



## Lou Hunter

August 11, 1927 - November 4, 2018

Lou Hunter, of Terrell, passed away peacefully into the presence of her Savior on the morning of November 4, 2018. Lou was born August 11, 1927 in Upshur County, TX to Carl Lee and Effie Della (James) Chaffin. She was reunited in Heaven with her husband, Richard Hunter, Jr., daughter, Susan Hunter; her parents, sisters: LeeDell Pepper, Bonnie Henry; and brothers: Milton, Sam and Neil Dean Chaffin.

Lou grew up in rural Upshur county and she was one of the first graduating classes from Harmony High School. She met and married the love of her life, Richard Hunter, and they made their home in Dallas before moving to Terrell in 1969. She worked for Zales Jewelry and then for American National Life Insurance until her retirement. Lou was a devoted wife and mother with a strong desire to serve the Lord. She and Richard were actively involved at First Missionary Baptist church where their kindness to others was very well known. Later, they became members of First Baptist Church of Terrell where she continued to help others hear and read about the Gospel through her work with the Gideon Auxiliary as she partnered alongside Richard's Gideon presentations. Lou's love for helping others was also evident with her memberships in Terrell Pilot Club, Meals on Wheels and 55Alive, where she provided instruction on driving refresher courses. Her ability to embody true Southern hospitality with her welcoming smile and great cooking confirmed Lou's generous personality and helpful spirit and she will be missed greatly by all who knew her.

Lou is survived by her children: Cindy Bauer and husband, Darold, of Coppell, Richard T. Hunter, III and wife, Ellen, of New Braunfels, and Jane Ann Goolsbee and husband, James, of Arlington; grandchildren: Christy Bagley and husband, Tres, Richard Hunter, IV and wife, Nichole, Austin Bauer and wife, Chayne, Stephen Hunter and wife, Stacey, Zach Goolsbee and wife, Katherine, Tracy Warrick and husband, Gary, and Tessa Wilkins and husband, Josh; great grandchildren: Hannah, Emma, Robby, Norah, Morgan, Nolan, Sebastian, Hunter, Giovanni, Jocelyn Lou, Emi, and Evelyn; sister-in-law, Geneva Chaffin; sister in Christ, Courtney Warren as well as numerous nieces, nephews, extended family, church family and a host of friends. Funeral service will be held at 1:00pm, Thursday, November 8, 2018 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel. Interment will be at 11:00am, Friday, November 9, 2018 at D/FW National Cemetery where she will be laid to rest with her beloved husband. The family will receive friends 5-7pm, Wednesday, Nov. 7, at the funeral home.

In honor of Lou, her family respectfully asks that floral tributes be reconsidered and, instead, contributions be made to the Gideons International at [www.gideons.org](http://www.gideons.org), the Kidney foundation at [www.kidney.org](http://www.kidney.org) or to the Alzheimer's Foundation at [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org).

# Cemetery Details

## Dallas/Ft. Worth National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway  
Dallas, TX 75211

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funeral Chapel  
642 N. Rockwall Ave.  
Terrell, TX 75160

## Funeral Service

NOV 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

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642 N. Rockwall Ave.  
Terrell, TX 75160

## Committal Service

NOV 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

Dallas/Ft. Worth National Cemetery  
2000 Mountain Creek Parkway  
Dallas, TX 75211



# Tribute Wall



“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Lou Hunter*



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**Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations** - November 07, 2018 at 11:16 AM



“ *Lou Hunter*

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October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Lou was a wonderful sister-in-Christ. We worked together in the Gideon ministry for many years--I shall miss her greatly. Barbara Baker*

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**Barbara Baker** - November 07, 2018 at 12:13 PM



“ *Monette & Tom Sowder purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lou Hunter.*



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**Monette & Tom Sowder** - November 07, 2018 at 11:43 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lou Hunter.* ”



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November 07, 2018 at 09:34 AM



“ *79 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



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**Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations** - November 06, 2018 at 03:54 PM



“ *Eisenhower Elementary purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lou Hunter.* ”



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**Eisenhower Elementary** - November 06, 2018 at 09:09 AM

LD

“ Sympathy and prayers are extended to the family. Howard and I met Richard and Lou Hunter at Biglow Street Baptist Church in Dallas several years ago. There were many many good times with them. We bought our first permanent puppy, a red female Dachshund, from them for \$10.00. Greta lived to be 13 years old. One funny story about Lou; the Sunday school class was having a come-as-you-are party at a restaurant. However, unbeknownst to Lou, she was the only one who would come-as-you-are. Everyone else was in on the fun. Lou showed up in her housecoat, carrying a feather duster. When she peeked through the door, she realized the joke was on her. She threw the feather duster into the room, but only in fun. Everyone had a good time as well as a good laugh. Lou was loved and will be missed by so many.

*Lillie (Mrs. Howard) DeRossett*

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**Lillie (Mrs. Howard) DeRossett** - November 05, 2018 at 09:30 PM

GF

“ Greg & Barb Hanes & family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lou Hunter.



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**Greg & Barb Hanes & family** - November 05, 2018 at 08:36 PM

SW

“ I was fortunate enough to be in a Sunday school class that Lou taught she was such a great person loving, kind and always helping people. She will be greatly missed. Glad we got to see her in March when we came to Texas. She loved her family so much

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**sylvia weaver** - November 05, 2018 at 08:07 PM

MC

*Lou was my mentor and good friend when we attended First Missionary Baptist Church. She was I loving and kind and always asked about my children when I saw her in later years.*

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**Mary Calvert** - November 06, 2018 at 12:53 PM