



Betty Rudel

May 21, 2026

Betty Jean Edwards Rudel, was 71 when she passed away on May 21, 2026.

It is with deep love and sadness that we announce the passing of Betty Jean Edwards Rudel, a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and aunt. She was a cherished friend whose kindness and loving spirit touched countless lives. Betty was born in Fort Worth to Ivan and Helen Edwards. She was raised in Colleyville, TX where she attended her hometown Baptist church playing the piano and singing in her church choir. She was preceded in death by both her parents Ivan and Helen Edwards.

Betty's greatest joy in life was her family. She was a loving and dedicated mother to Rachel, Sherri, and Ryan, and a proud Nana to Jess, Alyssa, Desarae, and Emily. She was also blessed to be a great-grandmother to Haisley, Chloe, and Oliver, each of whom brought much joy to her life. Betty always made her family feel special, supported, and deeply loved. Her home was filled with warmth, laughter, and memories that will be treasured forever.

For decades, Betty operated an in-home daycare in Tomball, lovingly caring for and helping raise generations of children in the community. To many families, she became far more than a caregiver — she became part of their family. Her nurturing heart, patience, and gentle guidance left a lasting impact on so many lives.

Betty also treasured the lifelong friendships she made through Mary Kay. She especially loved giving makeup and thoughtful gifts to her daughters and grandchildren for birthdays and holidays, finding happiness in making those she loved feel beautiful and celebrated.

She will be remembered for her generous heart, caring nature, and the unconditional love she gave so freely to everyone around her. Her legacy lives on through the family she cherished, the children she nurtured, and the many lives she touched throughout the years.

Betty Jean Edwards Rudel will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered always.

“Her love and kindness will live on in every heart she touched.”

The Addison family and staff of Magnolia Funeral Home extend condolences to the Rudel family during this difficult time.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 27. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Magnolia Funeral Home
811 South Magnolia Blvd.
Magnolia, TX 77355
(281) 356-3363
magnoliafh@yahoo.com
<https://magnoliafunerals.com>

Funeral Service

MAY 27. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Burial

MAY 27 (CT)

Salem Lutheran Cemetery
23555 1/2 Lutheran Cemetery Rd.
Tomball, TX 77377

Tribute Wall

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“ *Your Classmates, Grapevine HS, 1973 purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Your Classmates, Grapevine HS, 1973 - May 26 at 11:27 PM

AF

“ *Anne Flowers purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Anne Flowers - May 26 at 04:35 PM

HT

“ *Howard Hughes - The Bridgeland Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Howard Hughes - The Bridgeland Team - May 26 at 01:41 PM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Betty Rudel.*



May 26 at 01:03 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Rudel.*



May 26 at 10:19 AM



“ *Charles and Dawn Edwards purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Charles and Dawn Edwards - May 26 at 12:04 AM



“ *Candy Rudel, Andrew, Julie and David purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Candy Rudel, Andrew, Julie and David - May 25 at 09:13 PM



“ *The Gilmer Family Doug Kim and the gang purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Betty Rudel.*



The Gilmer Family Doug Kim and the gang - May 25 at 07:48 PM

DF

“ *Debbie and Randy Flowers purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Debbie and Randy Flowers - May 25 at 04:44 PM

RR

“ *Ricardo and Hilda Reyna purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Ricardo and Hilda Reyna - May 25 at 10:50 AM

JH

“ *Jimmie Sue Flowers Hankins purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Betty Rudel.*



Jimmie Sue Flowers Hankins - May 22 at 12:45 PM