



Betty Lois Hollingsworth

April 28, 2015

Betty Lois Hollingsworth, took her journey to join her heavenly family on Tuesday, April 28, 2015 at the age of 70; She was the devoted daughter of the late Mary Stevenson and the late Leonard Parker; Beloved wife of Otis Hollingsworth; Loving mother of Lolita (Kevin) Minor and Tarita (Daryl) Walker; Loving grandmother to Alexis, Ylise, Kyle, Chloe and Matthew; and cherished sister of Wallace Bradley and Viola (John) Blouin III. Betty was born in Thibodaux, Louisiana and later moved to New Orleans where she was educated in both the parochial and public schools. She worked as a hairstylist in various salons before opening her own salon, The Hair Castle, located in Gentilly. She was a good and faithful servant to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She was preceded in death by stepfather, John Stevenson, Jr., brothers, Jimmy Parker, Jerry Parker and sister, Gertrude Parker. A celebration of Betty's life will be held on Saturday, May 9, 2015 at Cornerstone United Methodist Church, 5276 Bullard Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70128. Service will begin at 11:00 am. Interment: Mount Olivet Cemetery and Mausoleum. Arrangements by DW Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave.; Please view and sign the guestbook at www.rhodesfuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4000 Norman Mayer Blvd.
New Orleans, LA 70122

Previous Events

Service

MAY 9 (CT)

Cornerstone United Methodist Church
5276 Bullard Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70128

Tribute Wall

VP

“ *Victoria Parker lit a candle in memory of Betty Lois Hollingsworth*



Victoria Parker - May 08, 2015 at 11:58 AM

JW

“ *Jean, Terri, Weslynn, Arthur, Emery and Johnny Walker purchased the Splendid Orchids for the family of Betty Lois Hollingsworth.*



Jean, Terri, Weslynn, Arthur, Emery and Johnny Walker -
May 08, 2015 at 10:27 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Betty Lois Hollingsworth.*



May 08, 2015 at 02:31 AM



“ I remember her wisdom, perseverance, love, kindness, and faithfulness to her family and those she cared for. For 4 years of my young adult life, her love, admonishment when needed, and guidance impacted me - and inspires me even today. As a very successful businessman, some of my style and behavior is from Miss Betty. I will miss her and only wish I could tell her the indelible mark she made in my life. May God bless her family just as she blessed me when I was becoming a man.



Sean Heileman - May 07, 2015 at 08:00 PM

YM

I met this beautiful lady more than a year ago, her fragrance caught my attention. Not to mention her caring spirit she brought with her. She had caring feeling she holding my hand . I knew right away she was from Louisiana. So until we meet again, much love from TEXAS!

Yvette M - November 08, 2015 at 01:22 PM

SC

“ Staff at the Greater Irving-Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Betty Lois Hollingsworth.



Staff at the Greater Irving-Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce - May 07, 2015 at 03:27 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Betty Lois Hollingsworth.*



May 07, 2015 at 02:14 PM



“ *Willie and I are offering our sincere condolences to Otis, Tarita, Lolita and family members. Betty was our dear friend for Over twenty years and she will be greatly missed. Praying for you! Willie & Dee Dee Brown*

Willie & Dee Dee Brown - May 05, 2015 at 08:56 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Betty Lois Hollingsworth.*



May 05, 2015 at 03:53 PM



“ *Tisha and I offer our condolences and sorrow for your loss. David Carney*

David - May 05, 2015 at 01:19 PM

DW

“ It is so surreal to me that my "Aunt" passed last week. She was a precious gift to me and my family. However, that gift ultimately belonged to God and He called his angel home. Although it has been a hard week for me, I am grateful for all the time I spent in her presence. The wisdom she imparted in me was priceless. Until I see her again, she will be truly missed and loved.

Donica Williams - May 04, 2015 at 10:32 PM

YC

“ I met Betty when our sets of twins were infants. She had girls and I had boys. We would often share stories about taking care of twins. She was such a sweet person, always had a smile on her face. She will be missed by all of us who were fortunate enough to know her. My prayers and thoughts are with her family, 🙏

Yvonne "Bootsie" Chapman - May 04, 2015 at 04:39 PM

TJ

“ My sincere condolence and sorrow for the loss of your wife, mother and family member. Have known Betty almost all of my life and so sorry. May she rest in peace.

Terry Joseph - May 02, 2015 at 11:23 PM

VC

“ To the family of Betty L. Hollingsworth,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during
this time of great loss. Lean on God for
strength. Your loved one is with our heavenly
father and he blessed this world with her
presence. The memories of her beautiful life will forever be in your
hearts. Celebrate her life and know she is an angel who's wings will
always surround you. Peace and blessings. Our deepest
condolences. Valerie, Eric, and Ethan Cunningham



valerie mason cunningham - May 02, 2015 at 07:00 AM

SB

“ Shock is what I was when I received the news on Tuesday from my
Cornerstone Trio sister in Christ Dr. Suzanne White-Sims. Betty was
so sweet to me. I recall having the best time at the Salon Christmas
party. She was such a lady, and Tarita and Lolita you will always be
in my heart for how beautifully you always carried yourselves. You
all were a "force to be reckon with." Otis, just know that earth has no
sorrow that heaven cannot heal. I love you all and keeping you in
my prayers.

Simmie P Belonga - May 01, 2015 at 08:08 PM