



Esther Mae Clement

February 1, 1930 - June 14, 2023

Jennings: The family and friends of Esther Mae Bourque Boone Clement are mourning the loss of their mother, grandmother, great grandmother, great-great grandmother, sister, and friend who was called from this life on June 14, 2023, at the age of 93. Esther was born on February 1, 1930, to Esta Bourque and Lelia Broussard Bourque. Esther was a homemaker who dedicated her life to the care of her family which she adored and also a grocery store owner. She was a longtime parishioner of St. Joseph Catholic Church, as well as a member of the Catholic Daughters, and Ladies Altar Society for many years. In her younger years she was a substitute teacher for Acadia Parish School Board, Cashier at Winn Dixie, and A & P in Crowley. She took great pride in taking care of her yard and loved gardening. Most of all she loved spending time with her children and grandchildren. Esther was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

Esther is survived by her children, Oran Boone, Jr. (Linda) of Evangeline, LA, Janice LeJeune of Iota, LA; her five grandchildren, Roxanne Touchet (Ray), Brian LaSage (Michelle), Chris LaSage (Nancy), Chad Boone, & Stacy Grant; her ten great grandchildren, her fourteen great-great grandchildren, and four more on the way; her sisters, Mildred "Midge" Falke of Deridder, LA, Gloria Vincent; her brother, Emery Bourque of Moss Bluff, LA

Esther was preceded in death by her parents, Esta & Lelia Bourque; her first

husband, Oran "Red" Boone, Sr. & her former spouse, Hubert Clement, Sr.; her brothers, Thomas Jesse Bourque, Wallace Joseph Bourque, & James Norris Bourque; her infant sister, Joanne Bourque.

A Mass of Christian Burial to honor Esther's life will be held at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in Evangeline, LA on Monday, June 19th at 3:00 PM with Father Paul LaFleur officiating. Burial will follow in Calvary Cemetery.

A gathering of Family and Friends will be held at Matthews & Son Funeral Home in Jennings, LA on Monday, June 19th from 9:00 AM until the time of her Funeral Mass at 3:00 PM with a Rosary recited at 1:30 PM led by the Catholic Daughters.

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude and appreciation to the kind and compassionate nursing staff at Lamm Hospice and their nurse, Kristen LeJeune for the exceptional care given to our Mom in her final days.

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

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

Evangeline Rd.
Jennings, LA 70546

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

JUN 19. 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

JUN 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 19. 3:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
1400 Old Evangeline Hwy
Evangeline, LA 70537

Tribute Wall



“ *Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Esther Mae Clement.*



June 16, 2023 at 11:41 AM



“ *Esther Mae was the sweetest lady. Big heart, strong and God fearing woman. Prayers for her and her family.*

Phillis and Haze McMullen - June 15, 2023 at 10:04 PM



“ *Sharlene Miller Myers lit a candle in memory of Esther Mae Clement*



Sharlene Miller Myers - June 15, 2023 at 06:45 PM



“ *When I was a kid, we would play the piano together and that was one of my favorite things to do, no matter how out of tune the piano was. And drinking “cold chocolate “ with her in the mornings or eating some ritz crackers out of a plastic peanut butter jar that she kept them in, there are so many memories that I will forever cherish.*

Brooke Langley - June 15, 2023 at 03:56 PM

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*To the family, I am a first cousin to Esther, I remember her from younger days, I was Midge's age. I remember aunt Lil well and Wallace and Midge. I also heard that Emory passed on Friday, I loved my cousins.
PEACE , Paul Fabacher*

Paul Fabacher - June 17, 2023 at 06:48 PM