

Amarillo

Carole Ann Crawford

Carole Ann Crawford, 70, of Amarillo died Saturday, Feb. 11, 2012.

Services will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in LaGrone-Blackburn-Shaw Coulter Road Chapel with the Rev. Jim Fox, chaplain of Accolade Hospice, officiating. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery. Arrangements are by LaGrone-Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors, Coulter Road Chapel, 8310 S. Coulter St.

Mrs. Crawford was born April 20, 1941, in Cooper to Wallace and Avis Thompson. She grew up in Amarillo and was a member of the first graduating class at Tascosa High School in 1959. She attended both Frank Phillips College and Amarillo College and earned her nursing degree from West Texas State University. Carole worked for many years as a registered nurse for Saint Anthony's and Baptist Saint Anthony's. She specialized in psychiatric nursing. Carole was later house supervisor at Ware Memorial Hospital. At the time of her passing, she owned and operated Uniforms Plus in Amarillo. She was a long-time member of San Jacinto Methodist Church.

She married Jimmy Crawford on Nov. 12, 1981. Carole loved people and had a great sense of humor. She always had a good joke to share. She had a photographic memory and was extremely knowledgeable about history and geography. She was a devoted and loving wife, mother and grandmother and loved her family dearly. Carole loved spending time with her family and loved taking her grandchildren on special trips.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Survivors include her husband, Jimmy; a daughter Kimberly Wil-



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liams and husband Danny of Bushland; a sister, Sharon Harris and husband Gary of Amarillo; four grandchildren, Michael, Ethan, Lindsey and Garrett; two great-grandchildren, Cannon and Lylah; a nephew, Brent Lane and wife Shannon; three great nieces, Jayme, Whitney and Emily; two step-daughters, Kay Patterson and husband Joey and Carol Russell; six step-grandchildren, Elliot, Morgan, Hanna, Cole, Jason and Jaime, and her special friends, Daniel and Norma Chacon.

The family wishes to express their heartfelt thanks to all the staff at Odyssey Hospice Care for their love and compassion.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 pm Tuesday evening at the funeral home.

The family suggests memorials to National Kidney Foundation, 801 S. Fillmore St., Suite 460 D, Amarillo, TX 79101.

Sign the online guest book at www.lagroneblackburnshaw.com.