



Shirley Jeanette Smith

February 9, 1943 - September 22, 2020

Shirley Jeanette Smith a resident of Jennings, LA was born on February 9, 1943 in Oakdale, LA and she passed away on September 22, 2020 at 9:45AM at the Heart Hospital of Lafayette, due to complications of Surgery at the age of 77. Shirley was a devout Christian and served the great almighty for over forty years. She was admired and respected by everyone. Shirley touched the lives of many children that she taught at Mother's Day Out Program at First Baptist Church. Shirley was a loving, wife, mother, friend, and champion of Christ.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Delmus "Kid" Hamm and Susie Byrd Hamm; brothers, Charlie, Lendonn, and Billy Hamm; sisters, Kathy Simmons, Helen Rodriguez, Merline Guillory and Della Wagner; sons, John Phillip Ardoin, David Chad Smith; step-son, John W. Smith, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Judy Ardoin.

She is survived by her husband of fifty three years, John Winston "Smitty" Smith; her children, Frankie Ardoin, Darren and Dean Smith; her step-son, Joey Smith; step-daughters, Tammy Chamberlin, Fayln Willis; her daughters-in-law, Paula Smith, and Tracie Smith; as well as numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services for Shirley Jeanette Smith will be held at Matthews & Son

Funeral Home in Jennings, LA on September 25, 2020 at 11:00 AM. Burial will follow her Services in Greenwood Cemetery.

A gathering of family and friends will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home in Jennings, LA beginning on Thursday, September 24, 2020 at 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM. Visitation will resume on Friday, September 25, 2020 at 8:00 AM and continue until the time of her Service.

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

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

Evangeline Rd.
Jennings, LA 70546

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends and Family

SEP **24.** 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS
511 N. Cutting Avenue
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Gathering of Friends and Family

SEP **25.** 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Jeanette Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Shirley Jeanette Smith.*



September 24, 2020 at 09:28 PM



“ *Smitty and family,
My deepest sympathy for the loss of Shirley. I will always remember her smile, and she was so pleasant to visit with. My thoughts and prayers are with all. God bless and keep everyone.
Frances Lopez*

Frances Lopez - September 24, 2020 at 07:14 PM



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Frances Lopez*

Frances Lopez - September 24, 2020 at 07:12 PM



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Matthews Funeral Home - September 24, 2020 at 05:00 PM



“ Jill Richard lit a candle in memory of Shirley Jeanette Smith



Jill Richard - September 23, 2020 at 05:48 PM



“ Roses For Sympathy was purchased for the family of Shirley Jeanette Smith.



September 23, 2020 at 04:21 PM

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“ *Caleb Smith purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Basket for the family of Shirley Jeanette Smith.*



Caleb Smith - September 23, 2020 at 03:04 PM