



Bertha Tyler Jackson

September 7, 1915 - July 21, 2011

MS. BERTHA TYLER JACKSON September 7, 1915 – July 21, 2011

Opelousas, Louisiana

A celebration of life will be held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, July 30, 2011 at Holy Ghost Catholic Church in Opelousas, LA., for Bertha Tyler Jackson, 95, God called her heavenly home, Thursday, July 21, 2011, at Opelousas General Health System in Opelousas, LA.

Final resting place will be in St. Landry Catholic Cemetery in Opelousas, LA. Rev. Jaison Mangalath, S.V.D. will officiate at the Mass of Christian burial.

Ms. Jackson is survived by her children, two sons, Thomas “Dragon” Jackson, Sr. of Opelousas, LA. and Wilton “Baby” Jackson, Jr. (Vevlyn) of Houston, TX.; a daughter, Rita “Nina” Gradnigo Pickens of Opelousas, LA.; two grandsons she raised, Filbert Pickens and Edward Pickens, Jr. both of Opelousas, LA.; a sister, Mary Tyler of Opelousas, LA.; 18 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, 4 great-great grandchildren; Barbara Lazard, Sandra Barker Jackson, Margaret Jackson and Gail Jackson, who she accepted as her special daughters and a host of other extended family members .

Ms. Jackson was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Wilton Jackson, Sr.; parents, Charles Tyler & Millie Lazard Tyler; three sons, Willie Roy Jackson, Sr., Ronald Gene Jackson, Sr. and Milton “Lay-Lay” Jackson; a daughter, Millie Jackson; five brothers, Elton Tyler, Carlton Tyler, Sidney Tyler, Adam Tyler, Sr. and Charles Tyler, Jr.; four sisters, Evelyn Zachary, Pearl Mallet, Louisa Chrethiene, Julia T. Castille and Hilda Boast.

Visiting hours will be observed from 7:00 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. Saturday, July 30, 2011 at Williams Funeral Home in Opelousas, LA.

Share words of comfort with the Jackson family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, 337-942-2037.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bertha Tyler Jackson*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *On behalf of the Fruge' Family from the old neighbor, You have our deepest Sympathy. I am so sorry we could not attend the services. The Fruge' Family*

Linda Fruge-Minix - August 12, 2011 at 10:01 AM



“ *To the Jackson Family you have my deepest sympathy, all my love Toddie*

Todd Tyler Sr - July 28, 2011 at 07:27 PM



“ *My deep condolences and healing are sincerely dedicated to the family. I realize how heartbreakingly sad you must feel! For mere mortals, this shocking and sudden separation, occurring without any pre-emptive preparation, must be overwhelming. May her strength, now weave you together in an effort to comfort one another. May her good heart, the love she so unselfishly gave and her profound sense of humor now fill you with a sense of joy and peace. I wish to pay the profoundest tribute for over 95 years of life.*

JOHN 11:25 NKJ 25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me, though he may die, he shall live.

Sandra Barker - July 28, 2011 at 04:19 PM

RJ

“ Angel Wings are upon us To comfort and guide us Holding Tight thru Nanny's flight To be with all Gods children. We long for a few more minutes or even a few more seconds. But Our Dear Lord and Savior says "It's time to let her go. She will be in a better place. Let her pain be little and her suffering be gone for in heaven she will have none." Goodbye Nanny we say, for be on your way. We will meet you someday, up in heaven. We love you and will miss you each and everyday Until once again we meet that great day in heaven.

Romona Jackson - July 28, 2011 at 02:37 PM

VJ

“ To my extended Jackson family, I would like to say that Mrs. Bertha was more than a mother-in-law to me. She was a very dear and strong person. Always willing to cook even though she might not have felt like it. When I first met her I could feel the warmth of her heart and felt as if she had accepted me at that moment as her daughter-in-law. I would like to say that I will truly miss her presence but she will always be remembered in my heart. May the family stay strong and continue to support each other through this time of need.

Vevlyn Jackson - July 27, 2011 at 03:49 PM

DL

“ To the Jackson family, I will keep your family in my prays and remember keep GOD close as you all grieve. Absent from the body is present with the LORD. He is our strenght and our light in trouble time.

Love Dawn Lewis Waste Management

Dawn Lewis - July 26, 2011 at 02:59 PM

MF

“ *Earth has no sorrow what haven can not heal. Our prayers and thoughts goes out to the Jackson family durning this sad time.*

Mr.& Mrs. Don Francis - July 25, 2011 at 09:52 PM

SW

“ *My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the family...*

Steffani L. Warner-Bourgeois - July 25, 2011 at 04:32 PM