



Rosemary Sorrell

November 15, 2023

Rosemary Wire Sorrell died on Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 10:45 PM. She was born in Lemannville, Louisiana on August 8, 1928, to her parents Harrison Wire and Mary Geason Wire.

Rosemary accepted Christ at an early age. She was baptized by Reverend Henry Tribitt at Buena Vista Baptist Church in Lemannville, Louisiana. After her move to New Orleans, she became a member of Pilgrim Progress Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend John Francis. She was a loyal member of the mass choir and The Willing Workers Club of New Orleans. She was married to Harry Sorrell, and a devoted stepmother to Harry Sorrell Junior. She graduated from Lowry High School in Donaldsonville, Louisiana. Upon moving to New Orleans, she graduated from Julien's Beauty School and worked as a beautician for many years in New Orleans before her retirement. After Hurricane Katrina, she returned to her childhood home and rejoined Buena Vista Baptist Church. Rosemary is survived by one sister, Olivia Wire Joshua. Rosemary was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Sorrell, stepson, Harry Sorrell Jr., siblings Ruth Veal, Ulysses Wire, Willis Wire, Eugene Wire, Winston Wire, Harry Wire, sisters, Jennie, Fannie, Amelda, and Anna Belle Kennedy. She leaves to cherish her memory a host of nieces, nephews, family members, church member and friends.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral services at Buena Vista Baptist Church in Lemannville, Louisiana on Friday, November

24, 2023 at 12 o'clock noon. Visitation will begin at 11:00 AM. Arrangements are by Rhodes Funeral home at 3933 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70012. Please visit at www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook.

Cemetery Details

Buena Vista B. C Cemetery

Lemonville, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Buena Vista Baptist Church
10033 Highway 18
St James, LA

Funeral Service

NOV **24**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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