

## BESSIE JUNE (STEADHAM) ROBINSON

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**1940-2014**

Decatur: Bessie June Robinson, 74, a retired coach and teacher for Slidell ISD died Friday, August 29, 2014 in Decatur, Texas.

June was born August 26, 1940 to Elvin Robert and Ruby Mae (McDonald) Steadham in Muenster, Texas. She married Harold Ray Robinson on August 13, 1969 in Decatur, Texas. She was a wonderful wife, daughter, aunt, sister, friend, teacher, and coach. A lot of hats to wear and she wore them well. Though she never had children of her own, she certainly helped raise a bunch of them between the classroom and basketball court.

June loved her families (biological, spiritual, and educational).

Survivors include her husband of 45 years, Harold Ray Robinson of Decatur; numerous nieces and nephews that held a special place in her heart; a host of friends and students she had the pleasure of coaching and teaching through the years.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her twin sister, Jane Perkins.

Funeral service was held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 3, 2014 at the First Baptist Church in Slidell with Rev. Casey Johnson and Tracy Epting officiating. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery.

Pallbearers included Darrel Perkins, Darrel Perkins, Jr., Zane Perkins, William Stout, Danny Taylor and Clayton Taylor.

Honorary pallbearers included Strike Franklin, Ronnie Ramsey, David Caraway, Dwayne Hill, Tim Fletcher, Eric Fletcher, and Angel Carillo.

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