




Mrs. Nancy Lou Murdock

December 30, 1934 - December 29, 2015

Nancy Lou Boyd Murdock died on December 29, 2015, in Denton, Texas. She was born in Coleman, Texas to S.J. and Elena Barton Boyd on December 30, 1934. She attended schools in San Antonio and Fort Worth and graduated from Krum High School in 1953. During her high school years she was active in 4H and won various honors including those for dress design and sewing. Soon after graduation she married her high school boyfriend, Al Murdock. They both enrolled at North Texas State. In 1955 they had their first son, John Stephen, and in 1956 their second son, Randall Boyd. In 1958 they graduated from North Texas. In 1962, a third son, Anthony Carlyle was born. Nancy was a great-grand daughter of Susannah McCombs Boyd, one of the early settlers of the Flower Mound area. Nancy taught in public schools at all levels in Fort Worth, Judson, and Texas City, Texas, Olivia, Minnesota, Deerfield, Illinois and White Plains, NY. While they lived in the Chicago area, she earned her Master's degree in Education in Evanston and while they lived in Westchester County, New York, she got her law degree and practiced law for several years in New York. During that time, among her clients were the New York Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church and the Mission Agency of the Presbyterian Church, USA, while it was headquartered in New York City and after it moved to Louisville, KY. When she returned to Texas, she practiced in Denton and then in Dallas. Near the end of her working years she returned to teaching, again in Fort Worth schools. Besides loving her family, God, friends and country, she greatly enjoyed traveling and reading, bird-watching, rock-

hunting and most of her work. She visited every state in the union, nearly all of Europe, including the old Soviet Union, a large portion of Asia and a bit of Africa and Central America. She is survived by her husband, Al, of Denton, her sons Steve and his wife, Mary, of Woodinville, WA, Randy and his wife, Ines of Brookfield, CT, and Tony, and his wife, Julie of Roswell, GA. She is also survived by her sisters, Jonita Borchardt of Krum and Betty Burns of Denton, as well as eight grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Her brother George Boyd, died in 2014. There will be no funeral service. A Memorial Service will take place on a date to be announced later. Arrangements are under the direction of Denton Funeral Home. Condolences may be left for the family at www.dentonfuneralhome.net.

Tribute Wall

 Carole
Lidster
Wheeler

“ So sorry for your loss such a sweet lady may
she R. I. P. Prayers for the family



Carole Lidster Wheeler - March 30, 2016 at 10:23 PM

DR

“ Al - deepest condolences from Span, Inc. You are in our thoughts
and prayers.

Span Staff

Deb Robertson - January 07, 2016 at 02:31 PM

SP

“ Al and family, I am sorry to hear of your loss. May the wonderful
memories of your wife and mother carry you through the days and
months ahead. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Blessings,

Steve Pickett

Steve Pickett - January 03, 2016 at 05:02 PM

AR

“ Steve,

My sympathies to you and your family.

Alan Rose

Alan Rose - January 03, 2016 at 03:05 PM

PS

“ Dear Murdock family,

I remember how much we all enjoyed meeting Nancy when your family came out to Massachusetts for Steve and Mary's wedding. She was a most gracious and accomplished woman. We are very sorry for your loss.

*With sincere sympathy,
Pat Shanahan and family*

Patricia Shanahan - January 03, 2016 at 10:04 AM

JR

“ Al and family, so sorry to hear about Nancy's passing. I received a card when my mom died and I would like to share the verse with you.

I like to think of the sunbeams in the sky as those we love in heaven, reaching down to remind us they are not very far away. Wishing you moments where you feel wrapped up in the warmth of your memories. Judy McKinney Ratzlaff.

Judy McKinney Ratzlaff - January 02, 2016 at 03:08 PM

AK

“ I am so sorry to hear of Nancy's passing. Your family is in my thoughts.

Alicia Koeninger - January 01, 2016 at 08:34 PM

LJ

“ Lisa Jessie sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nancy Lou Murdock



Lisa Jessie - January 01, 2016 at 01:28 PM

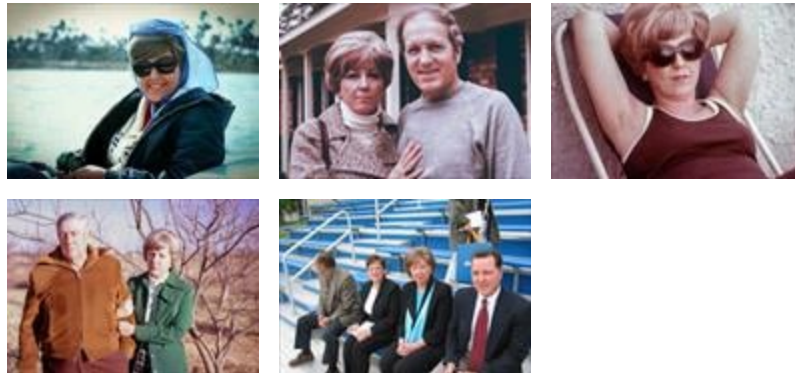
LJ

“ Love and prayers to the Murdock family. I will miss my beautiful Aunt Nancy, but will remember her always. She was lovely, elegant, witty, and I always enjoyed the time I got to spend talking with her. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers as you begin to heal from this great loss. May the wonderful memories of her life bring you great consolation. Thank you for these beautiful photos.

Lisa Jessie - January 01, 2016 at 01:19 PM

SM

“ 27 files added to the tribute wall



Steve Murdock - January 01, 2016 at 09:44 AM

BB

“ *I think one of my fondest memories of Nancy is rocking hunting in Lake City with her and Jonita. We had so much fun and delighted in the jeep trips and beautiful countryside. When you heard the word "Rock!" yelled out, that meant stop the car and everyone piled out to look. I am missing you so much, Nancy, but I know you are at peace with God. Love forever, Betty*

Betty Burns - January 01, 2016 at 07:33 AM

DM

“ *Words cannot describe the love and respect I had for Nancy. She was a great influence in my life and I will be forever grateful. Rest in peace.*

Diane Murdock - December 31, 2015 at 09:01 PM

SM

“ 4 files added to the album New Album Name



Steve Murdock - December 31, 2015 at 07:53 PM

SM

“ Steve Murdock lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Nancy Lou Murdock



Steve Murdock - December 30, 2015 at 05:57 PM

SM

“ Thank you dear Mother for loving and guiding us through life. Steve

Steve Murdock - December 30, 2015 at 05:56 PM