



Erna Lydia Emma Kuskie

April 19, 1931 - November 27, 2022

Erna Lydia Emma Kuskie passed from this life on November 27, 2022 at age 91. She was born on April 19, 1931 in Harrold, Texas to Karl and Lydia (Reinhardt) Zoch. Erna grew up in Harrold, Texas and graduated from Oklaunion High School. She then went on to the University of Colorado in Boulder graduating with degrees in Organ and Church Music. She attended Concordia Teachers College in River Forest, Illinois and attended classes at John Hopkins University in Baltimore. She started a school at Glen Burnie, Maryland at the St. Paul Church. She was the organist at Grace Lutheran Church in Boulder, Co. She taught school at St. Mark in Houston, Texas, Zion Lutheran in Brighton, Colorado and at Bethlehem in Wheat Ridge, Co. She was a longtime member of the Lutheran Church, attending in Granite. Erna liked to cook, especially baking, but she loved to sew and quilt, making thousands of quilts for children.

She is survived by her son Robert Kuskie of Altus, daughters Sherrie Kuskie of Bartlesville, Cherie Basto and husband Sean of Altus and Michelle Stuard of Kansas, and sister Edna Lange and husband Kenneth of Arizona. Erna leaves a legacy of four grandchildren, Ryan, Gabriel, Samson and Emmagrace. She is also survived by nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of other relatives and friends.

Services for Erna are scheduled for Friday, December 2, 2022, 10:00 A.M., at the St. Johns Lutheran Church in Granite with Pastor B.J. Armstrong and Deacon Dean Graumann officiating. Interment will follow at Wilbarger

Memorial Park Cemetery in Vernon, Texas at 2:30 P.M.

Public viewing for Erna will begin Thursday, December 1, 2022, at 2:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M., Peoples Cooperative Funeral Home, located at 1400 West Main, Lone Wolf, 580-846-9018.

On-line condolences can be made for Erna by visiting www.peoplescooperativefuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Erna Lydia Emma Kuskie*

October 08, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Erna Lydia Emma Kuskie*

October 04, 2023 at 11:28 PM



“ *She has been in my heart for many years. Miss. Zoch was my 1st, 2ns & 3rd grade teacher at St. Mark's Lutheran School, Houston, Texas. Also a distant cousin. She will always be special to me.*

Delphine Zoch Michna - January 09, 2023 at 04:25 PM



“ *Erna was a sweet, kind and caring person. I knew her as a dedicated 4-H leader who gave many hours helping youth in Jackson County.*

Mitzi Pate - December 09, 2022 at 11:21 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. Erna was such a beautiful person inside and out. I was honored to meet her and work with her at the library in Altus. I have missed seeing her. Love her so much.*
Tammy

Tammy Davis - December 01, 2022 at 09:48 AM

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I was sorry to hear of Erna's death. Didn't realize she was so ill--even though I knew she had mobility issues. She and I exchanged birthday cards and I wondered why I didn't get one this year. God be with you as you grieve your loss. I remember her with fondness. Kathie Gerdes

Katherine Gerdes - December 01, 2022 at 04:23 PM