



Phyllis Diane Tindol

December 10, 1957 - June 9, 2016

Phyllis Diane Tindol, 58, of Odessa, Texas, passed away on June 9, 2016 at 2:33 p.m. surrounded by her loving family. She was born on December 10, 1957 in Hope, Arkansas.

Diane was a homemaker and volunteer with ECISD for eleven years. She had her CNA license and she was a caregiver for eight years. If someone needed help, she was there for them. She was a survivor, having fought cancer for two years. She was in remission for eight years.

Diane married her best friend and soul mate, Ricky Tindol, on June 26, 1975, They were together for eight years prior to their marriage. Diane and Ricky were high school sweethearts.

Diane's hobbies included spending as much time as possible, playing with her grandson, Clayton. She loved cooking, baking, ceramics and her plants. From her home, she helped teachers with projects for their students. She loved bowling, playing golf, fishing and being creative.

She was the best Mom and Nana even to those who were not hers. Her daughter's friends were considered her adopted children and she loved them and their children as her very own. Diane cherished her in laws and they called her "Sis".

She is preceded in death by her parents, W.C. Stokes and Mona Faye Smart Stokes; sisters, Billie Faye Stokes Houghton and Sandy Stokes Forenzi; nephews, Timmothy Paul Houghton and Casey Lawson.

Diane is survived by her husband of forty years, Ricky Tindol; only daughter, Summer Smith and husband, Charles; one grandson, Clayton Smith; sister, Ruby Carr and husband, Alan; brothers, Glen Lawson and Shorty Stokes and wife, Linda; numerous beloved aunts, uncles and cousins as well as many numerous nieces and nephews that she loved very much. The Tindol and Sweeden family.

The family would like to express their appreciation for the love and support of Dale Meyer Trucking and Odessa Home Hospice.

Viewing will begin Monday, June 13, 2016 at 11:30 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and again on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Funeral service, officiated by Chaplain Donnie Rollie, will be Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. with burial immediately following.

Honorary Pallbearers: Clayton Smith, Charles Smith and Joshua Self
Pallbearers: Tyler Self, Cody and Corey Lawson, Michael Smith, Robert Peevy and Derek Hall. Alternate Pallbearers: Donnie Desilets, Michael Ahrendt and Ron Reynolds.

Cemetery Details

American Heritage Cemetery

4100 North FM 1788
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Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

JUN 14. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Service

JUN **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

JUN **15**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to the Tindol family sorry for your loss. May you find additional comfort and peace from God during this difficult time.*

Lee - June 14, 2016 at 10:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Phyllis Diane Tindol.*



June 14, 2016 at 10:25 AM



“ *My condolences to all of you. I love you all.*
Edward Tindol

Edward Tindol - June 12, 2016 at 06:53 PM



“ *Rickey and Summer and family there is nothing I can say that will make this easier*
She was a long time friend of 34 years we had some really good times I know she is in a better place and is not suffering anymore she use to see me on Facebook and she would say you better call me and I would sometimes we would be on the phone for at least an hour we shared many thing but our friendship was like no other she will be greatly missed I love you all and God Bless

Tammy Murati Bolt

Tammy Bolt - June 12, 2016 at 08:50 AM



I send my prayers and my heart goes out to y'all she is with you now and forever in spirit wish I could be there remember I love you and she does too

Keith Ellis - June 12, 2016 at 10:36 AM



Your mama was an amazing lady, and I feel privileged to have known her. I know you will miss her deeply. We will continue to keep the family in our thoughts and prayers.

Jerry & Cindy Mosley - June 12, 2016 at 03:13 PM