



## Lorraine Mae Newton

May 12, 1932 - June 13, 2016

Lorraine Mae Bacak Newton, 84, of El Campo, passed away June 13, 2016. She was born on May 12, 1932 in El Campo to the late Raymond and Agnes Livanec Bacak.

She is survived by her loving husband of 64 years, Odis Newton of El Campo; daughter, Cindy Mathews and husband Doug of El Campo; sons, Bill Newton and wife Carol of Bay City and Bruce Newton and wife Theresa of San Antonio; grandchildren, Kelsie Brown and husband Bryan, Will Newton and wife Julie, Marissa Wendel and husband Jeff, Micah Newton and wife Carla, Maddie Mahalitic and husband Chad, Ty Mathews, Michelle Hopkins and husband Brandon and Sarah Vega and husband Ben; 7 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation begins at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, June 15 at Triska Funeral Home with the family receiving visitors from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Private graveside services will be held at the Swedish Lutheran Cemetery. A "Celebration of Life" service will begin at 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 16 at First Lutheran Church in El Campo with Rev. Donna Zipp officiating.

Pallbearers are Ty Mathews, Will Newton, Micah Newton, Brandon Hopkins, Ben Vega, Jeff Wendel, Chad Mahalitic, Bryan Brown and Willie Rek. Honorary pallbearers are Alvin Yackel, Teresa Lee and Janice Pospisil.

Memorial donations in honor of Lorraine may be made to First Lutheran Church.

The family would like to thank their many friends and family members for their thoughts and prayers during her illness; a special thanks to the wonderful staff and doctors at El Campo Memorial, Memorial Hermann Sugar Land and Warm Springs Victoria.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **15**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home  
612 Merchant Street  
El Campo, TX 77437-3440  
(979) 543-3681  
triskafh@sbcglobal.net

## Family Will Receive Visitors

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## Celebration of Life

JUN **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Lutheran Church  
304 Oscar Street  
El Campo, TX 77437  
<http://firstlutheranec.com/>

# Tribute Wall

PF

“ *Pete Galvan and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.*



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**Pete Galvan and family** - June 15, 2016 at 05:46 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.*



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June 15, 2016 at 11:08 AM

RF

“ *Lorraine is a sweet memory from my youth, always smiling and offering a kind and helping word to a young boy who was learning how to work. My sincerest condolences are extended to Otis and family for this great loss.*  
*Richard Fothergill*  
*Kilgore, Texas*

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**Richard Fothergill** - June 15, 2016 at 10:58 AM

JC

“ Jonathan, Peggy, Karey Ann & Christina purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.



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**Jonathan, Peggy, Karey Ann & Christina** - June 15, 2016 at 10:27 AM

RB

“ Hanging around the Newton home as a teenager was always a blast. "Beanie" was one of "us girls". Lots of talks and laughter, with an occasional "Cindy!", around the kitchen table. Her smile was contagious. I always looked forward to our family reunions so that we "could shoot the breeze." She will be missed by everyone who was so lucky to have known her.

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**Rox Ann Bacak-Slavik** - June 15, 2016 at 10:16 AM

PK

“ Sweetness and sunshine left the earth when Lorraine went home to the Lord. My sister Theresa couldn't have asked for a better mother-in-law, and Lorraine treated me and my husband and children like family too. Our hearts break for you Odis, and for all your family, but like you we can only look forward to being with her again when we are called home; and we better be good, because trust me, this lady is in heaven. with love from peggy

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**Peggy Kalich** - June 15, 2016 at 09:45 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.



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June 15, 2016 at 09:40 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.



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June 15, 2016 at 09:22 AM



“ *Lorraine was such a great lady! She was so nice to us kids when we were in school; everyone was welcome at her home.*

*Odis, Cindy, Bill & Bruce, my deepest condolences on the loss of your wife and mother; she will be missed by all who were fortunate enough to know her.*

*Martin*

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**Martin Strarup, III** - June 15, 2016 at 08:12 AM



“ *Deeply sorry for your loss, my condolences to the family*

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**Dodie Everts** - June 15, 2016 at 08:03 AM

JR

“ *Mr. Newton & family,  
We are so sorry for your loss. You are all in  
our hearts and prayers.*

*Clarence & Judy (Merta) Rohan*



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**Judy (Merta) Rohan** - June 15, 2016 at 07:37 AM

TN

“ *One of the sweetest ladies I've ever known. Always ready with hug  
and a smile. Timmie Naiser*

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**Timmie Naiser** - June 15, 2016 at 06:41 AM



“ *It takes a minute to find a special person, an hour to appreciate them, and a day to love them, but it takes an entire lifetime to forget them.—Anonymous*

