



Jerry Jo Adams

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Adams, Jerry Jo (Scarborough) entered the loving arms of Our Lord on Easter Sunday April 4, 2021 at the age of 84. She was born in Houston, Texas to Raymond Lewis Scarborough and Geraldine (Jerry) Varner Scarborough on November 20, 1936.

She graduated from Stephen F. Austin High School in Houston where she excelled as a twirler, Drum Major, and competitive synchronized swimmer. In 1958, she graduated from Sam Houston State University, formerly Sam Houston State Teachers college with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education with minors in Fine Arts, English, and Social Studies. While at SHSU she was president of her Alpha Delta Pi Sorority, served on Student Government and was chosen as Miss Sam Houston, as well as participated in numerous other campus organizations. She spent many years as an educator in both Houston and Huntsville, Texas teaching Pre-Kindergarten and Second Grade. Her last ten years of teaching prior to her retirement was with the Windham Independent School District, a division within the Texas Department of Corrections as a correctional educator in Adult Education. She was a Sunday School teacher and coordinator of Vacation Bible School in Bryan, Texas. Served as Vice President of the PTA in Huntsville, Texas, was Secretary of the Huntsville Study Club, fund raiser for the Junior Service League, and was a committee member in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Jerry Jo was preceded in death by her parents Raymond and Jerry Scarborough and her two younger brothers Raymond Scarborough, Jr. and Tommy Scarborough.

The thing that meant the most and brought Jerry Jo the most joy was the love she had for her family. She leaves to cherish her memories and is survived by; daughter Sherry Adams, and sons Mark (Amy) Adams and Brian Adams. Three grandchildren Alexis (Josh) Dotzler, Jake Adams, and Ireland Sutton, and three great grandchildren Colton, Hunter, and Tenley along with many other relatives and friends.



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The Adams family will be receiving friends and family on Saturday, April 10, 2021 with visitation at 1:00 pm, at South Park Funeral Home, Pearland, Texas. The Funeral service will begin at 2:00 pm for anyone that would like to join the family. For those unable to attend the funeral service, the funeral service will be LIVESTREAM via the obituary online.

To access livestream for the service, please click link below:

<http://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/viewer/51773/hash:2A4C761E69437E76>



Events


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Visitation

 **Saturday**, April 10, 2021

 1:00 PM CT


 **South Park Chapel**
1310 North Main Street, Pearland TX 77581

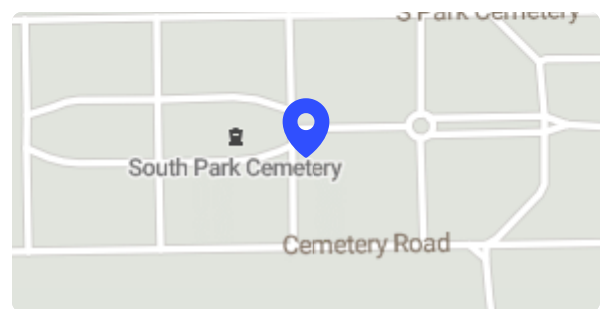


Funeral Service

 **Saturday**, April 10, 2021

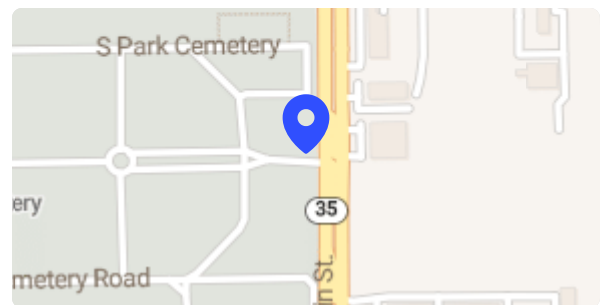
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Cemetery Details

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Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Adams family.

April 9 at 1:41 PM



Kim Elorriaga posted:

Fifty-one years ago I was lucky enough to befriend Sherry and the entire Adams clan. Even at the age of 10, I thought "Sherry's Mom" was so elegant and sexy. She had a way of telling it like it was yet also had an ease about her. She was sassy and dramatic yet kind and comforting (like the time she picked me up from the stables and cared for me because I was having a severe heat stroke and my mom wasn't home). Life would have not been the same had Sherry and I not be introduced to Erica Kane at such a tender age, thanks to JJ. My most fond memories have to be from hauling horses around and of course, the infamous yearly Spring Roundup at the three family ranches; Sherry and I were head cow pokes. We were up before dawn to start herding in the cows and calves for the day's work. Upon arrival at the pens, JJ always had plenty ready for us to eat since we had to skip breakfast due our important pre-dawn mission. I did not have brothers so Mark and Brian were forces to behold in their own right. They gave JJ a run for her money but she was also their head cheerleader in life at at countless all-star achievements in sports. I quite think she enjoyed the chaos as a form of amusement, in spite of it all. Beautiful memories of JJ. xoxoKim Elorriaga

April 8 at 3:35 PM



Janice And Ronnie Choate lit a candle in honor of Jerry Jo.

April 8 at 3:53 AM



Your Family At Adesa Houston sent a Heavenly Heights Bouquet to the Adams family.

April 7 at 9:37 AM



Tony & Sharon Frankenberger sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Adams family.

April 7 at 6:56 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jerry Jo by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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