



Antoinette Edinburgh Williams

October 22, 2019

Mrs. Antoinette Edinburgh Williams passed into eternal life on Tuesday, October 22, 2019 at the age of 96 surrounded by loving family. She was born on July 25, 1923 to the union of Cornelius Edgar Edinburgh Sr. and Beulah Carter Labyzon Edinburgh. She was also preceded in death by her husband the late Deacon John B. Williams.

Antoinette was a New Orleans native and a graduate of McDonough 35 High School. She was a dedicated member of St. Raymond-St. Leo the Great Catholic Church for over 50 years and a proud member of Delta Sigma Theta and the Quettes. She was also the co-owner of Edinburgh Williams Beauty Salon with her late husband for over 70 years and continued working late into her nineties.

“Auntie” as she was affectionately called will long be remembered for her sage advice, her willingness to lend a helping hand to all those in need, and her unwavering dedication to family. Her door was always open and she could be counted on to listen or give advice no matter what the hour.

She was also preceded in death by her sisters the late Roberta E. Kennedy and the late Alice Bellaire and her brothers the late Theophilus Labyzon Sr., and the late Cornelius Edinburgh Jr. She leaves to mourn her passing a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends. Her strong will to live, unwavering

faith in God, and the love and prayers of family, friends, and many supporters carried her through her long struggle. She will be missed by countless family, friends, colleagues, and many others whose lives she has positively impacted. A mass of Christian burial will take place at St. Raymond-St. Leo Catholic Church, 2916 Paris Ave. on Tuesday, October 29, 2019 for 10:00 a.m. with visitation beginning at 9:00 a.m. and the Omega Omega Ceremony at 9:30 a.m. Internment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Arrangements by D. W. Rhodes Funeral Home 3933 Washington, Ave.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4000 Norman Mayer Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70122

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Leo/St. Raymond Catholic Church
2916 Paris Ave
New Orleans, LA

Service

OCT **29**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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2916 Paris Ave
New Orleans, LA

Tribute Wall



“ *Sympathy to the Williams family during this time of sorrow. From Lucille Johnson.* ”

Lucille Johnson - October 29, 2019 at 12:17 AM