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Obituaries



Conley

Maudie Virginia (Watson) Conley, 85, went to be with the Lord on Saturday, December 10, 2016, after a short illness. Maudie was a Christian woman who never met a stranger, always ready to help family, friends, or anyone in need. Visitation was held all day Monday, December 12, 2016, at Shaffer Funeral Home in Robert Lee with family present from 5 pm to 7 pm. Funeral services were held at 3 pm Tuesday, December 13, 2016, at First United Methodist Church in Robert Lee, Texas. Burial followed the service at the Robert Lee Cemetery. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Maudie was born on February 20, 1931, to Thomas Wesley Watson and Myrtle Mae (Bessent) Watson in Robert Lee, Texas. She graduated from Robert Lee High School and San Angelo College that she attended on academic scholarship.

Maudie married John Quinn Conley on September 16, 1951. They were happily married 52 years until John's death in 2004.

Together they raised four children in the Perkins-Prothro Oil Camp in Coke County near Silver, Texas. When their kids were in high school, the family moved to Robert Lee in Coke County. While living there she worked for the district attorney in San Angelo.

In 1975, Maudie and John moved to Wichita Falls where John was production superintendent for the Perkins-Prothro Company. In Wichita Falls, Maudie worked for the Wichita County Sheriff's Department and later for the Wichita County Tax Office. John and Maudie retired in

1992 and returned to Robert Lee to live the remainder of their lives. They were active members of the Robert Lee First United Methodist Church where Maudie sang in the choir.

Maudie was always a loving and proud mother of her four children and a proud and loving grandmother for their families including her nine grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. One of her joys in life was attending as many of her children's - and later her grandchildren's and great-grandchildren's - school and sports events.

One of the highlights of the Conley family were the summer gatherings on the Llano River when her children were growing up and, later, at Possum Kingdom Lake where more than 30 family members would gather for several days to enjoy her delicious food, play games, share stories, and give the grandchildren and the great-grandchildren the opportunity to grow up together and share life-long experiences, memories and lasting friendships. Everyone loved being with their "Mamaw!"

Maudie was preceded in death by her parents, Thomas and Myrtle Mae Watson; her brother, Jimmy Watson; her husband,



RLCC Thanksgiving! Residents of the Robert Lee Care Center enjoyed the annual Thanksgiving Luncheon last month with family and friends. There were over 250 who attended the luncheon which began with a welcome and prayer by the Administrator, John Rainbolt. The wonderful meal was served by members of the staff and prepared by the dietary department. Everyone enjoyed the gospel music provided by Carlos Caballero and Jody Rodriguez during the luncheon. This event would not be possible without the hard work of staff and the volunteers from the Robert Lee School basketball teams.

John Conley; and her daughter-in-law, Debbie Conley.

She is survived by her four children, Gayle and husband Bobby Bolding of Robert Lee, Quinn Conley and wife Brenda of Abilene, Jackie and husband Lee Grace of Wichita Falls, and Mike Conley and partner Luann Robinson of San Angelo; grandchildren, Daisy and husband Joe Blair of Abilene, Cara and husband Charlie Deanda of Spring Branch, Andrea and Kirby Freeman of Waco, Bree Sherwood and husband Adam Morgan of Robert Lee, Brady Bolding of Robert Lee, Jenny and husband Chris Bruner of Wichita Falls, Jonathan and Rachel Grace of Dallas, Sam Conley of San Angelo, and Stacie and husband

Justin Dickey of San Angelo, and fifteen great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to the First United Methodist Church of Robert

Lee Building Fund or a charity of your choice.

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 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
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 5 pm Worship
 6 pm Youth
 Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting

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 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte
 (325) 473-3281
 Rev. Everette Boyce, Pastor
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship

Forgiven Ministries
 117 W. Main, Bronte
 Russ Frasier, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am
 Tuesday 6 pm Table Time

St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm

4C Cowboy Church
 Texas Theater, Downtown Bronte
 Pastor James Brunson
 Sunday, 10:30 am

Coke County

Pecan Baptist
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Pastor
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 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Robert Lee

Bible Baptist Church
 PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin
 Robert Lee, Joe Hodges, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School,
 11 am & 6 pm Worship,

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 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Pastor Tim Wood (325) 453-2360
 Sundays 2 pm, Thursdays 7 pm

First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417
 Cyndi Weidner, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship, 5 pm Choir Practice

Iglesia Bautista Betel
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 Sun. 9:45 am • Sunday School
 11 am Service • Bible Study Wed. 6 pm

Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee (325) 453-2176
 Jordan Arnold, Preacher
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship

Northside Church of Christ
 PO Box 508
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2685, (806) 543-2118 or
 (325) 473-1053
 Services: Sun. 10 am

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sat. 6 pm

Robert Lee Baptist Church
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724
 Danny White, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

Victory Assembly of God
 (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638
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 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study

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 Hwy 277 • Tennyson
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 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

FREE CHRISTMAS DINNER

December 25, 11 am to 1 pm

or until we run out

We will not take reservations.

Plates will be served on a first come, first served

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Meal to include ham, mashed potatoes, gravy,
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Merry Christmas
 from our kitchen to you!

