built their home and raised their family on cherished

land along the Village Creek that her ancestors from Prussia settled in 1850. Her passion was her role as devoted homemaker and mother to her three sons.

Ruth loved cooking and preparing wonderful feasts for her extended family gatherings for many years continuing into her 90's. Her vegetable garden and flowers were a source of great joy. She had an engaging personality and mastered texting and social media to stay in touch with family and friends.

Survivors include her son, Daniel Cornwell of Silsbee; grandchildren, John David Cornwell and his wife, Tricia, of Pearland; Jason Daniel Cornwell and his wife, Sara, of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Ashli Sambaluk and her husband, Eric, of Grapevine; and great-grandchildren, Lila Page Cornwell and Davis Cornwell.

Ruth is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Wendell Leroy Cornwell; sons, David Wendall Cornwell and Jonathan Keith Cornwell; granddaughter, Page Lynn Carpenter; and siblings, Marie Freeman, Maude Cook, Minnie Tuttle, Myrtis Sampson, and Fred Denson.

The family wishes to thank all of those who cared for her during her last days.

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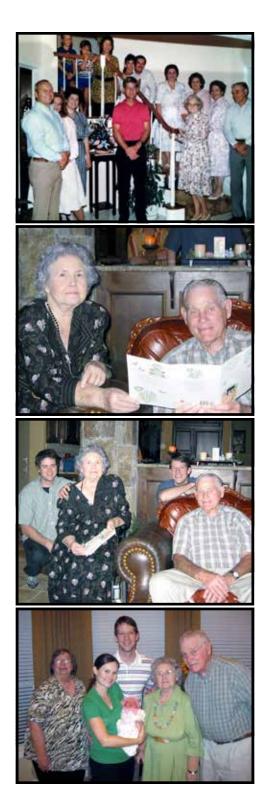
















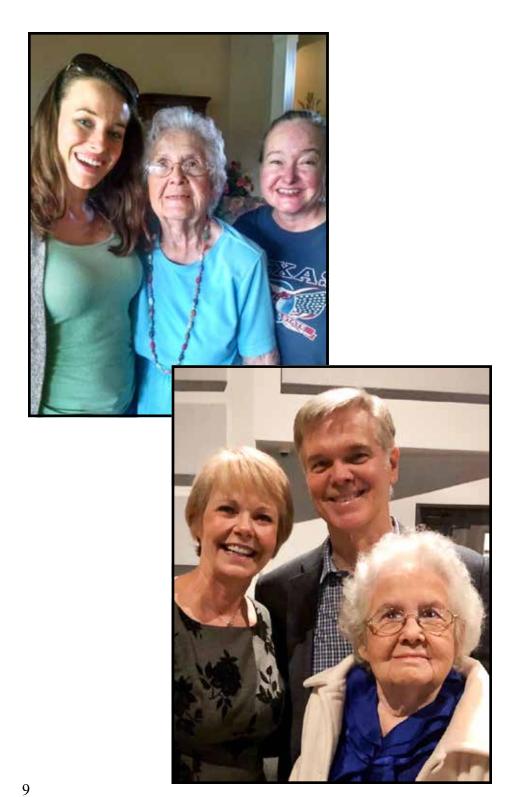












## "The Love of God"

by O.S. Davis, Copyright 1949

The Love of Jesus to me is greater Than anything else I've ever known. It reaches deeper than any sin stain It reaches higher than heaven's throne

It brought the Savior from heaven's glory
To give his life for a world of sin
Tho God of heaven, He condescended
To prove to you that he is your friend.

It giveth comfort to those in sorrow.
It bringeth peace to a troubled soul
The love of Jesus goes in the byways
To seek the sin sick and make them whole

#### Chorus:

The love of God is more to me
Than all this world could ever be
It reaches down from the throne of glory
And sets the vilest sinner free.

### **Pallbearers**

John Cornwell Jason Cornwell Eric Sambaluk Kyle Odom Dan Floyd Art Kisinger

#### Interment

Knupple Cemetery Silsbee, Texas Walter Biscamp

