



Dana Virginia Underwood Worley

December 24, 1955 - October 23, 2025

Dana Virginia Underwood Worley was born on December 24, 1955 in Dallas, TX to James William and Deloris Nadine (Collins) Underwood. She stepped out of this life and entered into the presence of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on October 23, 2025.

Dana had an outstanding record with Shadyside Nursing Home, which is now Larenwood Nursing and Rehab. She was employed there from 1973 to 1998. She started out as a nurse's aide, then she transferred to housekeeping. She was the Environmental Supervisor for over 12 years, in charge of the total upkeep and maintenance of the facilities, as well as all housekeeping responsibilities. Dana was also the chair of the safety committee and never had a deficiency cited in any of her departments. She was also responsible for inservicing over 40 people on safety and environmental topics on a regular basis. Dana was a leader and an excellent manager who was considered a pleasure to work with by all who crossed her path. To this day, people still ask about and speak very highly of her. Once her time at the nursing home came to a close, Dana retired from Red Oak ISD with 15 dedicated years of service.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 29 years, Jackie Worley; her grandson, Brandon Tidwell; her parents; her siblings, Nadine L Calder, James R. Underwood, Barna J. Davis, and Patsy J. Underwood; as well as her nephews, James G. Underwood and Robert E. Davis.

Dana is survived by her daughter, Barna M. Tidwell and husband, John; her daughter, Sherri R. Morgan and husband, Chance; her grandchildren, Bradley Calder, Savannah Signs, Josh Ryan, and Jonathan L. Tidwell and wife, Paige; her great-grandchildren, MacKenzie Marie Tidwell, Jaxtyn Tidwell, and Suede Tidwell; and numerous precious nieces, nephews, and loved ones she collected throughout the years.

The family will receive friends from 5:00pm to 7:00pm on Thursday, October 30, 2025 at Byrum Funeral Home Chapel. A celebration of Dana's life will be at 11:00am on Friday, October 31, 2025 also at Byrum's. A private interment at Laurel Land will take place later.

Cemetery Details

Laurel Land Memorial Park

6000 S. RL Thornton
Dallas, TX 75232

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **30**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Byrum Funeral Home Chapel
425 N. Dallas Ave.
Lancaster, TX 75146

Celebration of Life

OCT **31**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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425 N. Dallas Ave.
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Tribute Wall

DR

“ Donna Ray planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Virginia Underwood Worley.

Donna Ray - October 31, 2025 at 01:42 PM

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“ Donna Ray purchased the Gable Gift Box for the family of Dana Virginia Underwood Worley.



Donna Ray - October 31, 2025 at 01:42 PM

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“ I am heartbroken that I couldn't be at the funeral,I'm in great pain, and coughing so much I hurt and it truly upsets me to have to missed it. I'm finding it incredibly difficult to express in words just how much I will miss you,Dana. I consider myself incredibly fortunate to have been able to cherish all the wonderful memories we've shared together. She was the kind of person who naturally brought together a large group of cherished friends and family, and her warmth created a truly special and supportive environment for everyone around her. Dana possessed a remarkable gift for making everyone feel truly valued and important. I am almost certain that she never once expressed any lack of appreciation towards anyone, and that is something I truly admire. Her positive and kind nature is such a gift, and honestly, it makes me wish I could possess a fraction of her wonderful personality. Even when we spent an hour together doing absolutely nothing, it always felt like the perfect and most enjoyable time. Dana, thank you for being the amazing person you are, my dearest cousin. I love you very much, Donna(your twin, as we always called each other)

Donna Ray - October 31, 2025 at 01:28 PM

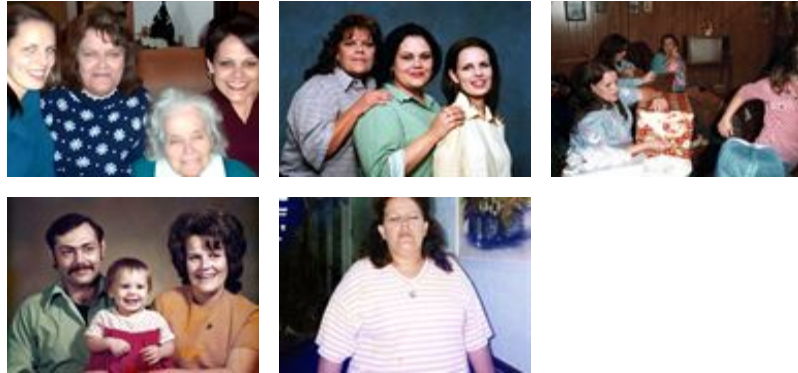
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“ Our most sincere condolences to family and friends. Prayers for strength and comfort today and in the days to come. We were blessed to be Sister Dana's friend & neighbor for many years. Our lives touched through church, prayer, and friendship. May God be with you all today & always.. ❤️🙏

Olivia Saucedá (Luis) - October 30, 2025 at 09:58 AM



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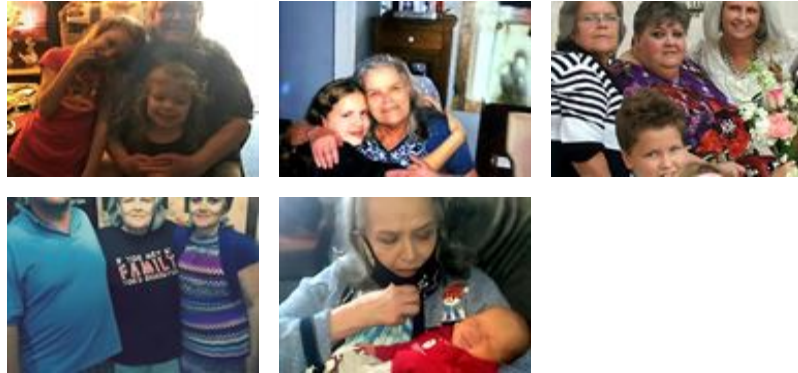


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Byrum Funeral Home - October 28, 2025 at 11:50 AM



“ I will always remember you telling me I had better straighten my butt up, or you were going to send me to Catholic school. Love you so very much, Dana. Love the wild child, Wanda Ann

Wanda waldrop - October 27, 2025 at 01:19 PM



“ Dana your sisters that remain will always Love you and miss you forever ! Love Kaye and Lavada !

Kaye Stinson - October 24, 2025 at 05:49 PM



“ *Rose Impression Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Dana Virginia Underwood Worley.*



October 24, 2025 at 04:45 PM