

## GENA MARGUERITE TAYLOR SUMMERS

**1923-2011**

FT. WORTH: Gena Marguerite Taylor Summers died on September 29, 2011.

Gina was born on a farm east of Chico on December 16, 1923. She worked as a secretary for Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor, Washington D.C. during W.W.II. After the war, she married Mark Summers, her childhood sweetheart. He had been a prisoner of war of the Japanese for 3 1/2 years.

Mrs. Summers worked as a saleslady in Austin at Scarborough's, then as a secretary in the State Department when her husband attended U.T. She also attended U.T. When they moved to Ft. Worth, she and Mark both had careers in the FWISD.

They retired to a farm in Bosque County and lived there 25 years until Mark's death in 1998. Marguerite returned to their home in Ft. Worth and shared a close, loving relationship with her daughter Leslie.

Maraguerite was pre-ceeded in death by parents William Timothy and Iva Irene Taylor, and sisters Helen Wyatt and Olga Jones and husband Mark Summers.

Survivors are son Steve Summers and wife Fiona and daughter Leslie Clark, grandchildren Lauren Siewert and husband Chad, Taylor Clark and wife Jenny, Nadia Summers, Spencer Summers and Eleanor Summers, great grandchildren Otis Clark V, Violet Siewert and Caitlin Clark.

A service will be held October 8, 2011, 2:30 p.m. at St. Olaf Kirke (The Old Rock Church), CR 4145 east of Cranfills Gap.

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