



Hazel Gertrude Gill

February 28, 1927 - June 14, 2019

Hazel Gertrude Gill, 92, passed away on Friday, June 14, 2019.

Graveside Services: 2 p.m. Friday, June 21, 2019 at Bethany Rest Cemetery in Alvarado.

Visitation: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday evening at Lucas and Blessing Funeral Home.

Hazel was preceded in death by her first husband, Elmer Earl Koen, second husband, Oscar C. Gill; son, Donald Earl Koen, granddaughter, Angela Dawn Koen-McAdams. 3 brothers and 3 sisters.

Survivors: Sons, Wayne E. Koen and wife, Cathy, Richard Koen and wife, Dale, Dan Koen; daughter, Susie Berninger and husband, Bob, 10 Grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and 2 great-greatgrandchildren; daughter-in-law, Pam Koen and numerous nieces, nephews family and friends.

Events

JUN **Visitation** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Lucas & Blessing Funeral Home, Cremations, and Life Celebrations
518 SW Johnson Ave, Burleson, TX, US, 76028

Comments



“ I am posting this late and I know that some of this has already been said. It would take many volumes to tell what a great mother Hazel Koen Gill has been all her life. She nurtured, ironed, cut our hair, sewed, canned, washed clothes, and for many years, hung them out on the clothes line to let the sun and the wind dry them. She and Dad taught me my ABC's, and taught me to read. She read to me many times. She survived a car accident, being thrown from our car across the pavement, and coming to rest against the front wheels of another car, waiting at a stop sign or traffic signal. The driver of that car “sensed” that something was wrong, got out and found our mom by his front wheels. She was pregnant and carrying my sister Susie. We all survived by the grace of God. Mom loved to help us in many ways. She kept my kool-aid stand supplied –the thirsty customers were building houses next to our property. She took me to my lawn mowing jobs that were further away. She was an excellent cook, with many special dishes, well known to our friends and relatives. Even in much of her later years, she loved to cook for her family. Mom loved to play with her kids, playing catch (baseball), throwing Frisbees, etc. Mom loved music. She always looked and acted younger than her years. She loved going to the park, and especially loved trees, saying there weren't very many in Amarillo, where she grew up. Mom loved God and praised Him often. Mom loved her family dearly and showed it often. She is my dear mother and I will always love, appreciate, and remember her.



wayne Koen - June 22, 2019 at 05:00 PM



“ Our heartfelt condolences go out to the Koen family. May you always remember the many blessings she gave you all. - David and Sylvia Gayle

David Gayle - June 20, 2019 at 07:12 PM



“ I have had the privilege to know and become part of your family for fifty-five years and was truly blessed. Wayne and I were very fortunate to care for you in our home. We truly miss and hope that you are having a great big family reunion up in HEAVEN!
Love Cathy

Cathy Koen - June 18, 2019 at 07:20 PM



“ Pam, John, Heather & kids, Sarah & Lilah, & Brian purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Hazel Gertrude Gill.



Pam, John, Heather & kids, Sarah & Lilah, & Brian - June 18, 2019 at 06:43 PM



“ I will miss you so much Grandma. I always enjoyed our conversations, especially talking about all the fun times you had with my mom. I'm glad I had the opportunity to see you every week lately. I loved having girl talk and sharing our love for makeup. I love you very much and only wish I could have truly told you how much I love you before you passed. Grayson loves you so much too and always enjoyed seeing you. May you Rest In Peace in Heaven and be skating around with my Mom :)



Victoria R McClung - June 18, 2019 at 04:59 PM



“ What a woman! What a mother! Thank you for all the sacrifices you endured in order to raise us. The thousands of wonderful meals you cooked, the thousands of dirty diapers you changed, the hundreds of thousands of clothes and dishes you washed for us all. No matter what gratitude I can extend to you I think it will never be enough. Thank you for being My Mother....A Great Mother!

Dan Koen - June 18, 2019 at 03:00 PM



“ She was Hazel, Mom and friend to me and so many others. This lovely lady was so special in many ways. Her personality was so very unique, always interesting, full of fun and playfulness, always stylish and young at heart! She loved us all deeply and tried to express that love, as much as she could. Having her, as my mother-in-law for fifty years, has been a wonderful blessing to me I have learned so much from her and feel so fortunate to have had her friendship and love all of these years.

Dale Koen - June 18, 2019 at 02:10 PM



“ Grandma will be greatly missed. She was a funny person to be around and was always delighted to see her family and friends. You will be greatly missed grandma.



lance mcclung - June 17, 2019 at 10:06 PM



“ Although many years have passed since my childhood, I can vividly recall the wonderful memories of my youth. Those wonderful times were in large part created and nurtured by my beautiful Mother. Mom had four sons, one daughter, and a neighborhood full of children to nurture. We lived in the Poly section of Fort Worth. Mom created a welcoming atmosphere that made our home the gathering spot of our very large neighborhood. She treated each visitor as if they were her own children. She made sure there was an abundance of snacks, wholesome activities, and love. While overseeing our games and other activities Mom couldn't resist participating in football, baseball, boxing, jump rope, or just about anything we were involved in. It seems that there was always some sort of activity going on just about every day. My friends would often comment how great it must be to live in our home. We had a loving bond that many homes did not have. In large part because of our Mom our friends were allowed to share this experience. Mom, I ask for God's blessings upon you. You have my eternal love,
Richard

Richard Koen - June 17, 2019 at 08:55 PM



“ Hazel Gill was a beautiful soul, loved by her Benbrook Senior Citizens Center friends dearly, and was so much fun to play games with! The senior center was a second home to her and we all enjoyed being around her. Hazel will be missed but we will always remember her and her infectious laugh. Our thoughts are with her family and friends as we say goodbye to this lovely lady.

Love,
Benbrook Senior Citizens Center family



Felicia Lindsay - June 17, 2019 at 03:58 PM