



## Mrs. Mary Penna Raney

October 6, 1946 - April 1, 2022

Mary Penna Raney, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother left this earth April 1, 2022, to be with her Heavenly Father. Mary was a resident of Crystal Beach, Texas, and long-time member of the Bay Vue United Methodist Church in Crystal Beach. She retired from Wal-Mart in 2011 after 19 1/2 years. Mary's greatest joys in life were volunteering at the church and gathering with family and friends. Hobbies included searching the beach for shark's teeth, visiting the High Island Bird Sanctuary and making cancer awareness bracelets, which she passed out to all she met.

Mary was named Bay Vue Church's Person of the Year in 2018, due to her extensive volunteer work at the church and in the community, even while battling Stage IV cancer. Some of her volunteer work included Care Group Leader at Bay Vue Church, President of the United Methodist Women, part of the church's refreshment team, and mentoring students at Crenshaw Elementary School.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents Bob and Billy Penna, and Mother-in-Law Gene Santos. Mary is survived by Husband Frank Raney, son Wilford Raney of Crystal Beach, daughter Lisa Raney of Crystal Beach, daughter Audra Roddy and Husband Coleman of Port Neches, daughter Tracy Rennison and Husband Richard of Galveston, five grandchildren Chelsey and Mark Novosad of Crystal Beach, Korry McElroy and Josh Mills of

Texas City, Kelsey and Trey RouLaine of Nederland, Hannah Rennison of College Station, Zoe Rennison of West Point Military Academy, NY, and two great-grandchildren Trypp RouLaine and Luke Novosad, brothers Bob Penna and wife Terri of League City, Roy Eugene Penna of Seattle, Washington, sisters Delores Milburn of Pasadena, Bettye Black and Husband George of Houston, Rosalie Penna of Pasadena, sister-in-law Betty Gonzalez of Needville, and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family would like to thank all of the faithful friends that have rallied around Mary and our family, and also would like to thank A-Med Community Hospice for their help to our family and loving care provided to Mary.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, TN, or Bay Vue United Methodist Church in Crystal Beach, TX.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Bay Vue United Methodist Church  
1411 TX-87  
Crystal Beach, TX 77650  
(409) 684-6678

## Memorial Service

APR 9. 12:30 PM (CT)

Bay Vue United Methodist Church  
1411 Highway 87  
Crystal Beach, TX 77550

## Celebration of Life

APR 9 (CT)

Stingaree Restaurant  
1295 N Stingaree Dr.  
Crystal Beach, TX 77550

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mary Penna Raney*

October 05, 2023 at 01:51 AM



“ *Joel Mata lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney*



**Joel Mata** - May 05, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *Christine and Ken Smith purchased the [Memorial Trees](https://www.mcbridefuneralhometexas.com/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney.*

**Christine and Ken Smith** - April 07, 2022 at 09:17 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney.*



April 07, 2022 at 06:17 PM

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“ *What a very classy and wonderful woman it absolutely breaks my heart but she was so strong and so brave through all of this my thoughts And prayers will always be with her and her family a lovely family*

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**Annamarie kaiser** - April 07, 2022 at 06:04 PM

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“ *I will always remember your sweet Mama. I have very dear memories of her. Words however kind, can't mend your heartache, but those that care for each of you, share your grief and wish you comfort. My condolences to the all the family.*

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**Rhonda Henderson Richardson** - April 07, 2022 at 11:49 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney.*



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April 07, 2022 at 11:41 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney.*



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April 06, 2022 at 04:59 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Penna Raney.*



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April 05, 2022 at 06:46 PM



“ *Mary is so precious to so many. She loved Bay Vue United Methodist Church and was such a beautiful example sharing her belief and strength in loving the Lord with all her heart. Such a dear friend .*

*Love you always Mary, Jeanette*

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**Jeanette Kuhn** - April 05, 2022 at 02:18 PM