In Memory of Alta (Cooey) Ervin July 26, 1942 – November 6, 2014



Alta Ervin, 72, of Louisville, Kentucky, passed away on November 6, 2014, at University of Louisville Hospital after a valiant battle with cancer.

A graveside ceremony will be 10 a.m. Saturday, November 15, at Patton Baptist Church in Patton, Texas.

She was born in Mt. Calm, Texas on July 26, 1942, to Johnnie and Jessie Cooey. Alta graduated from Waco High School and then from Navarro Junior College. She retired from Michelin Tire Company in 1991.

For many years Alta knitted sweaters for overseas children as well as sewing hats for cancer patients that were distributed in several states.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Diane and Jason Smith; one brother, Norman Cooey and wife, Kathy; sisters, Edith Walpole and Jesse, Lillie Johnson and Richard, Lorretta Cooey, and Linda Weeks and Larry.

Donations may be made to the James Graham Brown Cancer Center affiliated with University of Louisville Hospital or a charity of your choice.