



Willa Mae Duhon Marietta

January 28, 1931 - July 27, 2015

Willa Mae Marietta

Rayne, LA - A memorial service honoring the life of Willa Mae Duhon Marietta, 84, of Judice will be held on Saturday, August 1, 2015 at 4:00 P.M. in Gossen Funeral Home Chapel, Rayne, LA. The family will receive visitors from 2:00 P.M. until service time, and then for a short time following the service in Gossen Funeral Home Chapel.

Ms. Marietta passed away on Monday, July 27, 2015 at 2:15 P.M. in her daughter's Judice residence.

Willa Mae was born in The Judice Community during the Depression in the 1930's. She was the only child of Duhart and Corinne Foreman Duhon, and she attended school in Judice.

Her hobbies included knitting and crocheting, but she mainly enjoyed reading the Bible daily.

Willa Mae worked for over 30 years at the Saloom Hospital, which was on Jefferson Street in Lafayette at the time.

For over 70 of her 84-1/2 years, she was a dedicated, baptized Jehovah

Witness, and did what she could to serve the Lord.

Her quiet demeanor spoke volumes. She was the caregiver to her mother and father, and to her aunt and uncle. Also, she had a quality of never complaining, but was always content with what she had.

Survivors include her daughter, Betty Marietta Robinson and husband, Calvin, who opened his Judice home so she could be cared for in her final days. She also took great joy in her grandson, C.J., who she raised as though he were her own son. Other survivors include her 9 grandchildren, C.J., Heather, Tracey, Jodie, Elizabeth, Amy, Gina, Jay, and Eric; and 9 great-grandchildren.

Preceding Ms. Marietta in death were her parents, Duhart and Corinne Foreman Duhon; son, Larry Marietta; and daughter, Geneva Marietta Ellis.

The family wishes to extend special thanks to the Regional Hospital of Acadiana, Specialty Hospital of Lafayette, and Hospice of Acadiana.

The family has requested that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Acadiana, who helped her and so many others die at home with dignity.

Friends may view the obituary and guestbook online at www.gossenfuneralhome.net.

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

Gossen Funeral Home, Inc.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Chapel
504 N. Polk St
Rayne, LA 70578

Memorial Service

AUG 1. 4:00 PM (CT)

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504 N. Polk St
Rayne, LA 70578

Tribute Wall

JB

“ *Jena Bordes lit a candle in memory of Willa Mae Duhon Marietta*



Jena Bordes - July 28, 2015 at 12:50 PM

SR

*Betty and family:
My deepest sympathy goes out to you and your family at this sad time.
I will keep you all in my prayers.*

Sapha L. Richard - July 28, 2015 at 04:05 PM

PR

*Betty, Calvin & CJ,
So sorry for your lose, we are keeping you all in our prayers*

Donna & Preston, Jr. Robinson

Preston Robinson - July 29, 2015 at 06:23 AM

LH

Dear Betty and Family,

We are sorry for your loss. We are glad to have had the opportunity to know her and we thank Jehovah for the chance to see her again in the new system.

The Houston Family

Leecy Houston - July 31, 2015 at 08:14 PM