



Marcella Ann (Porter) Samuel

April 3, 1933 - August 8, 2020

Marcella Ann (Porter) Samuel; 87 of Madisonville, TX; passed away on Saturday, August 8, 2020 in College Station, TX. She was born in Conroe, TX on April 3, 1933 to Harold and Helen (Crocker) Porter. Marcella married her beloved husband, Robert Eugene "Bob" Samuel, Jr. in 1953 and they were married for 66 loving years. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother and sister, and her loving husband.

Our Nana; our safe haven, our giving tree, our family's mighty oak of righteousness - small and seemingly frail in stature, but enormous in love, generosity, and strength.

Marcella shared her spiritual gifts of wisdom and selfless generosity to everyone that knew her. She never liked the spot light but she loved shedding God's light and love to everyone she met, especially her beloved late husband, her 3 daughters, her 10 grandchildren, and her 9 great grandchildren whom she delighted in and doted on. In Nana's presence, you could feel the friendly warmth and loving grace of Jesus Christ.

Marcella was a wonderful cook. She enjoyed God's creation and spent much time tending her flowers and watching birds. She loved learning and reading and she was an exceptional writer and speaker. Marcella shared her gifts as she taught children and then led a women's Sunday School for nearly 20 years. She never missed a horse show, a track meet, or a football game. Our Nana has always been our encourager, a listening ear, a cheerful giver, and our prayer warrior. She stood resolutely upon the solid foundation of Jesus Christ, all the days of her life, and she left a beautiful example of a Proverbs 31 woman.

A private service for the family will be scheduled at a later date. Day Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

TF

“ Cindy I'm very sorry to about your passing the merchant family are y'all prayers your mom was a very loving kind person when I met her she always have that beautiful smile on her face remember god will help you and sisters to heal always keep her memories alive god you all Thelma merchant

thelma faye merchant cindy school frien - August 15, 2020 at 02:26 PM

CW

“ Sandra and I had the opportunity of raising our girls along with Sindy, Amy, and Lydia, which gave us the privilege of sharing time with Marcella and Bobby. They were a highly respected family in the Madisonville Community and First baptist Church. It was our privilege to teach Sunday School Classes with them, as they were both regarded as dedicated Christian Leaders. In the absence of Mr. Samuel, Marcella had continued to be faithful in serving the Lord in her church and community. The Samuel Family has been acknowledged as cornerstones of the Madisonville Community. May God continue to bless you in their losses. Colvin and Sandra Walker



Colvin and Sandra Walker - August 14, 2020 at 02:40 PM

DR

“ I knew the first time I met Marcella that she was a Child of God. She was a true Lady that will be missed by many. RIP

Dorothy Rawlinson - August 13, 2020 at 01:29 AM

DM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.



Dan & Carolyn Madole - August 11, 2020 at 11:35 AM

CB

“ Sindy, Amy and Lydia

Although this has been a painful year of loss for you, take comfort in the truth that your parents are now united forever in eternal and Heavenly bliss. May our Lord and Savior give you peace in this difficult time.

Clifford Barnett - August 11, 2020 at 09:38 AM

GB

“ I am thankful that God blessed me by putting Marcella in my life. She was one of the most Godly women that I have ever known. She taught and led our Sunday School class for many years and for that I am so thankful. Marcella was a true example of what a Christian should strive to be like. She not only led by her advice. She led by her Christlike walk when never wavered.

Marcella was a true friend to me. I could always go to her with my prayers and concerns and she would give me Godly advice. For that I am also so grateful.

We will miss you, Marcella. Now it is our turn to take up your torch for Christ to lead the next generation as you have led us.

May God give your family strength, comfort, and peace.

Glyna Brown - August 11, 2020 at 08:49 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Marcella Ann (Porter) Samuel.



August 10, 2020 at 05:24 PM

BS

“ I pray that God's loving arms of comfort surround all of you. Marcella was a wonderful friend, an exemplary teacher, and always a kind encourager. She will be greatly missed.

Betty Smith

Betty Smith - August 10, 2020 at 03:48 PM

CP

“ It seemed like every time Clyde and I ate seafood in Huntsville we ran into your Dad and Mom. Always smiling and friendly. I would often see her getting her hair done at Bruce’s and we would visit and laugh. The Samuels are a beautiful family. They are missed.

Cathy Parker - August 10, 2020 at 01:23 PM