*This beautiful quote sums up the love and feelings I have for Mrs. Newton. She was and always will be remembered as the most sweetest, loving and beautiful person. Always smiling and giving hugs. She would never hurt anyone.*

*And she loved her sweetheart, Odie, “Mr. Newt” to my family. The Newts” have always been a delight to have as neighbors, the best that anyone could ask for. And I’ve been lucky to call them neighbor since I was a preteen. They have never changed. Their love for each other is a blessing.*

*Mrs. Newton had a great love all her life, and that is why she was able to share that love with everyone she meet. Myself and my family miss her dearly, as you would your mom. And our love extends to Odie. They have always been there, just an arm’s reach away.*

*Love, Hugs and Prayers to Lorraine, Odie and their family and friends*

*---John and Janice Pospisil*

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**Janice Pospisil** - June 15, 2016 at 02:38 AM

KV

*Beautiful quote Janice and I could not agree with you more. Mrs. Newton was a very special lady that God put on this earth and she was a blessing to all that knew her. Kim Vanek*

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**Kim Vanek** - June 15, 2016 at 07:24 AM

DH

“ *Diana & Phil Huvar lit a candle in memory of Lorraine Mae Newton*



**Diana & Phil Huvar** - June 14, 2016 at 09:29 PM

JA

*Odie and family, just learned your loss. My heart and prayers go out to you. Lorraine will be missed by all. Jack Anderson*

**Jack Anderson** - June 14, 2016 at 09:54 PM

BM

“ *May God be very close to you and in his loving way Bobby Merta*

**Bobby Merta** - June 14, 2016 at 08:41 PM

BM

“ *Odis I hated to see the bad news ....she was such a beautiful person inside and out. I know she will truly be missed by you and all your family. Asking God to be there for all your family thru these tough days.. God Bless Butch and Bernie*

**Bernie Medford** - June 14, 2016 at 06:34 PM

 Janie Roehl

“ *Bill and Cindy,  
So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Although I didn't know her personally, I know she had to be a special lady to have a son and daughter like the 2 of you. My sincere sympathy and prayers for all of you.  
Janie Roehl*

**Janie Roehl** - June 14, 2016 at 05:24 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lorraine Mae Newton.*



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June 14, 2016 at 03:20 PM



“ *Dear Newton Family,  
Our prayers go out to each and every one of you, Lorraine was a special lady in many ways, lots of fun and laughter all the time, she will be missed dearly.*



*Kathy Koudela  
Guy Hill*

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**kathy koudela** - June 14, 2016 at 11:23 AM



*So very sorry for your loss. We know she is giving those wonderful happy hugs in heaven. God Bless.  
Harlo and Rhonda Atchetee*

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**rhonda** - June 14, 2016 at 02:00 PM



*Lorraine always had a sweet smile & welcomed everyone. God just received the sweetest angel. Prayers for your family Nelda Adams & Bill Horton*

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**Nelda Adams** - June 14, 2016 at 02:33 PM

MB

*So very sad to read about the loss of Lorraine. We both have fond memories of time spent with the Newton family. May God bless you and hold you close in this time of great sorrow. My love, Paul and Melody Bacak, San Antonio, TX*

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**melody bacak** - June 14, 2016 at 03:26 PM

BC

*She was a gracious & sweet lady that always had a smile for everyone. God give her family peace & comfort.  
Robert & Becky Chomout*

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**Becky Chomout** - June 14, 2016 at 04:19 PM

RJ

*Such a sweet lady. So sorry to hear of her passing. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. May you find comfort from your family and friends in the days ahead.  
Rae Ann Johnson*

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**Rae Ann Johnson** - June 14, 2016 at 06:45 PM

BA

*My thoughts and prayers for Miss Lorianne's family. She was such a sweet lady that I'm thankful to have known.*

*Love - Barbara Anderson*

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**Barbara Anderson** - June 14, 2016 at 06:53 PM

JG

*Cindy, I am sorry to hear about the passing of your Mother. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers!*

*With Love,  
Jennie Slovak Gradick*

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**Jennie Slovak Gradick** - June 14, 2016 at 07:15 PM

LP

*Cindy,  
So sorry for your loss. Your mother was always smiles, giving hugs,  
and sharing great stories! She will be missed by many!! Your family is  
in my prayers!  
Love, Laura Prihoda*

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**Laura Prihoda** - June 14, 2016 at 09:34 PM

SH

*Cindy,  
I was sadden to hear the news about your beautiful mom passing  
away. My thoughts and prayers are with each and everyone of  
you. Praying our Heavenly Father will wrap his loving arms around you  
all and will give you strength during this very sad time in your life.*

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**Silvia Hogan** - June 15, 2016 at 02:41 AM