



Elonide Caldwell Medus

March 25, 1931 - March 22, 2019

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Jennings: A Mass of Christian burial for Elonide Caldwell Medus, 87 of Jennings, LA will be held at Our Lady Help of Christians Catholic Church on Tuesday, March 26, 2019 at 1:00 PM with Father Charles McMillin officiating. Visitation will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home on Monday, March 25, 2019 from 4:00 PM until 8:00 PM with a rosary recited at 6:00 PM. Visitation will resume on Tuesday at 10:00 AM until the time of her Funeral Mass. Elonide will be laid to rest in Calvary Cemetery.

Elonide was born in Lake Charles, LA on March 25, 1931 to Andrew T. Caldwell and May Cook Caldwell. She was called to her Heavenly Father on March 22, 2019 while surrounded by her loving family. She was a member of Entre Nous. She graduated from St. Charles Academy in Lake Charles, LA., attended McNeese State University in Lake Charles, LA and LSU in Baton Rouge, LA. Elonide was an awesome cook, seamstress and an avid reader. Some of her other pass times were gardening and playing bridge. She loved caring for her special black poodle, Mickey. Elonide was a wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother whose greatest pleasure came from her love for her family. Her kind, caring actions and words taught all who knew her the definitions of love and family.

Elonide is survived by her beloved husband, Allen J. Medus, Jr. of Jennings, LA; her children, David J. Medus of Lake Charles, LA; Carl L. (Evie) Medus of Atlanta, GA, Paul S. Medus of Opelousas, LA, Kathryn Medus (Howard) Sullivan of Baton Rouge, LA, Gregory Medus of Lake Charles, LA; and Julie Medus LeJeune of Houston, TX; her five grandchildren, Alison, Marcus (Eva), Lindsey (Harold), Kristina and Chassity; her twelve great grandchildren, Chloe, Emma, Evan, Kyle, Scarlett, Sterling, Sawyer, Mackenzie, Katie-Lynn, Jordyn, Asa and Abigail. She also leaves behind her sister, Jane Williams of Sandbridge, VA.

Elonide now rejoices in Heaven with her parents, Andrew T. and May Caldwell; daughter-in-law, Gail Medus; her siblings, Elizabeth McCall, Robert Caldwell, Richard Caldwell, John Caldwell, Martha Innes and Aileen Emminger.

Carrying Elonide to her final resting place in Calvary Cemetery will be Bill McCall, Darrell Goodreau, Howard Sullivan, Marcus LeJeune, Johnny Bolles and Bob McCall.

To extend online condolences, please visit our website at www.matthewsandsfuneralhome.net

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

Evangeline Rd.
Jennings, LA 70546

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS
511 N. Cutting Avenue
Jennings, LA 70546
(337) 824-4420
jimmy@matthewsfh.com
<https://www.matthewsandsonfuneralhome.net/>

Rosary

MAR 25. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

MAR **26.** 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

MAR **26.** 1:00 PM (CT)

Our Lady Help of Christians Catholic Church
710 North State St.
Jennings, LA 70546

Tribute Wall



“ *Elonide Caldwell Medus*

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *Doug Andrus lit a candle in memory of
Elonide Caldwell Medus*



Doug Andrus - March 25, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ *Lavender & White Standing Spray was
purchased for the family of Elonide Caldwell
Medus.*



March 25, 2019 at 10:21 AM

MM

“ *What wonderful memories the Innes family have of dear sweet Aunt Elonide and Uncle Allen: great times playing games in the upstairs kids’ bedroom, awesome memories of going to your camp at Lake Arthur, cousins spending time at each other’s homes for a week or so almost every summer, and many more.*

Allen and Medus kids, we are sorry for your loss. And I can imagine the “Caldwell” reunion in heaven when Elonide arrived. There is consolation (for me) knowing there were so many to welcome her. I remember Elonide’s beautiful smile and sparkling eyes. And oh my goodness, she could cook!!! And sew!!!

Bobby and I will be there on Tuesday. Looking forward to seeing all of you.

Sending love and peace,

Mary Jane Morgan

aka “Marilyn Monroe” to Uncle Allen 😊

Mary Jane (Innes) Morgan - March 25, 2019 at 10:18 AM

RC

“ *Always enjoyed visiting with Aunt Elonide and family!*

Richard J Caldwell - March 25, 2019 at 10:09 AM

PH

“ *Patti and Philip Haddad purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.*



Patti and Philip Haddad - March 25, 2019 at 09:03 AM

PJ

“ Greg and Julie I am so sorry for your loss. I will not be able to attend, but you and your whole family will be in my prayers. Just remember she is in a much better place.

Love you both
Pam Jones

Pam Jones - March 25, 2019 at 08:49 AM

LL

“ Love, Sharon, Laura, Micki, Greg and Lyall. purchased the European Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.

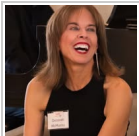


Love, Sharon, Laura, Micki, Greg and Lyall. - March 24, 2019 at 11:52 PM

AC

“ Sending our thoughts and condolences from Switzerland to our family in Louisiana. We always remember her big smile and laughter. We were also so grateful she made it to our wedding in Wonalancet. We wish we could be there to share memories and her legacy. Much love, Aya, Kilek, Kai and Teo.

Aya Caldwell - March 24, 2019 at 03:20 PM



“ Sending so much love to my long-time buddy, Elonide Semmes and family. I've admired Aunt Elonide for years and remember well all the stories about her and her family. Lifting all who loved her high to the heavens.

Deborah McMurray - March 24, 2019 at 12:05 PM

DE

“ *Mr. Medus, I am so sorry to learn of your wife's passing. Know that Beth and I will be praying for you and your family. Mrs. Medus was a fine woman and I know that she is now with God. I hope to see you tomorrow at the visitation. God Bless- Dan Eason*

Dan Eason - March 24, 2019 at 11:07 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.*



March 24, 2019 at 10:03 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.*



March 24, 2019 at 01:35 AM

AF

“ *Amie Fontenot lit a candle in memory of Elonide Caldwell Medus*



Amie Fontenot - March 23, 2019 at 03:58 PM

TF

“ *The Taylor/Banks Family purchased the Lavender & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.*



The Taylor/Banks Family - March 23, 2019 at 02:57 PM



“ *Bountiful European Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Elonide Caldwell Medus.*



March 23, 2019 at 02:29 PM