



Mary Simon Williams

November 23, 2020

Mary Simon Williams passed away peacefully on November 23, 2020 at the age of 106. She was a native of Wallace, Louisiana and moved to New Orleans at a young age. Mary had a love for cooking and caring for her family. She leaves to cherish her loving memory, her daughter, Barbara B. Williams and brother, Lester Simon. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, Thomas Williams; daughter, Carolyn Dade; mother, Olivia Simon; father, Robert Simon, Sr.; brothers, Lawrence, Oscar, Robert and Julius Simon; sisters, Almegia Joseph, Virginia Favorite, Dorothy Boyer and Evelyn Simon. She is also survived by a host of nieces, nephews, great and great, great nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends

Relatives and friends of the family, priest and parishioners of Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos are invited to attend a Mass of Christian of Burial at Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Catholic Church, 3053 Dauphine Street, New Orleans, LA on Saturday, December 5, 2020 at 11:00 am. Visitation will begin at 10:00 am with Father Jose' Ladastisla, Celebrant. Interment: Restlawn Cemetery, 3450 US-90W, Avondale, LA. As mandated by the State of Louisiana due to the COVID-19 pandemic, attendance is limited. Everyone is required to adhere to all restrictions. You must wear a face mask at all times and practice social distancing. Arrangements by D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Avenue. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook, share memories and condolences for the family.

Cemetery Details

Restlawn Park

4004 US hwy 90 W.
Avondale, LA 70094

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Catholic Church
3053 Dauphine St.
New Orleans, LA

Service

DEC 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ What I remember most fondly about my Aunt Mary was that she was a very loving and caring person. She was always, always so very sweet and pleasant. I never can recall seeing Aunt Mary mad. She was always ready to feed you. She loved cooking and was an excellent cook. Aunt Mary helped to take care of the Boyer children. I can remember many summers spending several days at her house. She never stated it time for you to go home. She took care of us as if we were her children. One of my most memorable moment of Aunt Mary I was about 4-5 years old and I remember her telling me Santa dropped your Christmas gift off at my house. I had to wait late that Christmas night to get my Christmas gift. Aunt Mary was helping to bring joy to her niece when my parents was not able to afford to provide a gift that year. That was my Aunt Mary always willing to lend a hand at all times. When my mom and dad passed her home became the focal point for our family gatherings and Aunt Mary once again never complained. She accepted all of us with love and opened arms. I thank God for you Aunt Mary for being our Matriarch. Rest in Peace Aunt Mary.

Love,

Jackie Beard Your Niece.

Jacqueline Beard

December 04, 2020 | Suffolk, VA

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“ Aunt Mary was kind, loving, and caring. She loved her family and would do anything in her power to provide assistance in any way possible. She worked hard all her life and was a true servant to her family, friends, and neighbors. She played an important role in helping to raise my siblings and me. Her home was an extension of ours. She loved cooking and feeding others. She was passionate about growing flowers and plants and would often say, when given a bouquet of flowers, “this is was better than receiving \$100”. We love her dearly and will miss her sorely.

Cherrie Boyer

Cherrie Boyer - December 03, 2020 at 05:19 PM