

Marlene Jo Anderson | 1931-2015

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Marlene Jo Anderson, 84, of Decatur, died Sunday, Nov. 22, 2015, in Decatur.

No service will be held.

Marlene was born July 17, 1931, in Lincoln, Neb., to Howard and Helen (Olson) Kelly. She married Thomas W. Anderson Dec. 30, 1974, in Durant, Okla. Marlene received her associate's degree from Baylor School of Nursing in Dallas.

She was a member of The Daughters of the American Revolution, Umpqua Chapter in Roseburg, Ore., and Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 543 in Decatur. Marlene was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Decatur.

She was preceded in death by her parents; son Patrick McDaniel; and sister Judy Pope.

She is survived by her husband of 40 years, Tom Anderson of Decatur; brother James Kelly and wife, Vel, of Mili Lani, Hawaii; daughter Shawna McDaniel of West Springfield, Mass.; stepchildren Diane Castillo and husband, Bruce, of Missouri City, Wayne Anderson and wife, Lucy, of Yorkville, Ill., and Danna Perry and husband, Scott, of Laguna Niguel, Calif.; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Memorials may be sent to the Alzheimer's Association-North Central Texas Chapter, 2630 W. Freeway, Ste. 100, Fort Worth, TX, 76102-7117.