

Nanny



**"Her children arise and
call her blessed..."
Proverbs 31:28**

The Wife of Noble Character

A wife of noble character who can find?

She is worth far more than rubies.

Her husband has full confidence in her and lacks nothing of value.

She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life.

She selects wool and flax and works with eager hands.

She is like the merchant ships, bringing her food from afar.

She gets up while it is still dark; she provides food for her family and portions for her servant girls.

She considers a field and buys it; out of her earnings she plants a vineyard.

She sets about her work vigorously; her arms are strong for her tasks.

She sees that her trading is profitable, and her lamp does not go out at night.

In her hands she holds the distaff and grasps the spindle with her fingers.

She opens her arms to the poor and extends her hands to the needy.

When it snows, she has no fear for her household; for all of them are clothed in scarlet.

She makes covering for her bed; she is clothed in fine linen and purple.

Her husband is respected at the city gate, where he takes his seat among the elders of the land.

She makes linen garments and sells them, and supplies the merchant with sashes.

She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come.

She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue.

She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness.

Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her:

"Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting; but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.

Give her the reward she has earned, and let works bring her praise at the city gate.

- PROVERBS 31:10-31

Beulah Gray D'Amico was born to Nancy Jane and David King Gray in Johnson County, Texas on November 23, 1905. Beulah's brothers and sisters were Anna, Bill, Jess, Doc, Maggie, Ruby and Della.

Beulah and William D'Amico were married on November 6th, 1925. Born to this union was their only child Billy Gray. On February 5th, 1946 Beulah's first grandchild was born to Billy Gray and Agnes and there after and forever will be known as "Nanny".

Agnes and Nanny from the beginning enjoyed a true Ruth and Naomi relationship which deepened with love & appreciation as the years passed.

The Grandchildren with their families are:

Cecilia D'Amico Hanson – Husband Donald
Children: Michael, Kara, Kimberly

Billy Gray Jr. – Wife Rosanne
Children: Lisa Leigh, Buddy

Donald Ray – Wife Jeanette
Children: Donald, Nicole, William

Melanie D'Amico Faulkner – Husband Tujack
Children: Brandon, Jamie

David – Wife Cindy
Children: momentarily
(Either Courtney Marie or David Ryan)

Elizabeth Garcia "D'Amico" – Husband Jalil Anvari
Children: Alisa, Ava, Atta, Ali

Nanny was a dedicated wife, mother and grandmother, but most of all, she was a submissive servant of her Lord and Savior. Her service included: years of teaching Sunday School, volunteer work at M.D. Anderson Hospital; volunteer work at the Christian Home for the Aged.

At a time in her life when many retire, feeling they are no longer of value, Nanny made a vigorous commitment to spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ. Believing "Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life, but whoever rejects the Son will not see life. For God's wrath remains on him (John 3:36). Nanny knocked doors, conducted personal Bible studies, cleaned kitchens and cooked in South Carolina, West Virginia, New Jersey and Conroe, Texas.

"So you also, when you have done everything
you were told to do, should say, "We are
unworthy servants, we have only done our
duty!" Luke 17:10