



## Jennie Guidry Higginbotham

January 23, 1953 - February 1, 2023

Jennie Guidry Higginbotham

Duson, LA - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 4, 2023 at a 1:00 pm Mass of Christian Burial at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rayne for Jennie Guidry Higginbotham, 70, who died Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at Hospice of Acadiana Calcutta House in Lafayette, LA.

Interment will be in the St. Joseph Cemetery #2, Mausoleum in Rayne, LA.

Fr. Henry Paul Antony, HGN, Parochial Vicar of St. Joseph Catholic Church will be the Celebrant of the Funeral Mass and will conduct the funeral services.

Survivors include her daughter, Chrissie Benoit and spouse Mark Benoit, one grandchild, Hunter Cade Benoit and spouse Victoria Love Benoit, one sister, Peggy Guidry Trahan, six brothers, Richard Guidry and spouse Barbara Guidry, Terry Guidry, John H. Guidry, Jr. and companion Lisa Harkey, Mark Guidry and spouse Lisa Guidry, David Guidry and spouse Tessa Guidry, Tom Guidry and spouse Renee Guidry.

She was preceded in death by her father, John H. Guidry, Sr., and mother, Mildred G. Guidry, partner, Larry Gass, brothers, Randy Guidry and Ronnie

Guidry, brother-in-law, Paul Trahan.

Pallbearers will be Hunter Benoit, David Guidry, Mark Guidry, Tom Guidry, Terry Guidry and John Guidry, III. Honorary pallbearers will be John Guidry, II and Richard Guidry.

A Rosary will be prayed Friday, February 3, 2023 at 7:00 pm in Gossen Funeral Home in Rayne, LA.

The family requests that visitation be observed in Gossen Funeral Home in Rayne, LA on Friday, February 3, 2023 from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm and on Saturday, February 4, 2023 from 8:00 am to 12:30 pm.

Friends may view the obituary and guestbook online at [www.gossenfuneralhome.net](http://www.gossenfuneralhome.net).

Arrangements have been entrusted to Gossen Funeral Home, Inc. of Rayne, LA, (337) 334-3141.

Gossen Funeral Home, Inc.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery #2 Mausoleum.

400 East Betty Street  
Rayne, LA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 3. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Inc.  
504 N. Polk Street  
Rayne, LA 70578  
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[info@gossenfuneralhome.net](mailto:info@gossenfuneralhome.net)  
<http://gossenfh.funeralplan2.com/>

## Rosary

FEB 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Visitation

FEB 4. 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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## Mass

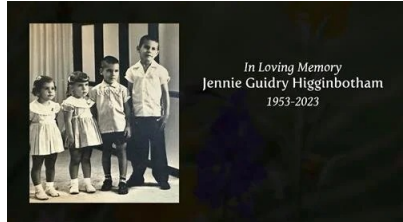
FEB 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
401 S. Adams Ave.  
Rayne, LA 70578

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gossen Funeral Home Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Jennie Guidry Higginbotham*



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**Gossen Funeral Home Inc.** - February 03, 2023 at 03:50 PM

GR

“ *My condolences to the Higginbotham and Guidry family. I know that she will be missed but she is not in pain anymore and she is her old self again. Praying that God will comfort you all....*

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**Georgette Richard** - February 05, 2023 at 11:26 AM

RA

“ *It was my pleasure to know and work with her at Lafayette Public Library. My sincere condolences to the family. -Roberta Zeno August*

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**Roberta Zeno August** - February 04, 2023 at 02:32 PM

KL

“ *So sorry to hear this. Jennie was always such a sweet and warm person to be around. Prayers for her family and friends.*

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**Kelly Leger** - February 03, 2023 at 11:13 AM

RM

“ *Ronnie Myers lit a candle in memory of Jennie Guidry Higginbotham*



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**Ronnie Myers** - February 03, 2023 at 10:33 AM

RG

“ *Rhonda Guidry lit a candle in memory of Jennie Guidry Higginbotham*



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**Rhonda Guidry** - February 03, 2023 at 10:21 AM

BB

*So sorry to hear of Jennie's passing. Worked with Jennie for many years at the library. Many fond memories. My sincere condolences to the family.*

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**Becky Broussard** - February 03, 2023 at 01:10 PM

JG

“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Jennie. She was responsible for hiring and training me years ago at the library. We were a great team and most importantly, great friends. I will miss you Jennie. Until we meet again.*

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**Jason Gilbert** - February 02, 2023 at 10:45 PM

FA

“ We are so sorry to hear of Jenny’s passing. Know that she is wrapped in the arms of Jesus and no longer suffering. She was a beautiful person. I have loved her forever Love and prayers, Fay and Junior Aucoin

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**Fay** - February 02, 2023 at 06:25 PM

JL

Condolences to the family of my cousin Jennie. May she rest peacefully

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**Jeanette G Leger** - February 02, 2023 at 09:10 PM

CD

Jennie and I were life long friends. I was at her house more than mine when we were kids. I think Mrs. Mildred just thought I was one of her kids and just served me lunch with the rest. I could write a book of activities and memories we shared. In our adult lives we each kinda went our own way but every few years we would get caught up on our families. We would pick up, liked we never missed a beat. Jennie was my friend then, she will always be my friend. Until we meet again, rest in peace Jennie. I prayed daily for her to not be in so much pain. I wish I could have spent more time with her, but due to my husband’s serious medical needs, I was unable to. My heart aches. Losing my husband and Jennie within a few weeks apart is rough.

Love you always Jennie,

Cynthia Morgan DeVille

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**Cynthia M DeVille** - February 03, 2023 at 03:51 AM