



## Jackie Thomas

October 4, 1934 - August 5, 2017

Jackie Armstrong Thomas, of Terrell, passed away into the presence of her Savior on the morning of August 5, 2017 with her family at her side. Jackie was born October 4, 1934 in Corsicana, Texas to Charlie Joe and Jackie (Jennings) Armstrong, both of whom preceded her in death.

Jackie grew up in an era that emphasized family devotion, hard work ethic, respect for others and these characteristics shaped her personality to be a perfect Proverbs 31 woman. She was kind, selfless and loving to everyone that she met. Growing up on her family's farm, Armstrong Dairy Farm, enabled her to develop into a young lady that honored commitments and valued traditions. Jackie graduated from Emhouse High School in 1953 having been voted by the student body as Senior Favorite and Good Citizen. On June 23, 1953, she married the love of her life, Bobby Thomas, and were blessed with two sons, Darrell and Danny. She loved doing for others and Jackie could be counted on to help with baby and wedding showers, birthday celebrations and any get together. She arrived not only with food but with a servant's heart to help everyone have a great time and her very social personality made an instant friend for life to all who met her. She was a longtime and active member of College Mound UMC and friendships made there were some of her most treasured. She and Bobby enjoyed traveling to many family reunions where Jackie could "catch up" with extended family and share memories that had been made. Always one to enjoy a good visit, she would often be found at all church activities, helping and laughing, as well as going out to eat with

Bobby so she could see all her other friends here in Terrell. As devoted as she was to Bobby and her sons, Jackie found a deeper love that is known only to grandmothers and when her grandchildren and then great grandchildren came along, they had her wrapped around their fingers. She supported and encouraged them in all their endeavors so that they would always have a firm foundation of knowing they were cherished by Jackie. She had a way of making everyone she met feel the true joy that she always felt and Jackie will be missed greatly.

She leaves to continue her legacy of unconditional love her husband of 64 years, Bobby Thomas of Terrell; sons: Darrell Thomas and wife, Sherry, of Royse City, Danny Thomas and wife, Karien, of McKinney; four grandchildren: Dusty Wayne Thomas, Joni Rae Duvall, Jana Lee Thomas and Taylor Dan Thomas; four great grandchildren: Chasity, Conner, Devin, Kaleb Thomas; brother, W.J. "Sonny" Armstrong; sister, Katherine Cameron as well as several nieces, nephews, extended family, church family and a host of other friends. Funeral service will be at 11:00am, Tuesday, August 8, 2017 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel with interment to follow at College Mound Cemetery. Jackie's family will receive friends 6-8pm, Monday, August 7, 2017 at Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations.

For those wishing and to honor Jackie's service to others, memorials may be made to College Mound United Methodist Church, PO Box 793, Terrell, Texas, 75160.

# Cemetery Details

## College Mound Cemetery

15010 FM 429 South  
Terrell, TX 75161

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations  
642 N Rockwall Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160  
(972) 524-0881  
<https://www.maxslaytonfunerals.com>

## Funeral Service

AUG 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations  
642 N Rockwall Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Jackie Thomas

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October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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August 08, 2017 at 04:58 AM



“ *Kelly Cato and Family* purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of Jackie Thomas.

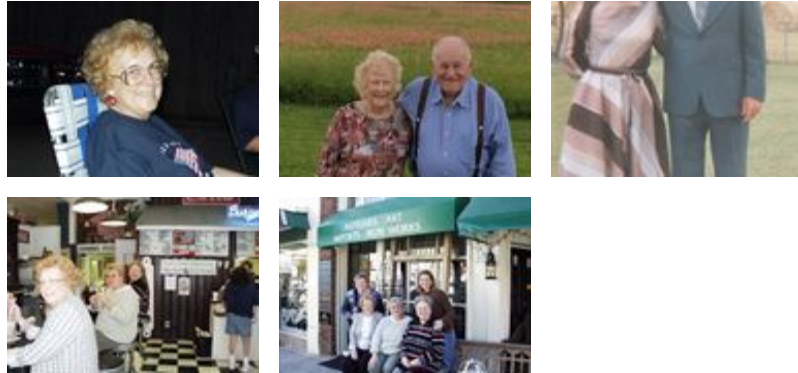


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**Kelly Cato and Family** - August 07, 2017 at 04:45 PM



“ 102 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



**Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations** - August 07, 2017 at 03:23 PM

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“ *Phyllis & Kenneth Bruner, Marvin & Anita Nall purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



**Phyllis & Kenneth Bruner, Marvin & Anita Nall** - August 07, 2017 at 03:02 PM

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“ *Your Friends at IMS purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



**Your Friends at IMS** - August 07, 2017 at 12:59 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



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August 07, 2017 at 12:02 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



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August 07, 2017 at 11:37 AM



“ *Your work family. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



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**Your work family.** - August 07, 2017 at 10:33 AM



“ *Darrell, so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and Prayers for you and the family.*

*Wayne Morman*

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**wayne Morman** - August 06, 2017 at 10:52 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



August 06, 2017 at 09:56 PM



“ *We shall miss seeing Jackie and visiting with her. She was a great conversationalist. God Bless the Thomas Family.*

**Joe, Ann & Christian Jaynes** - August 06, 2017 at 09:52 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.*



August 06, 2017 at 08:24 PM



“ *Mrs. Thomas was a sweet lady she was always nice to me when ever her & her husband would come into Schlotzsky's. I will miss her. Prayers for the family  
With Love & Condolences  
Jewell Pirtle (Schlotxskys)*



**jewell pirtle** - August 06, 2017 at 07:59 PM

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“ Dr. Jeffrey B. Taylor and OFD Staff purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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**Dr. Jeffrey B. Taylor and OFD Staff** - August 06, 2017 at 06:44 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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August 06, 2017 at 05:08 PM

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“ Bobby and Betty Armstrong and Becky, Gary & Gina purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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**Bobby and Betty Armstrong and Becky, Gary & Gina** - August 06, 2017 at 03:51 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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August 06, 2017 at 03:36 PM

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“ We loved you very much. You and Bobby are two of God's greatest people. You were always bright, cheerful and happy. I am sure you are in Heaven. Love you and your family. Ron and Jane Slone

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**Jane Slone** - August 06, 2017 at 01:14 PM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackie Thomas.



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August 06, 2017 at 01:12 PM