

EVELYN ROSE TAYLOR

1929-2014

BRIDGEPORT: Evelyn Rose Taylor, 85, a business owner and retired clerical worker, died Tuesday, October 14, 2014 in Flower Mound.

Evelyn was born on March 20, 1929 to Benjiman and Bernice (Pressley) Kraatz in Sharp, Texas. She owned and operated The Chicken Box Restaurant for 30 years. Evelyn was a member of the Cates Street Baptist Church in Bridgeport.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her son, Randy Taylor; one brother; six sisters; her grandson, Michael Taylor; her granddaughter, Tiffany Stone and her son-in-law, Bobby Stone.

Survivors include her daughters: Linda Preston of Flower Mound; Cynthia Stone of Justin; Donna Janides and husband, James, of Irving; her daughter-in-law, Ellen Taylor of Cottdondale; eight grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; her sisters: Lorene Wicker of Commerce; Lucille McCrummen of Commerce; Doris Kerbow of Commerce; her brothers: Charles Kraatz and wife, Norma, of Irving; Gene Kraatz of Apple Valley, California; other family members and a host of friends.

Funeral service was held at 1 p.m. Saturday, October 18, 2014 at Cates Street Baptist Church in Bridgeport with burial in Rolling Oaks Cemetery in Coppell.

Rev. Randy James officiated. Pallbearers included Paul Preston, Troy Janides, David Beatty, Fred Preston, Daniel Taylor, and Steven Stone.

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