

## OBITUARY

*Janet Elizabeth (Collins) Mitchell, a cherished prayer warrior and beloved member of her church community, passed away on April 24, 2026, in Cleburne, Texas. Born on October 17, 1959, in San Angelo, Texas, Janet lived a life marked by devotion, love, and simplicity.*

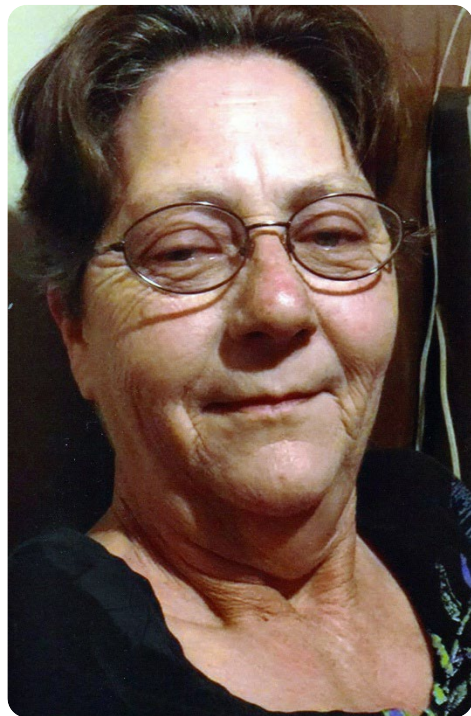
*Janet was a woman whose heart deeply resonated with faith and family. She was known for her unwavering commitment to her church, where she found strength and purpose. Beyond her spiritual life, she delighted in the simple joys of cooking and had a particular fondness for cooking shows, which reflected her warm and nurturing spirit. Janet treasured her role as a mother and grandmother, often referred to affectionately as "Nana," and took immense pride in her family's achievements and happiness.*

*A dedicated professional, Janet devoted twelve years to serving the Cleburne Independent School District, contributing meaningfully to her community's educational landscape. Her work reflected her caring nature and commitment to others.*

*Janet was preceded in death by her parents, Marrie and Eda Collins, as well as her siblings James Collins Jr., Mary Lou Stephens, and Russell Collins. Survivors include her devoted husband of fifty years, Jerry Mitchell Sr.; her children, Jerry Mitchell Jr. and his wife, Christina, Edmon Mitchell and his wife, Jessica, Karrie Wilson and her husband, Cody, and Ethan Mitchell and his wife, Jessica; her stepson, Cecil Peck; her grandchildren, Zachary Mitchell, Hailey Mitchell, Abigail Mitchell, Dakota Mitchell, Danielle Mitchell, Patrick Wilson, Peyton Mitchell, Evelyn Wilson, Hannah Mitchell, and Emma Mitchell; her step-grandchildren, Tristan Peck, Cecil Peck Jr., Joey Peck, and Nicole Banda; her great-grandchildren, Ivy Torres, Weston Mitchell, Benjamin Mitchell, and Nathaniel Mitchell; her siblings, William Collins and his wife, Doty, and Michael Collins and his wife, Brenda; as well as numerous other friends and relatives.*

*Janet Elizabeth Mitchell will be remembered as a simple yet profoundly strong woman, whose love for her family and faith was the cornerstone of her life. Her passing leaves a space that will be deeply felt, yet her memory remains a guiding light for all who knew her. We honor her life and the many roles she embraced with such warmth and devotion.*

## Celebrating the Life of



**Janet Elizabeth Mitchell**

## When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

When tomorrow starts without me  
please try and understand, That an angel  
came and called my name, and took  
me by the hand; The angel said my  
place was ready, In Heaven far above,  
And that I'd have to leave behind all  
those I dearly love. But when I walked  
through Heavens's Gates, I felt so much  
at home, for God looked down, smiled  
at me, And told me "Welcome Home."  
So when tomorrow starts without me,  
Don't think we're far apart, for every  
time you think of me, I'm right  
there in your heart.

## IN MEMORY OF *Janet Elizabeth Mitchell*

### **BORN**

*Saturday, October 17, 1959  
San Angelo, Texas*

### **PASSED AWAY**

*Friday, April 24, 2026  
Cleburne, Texas*

### **SERVICE**

*11:00 AM  
Thursday, April 30, 2026  
Calvary Baptist Church*

### **OFFICIATING**

*Reverend Brooks Monk*

### **PALLBEARERS**

*Patrick Wilson Zachary Mitchell  
Cecil Peck Ethan Mitchell  
Joey Speer Jerry Mitchell, Jr.*

### **HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

*Cody Wilson Edmon Mitchell*

### **FINAL PLACE OF REST**

*Oak Grove Cemetery  
Walnut Springs, Texas*