

Joyce Ann Allen, 89, entered the Gates of Heaven on March 11, 2026, ready to start her new life in eternity healed and whole. Born on November 22, 1936, to LD. and Edith Vaughn. Joyce grew up in Lubbock, Texas and graduated from Lubbock High School.

She met and married Jerry Williamson, Sr and raised 3 sons before his passing in 1976.

Joyce dedicated a decade of her career to the American Quarter Horse Association, where she contributed her skills and talents. She later met and married LC (Jack) Allen in 1986, who passed away in 2018.

She was a longtime member of Arden Road Baptist Church, where her faith was a cornerstone of her life. Known for her kindness and warmth, Joyce touched the lives of everyone who knew her. Her grandkids remember her as “a pinnacle of kindness”

In her leisure time, Joyce enjoyed sewing, immersing herself in English mysteries, and listening to music—especially gospel hymns that brought her great joy. Her beloved basset hound Beva was a cherished companion who brought additional comfort and happiness to her days.

Joyce is lovingly remembered by Gary and Michele Williamson of Temple, Texas; Jerry Williamson Jr. of Amarillo, Texas; Larry Williamson of Amarillo, Texas; Bill and Poyon Allen of Temecula, California; Larry and Pokye Allen of Madison, Alabama; as well as four grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

May Joyce’s memory bring comfort to all who were fortunate enough to know her.

## In Loving Memory



*Joyce Ann Allen*

November 22, 1936

March 11, 2026



***The Twenty-Third Psalm***

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;  
He leadeth me beside the still waters;  
He restoreth my soul.  
He leadeth me in the paths of  
righteousness for His name's sake...  
Yea, though I walk through the  
valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me;  
Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in  
the presence of mine enemies;  
Thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over...  
surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life and I will dwell  
in the House of the Lord forever....*

*Joyce Ann Allen*

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**FUNERAL SERVICE**

Arden Road Baptist Church

2:00 PM

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

**OFFICIANT**

Stephen Jones, minister

**INTERMENT**

Memory Gardens Cemetery

Amarillo, Texas

