



## Elizabeth Schmidt Skrovan

March 9, 1922 - July 28, 2012

Elizabeth "Nanny" Skrovan, 90 of Hillje, passed away on July 28, 2012 surrounded by her loving family. She was born on March 9, 1922 in El Campo to the late William George and Sophie Holub Schmidt. She was an active member of St. Andrew's Catholic Church and also involved with the Altar Society, Catholic Daughters and KJT. Along with her husband Clarence, they owned and operated Skrovan's Grocery and Market in Hillje for 45 years. The Louise-Hillje Chamber of Commerce recognized her as their 2010 Citizen of the Year.

She was a business woman and entrepreneur, but her most cherished role in life was wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Her loving family, beautiful home and manicured yard were her most prized possessions. She will be remembered for her faith, her dedication to others, hard work, home cooked meals and her delightful desserts.

She is survived by daughters Karen Elkins of Missouri City, Susan Ferguson and husband Bill of Houston, Jeanne Hubenak and husband Ricky of El Campo, Pamela Chromcak and husband Greg of Louise, Lanette Gresham and husband Johnnie of Louise, son Pat Skrovan and wife RoseAnn of Austin, grandchildren Michelle Townsend, Justin Geppert, Werth Garrett, Sara Garrett, Rachel Schoeneberg, Chelsea Hubenak, Christopher Chromcak, Jordan Gresham and Lauren Gresham, great grandchildren Kirby, Kara, Kade, Kole, and Kiley Townsend, Jett and Jace Garrett, Levi and Layton Schoeneberg, brother Norbert Schmidt of Richmond, brother-in-law and

sister-in-law James and Nikki Skrovan of El Campo, and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Clarence Skrovan, daughter Mary Ann Skrovan, and brothers Johnnie and Bill Schmidt.

Visitation will be from 2pm until 5 pm on Monday at Triska Funeral and 6 pm until 7 pm at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Hillje. A parish rosary will be at 7 pm on Monday at St. Andrew's Catholic Church. Funeral services will be held at 2 pm on Tuesday at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Hillje with Rev.

Clement Quainoo officiating. Burial will follow at St. Andrew's Cemetery. Pallbearers are Bill Ferguson, Greg Chromcak, Johnnie Gresham, Ricky Hubenak, Jeff Garrett, Justin Geppert, Werth Garrett, Christopher Chromcak, Jordan Gresham and Steven Townsend.

Memorials in her memory may be made to St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Houston Hospice-El Campo or to the donor's favorite charity.

She is irreplaceable and will be greatly missed but she leaves a legacy of a life well lived and loving memories to her family and friends. "Her children rise up and call her blessed, many women do noble things, but you surpass them all." Proverbs 31:28

Friends may share words of condolences at [triskafuneralhome.com](http://triskafuneralhome.com)

Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-543-3681

# Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest condolences to the family. Mrs. Skrovan was a sweet, swwet lady. Always had a smile on her face no matter where you saw her. Always welcomed me into her home when I came to see her husband or herself for a Home Health nursing visit. She will be sorely missed by everyone in Wharton County that knew her. Know she is now a guardian angel watching over her family and everyone in Hillje. God Bless each of you!

Terry Rutherford - El Campo, TX - August 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ I will forever treasure knowing such a gracious and lovely woman. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family through this time of sorrow.

Linda Ingle Cox - Houston, TX - Friend - August 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ To the Skrovan family, sadden to hear about you Mom leaving us, she got a better job now at the BIG STORE in HEAVEN Mrs. Skrovan sure was one fine lady and treated all us Louise Texas customer very well, we all had a great time with your Mom, your Dad and Grand Dad in that Hillje Store back in the day in them SIXTIES, Thinking thats where they came up with MAYBERRY RFD and HAPPY DAYS.  
LIVE WELL & BE HAPPY for now, cause ONE DAY we will all be making that trip  
William Robert Bob Poncik, LOUISE TEXAS 1962

William Robert Bob Poncik - Milton, FL - A Store customer back in the day - August 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ *What an honor to have known such a precious woman. She was an anchor and example to me and will be missed so much.*

*Psalm 48:14*

*For this God is our God for ever and ever, he will be our guide even to the end.*

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**Gay Keys - Sugar Land, TX - Friend** - July 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *Sue-*

*I remember sitting with your mom at your birthday dinner not that long ago. Her energy and sense of humor was totally infectious and we will all miss her.*

*Her smile and grace was a reminder of God's love.*

*AT/CLT*

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**A Tang & CL Tang - Houston, TX - friend of Sue and Bill** - July 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE WHOLE FAMILY. MRS SKROVAN WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY EVERYONE.*

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**DENISE & VICTOR JAKS - EL CAMPO, TX** - July 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM