



## Emily Rose Chatman

March 30, 1937 - October 21, 2012

Mrs. Emily Rose Roberts Chatman

“Bootsie”

Funeral services will be held at 9:00 A.M. Saturday, October 27, 2012 at Holy Ghost Catholic Church in Opelousas, LA, for Mrs. Emily Rose “Bootsie” Roberts Chatman, 75, who entered eternal rest, Sunday, October 21, 2012 at her residence in Opelousas, LA. Interment will be in Serenity Memorial Park in Opelousas, LA. Rev. Jaison Mangalath, S.V.D. will officiate at the services.

Mrs. Chatman is survived by her husband of 58 years, Mr. James “Fargo” B. Chatman, Sr. of Opelousas, LA; five sons, James B. Chatman, Jr. (Charlene) (Debbie Chamers) of Lebeau, LA, David R. Chatman (Laura Tezeno) of Carencro, LA, Arthur J. Chatman of London, England, Benjamin C. Chatman (Carol) of Opelousas, LA and Bradley W. Chatman, Sr. (Theresa) of Triangle, VA; four daughters, Deanna M. Chatman of Opelousas, LA, Jo-Lynn C. Prudhomme, Angela L. Randell both of Plaisance, LA and Andrell N. Chatman of Opelousas, LA; a step-daughter, Janice Handy of Opelousas, LA; four step-sons, Percy Chatman, Larry Charles, Michael Chatman and James Handy all of Opelousas, LA; five brothers, Dennis Roberts of Washington, LA, James Roberts, Charles Roberts, Jessie Roberts (Myra) and Richard Roberts all of Opelousas, LA; a sister, Louise Roberts Fuselier (Kendall) of Charlotte, N. Carolina; three brothers-in-law, Nolan Chatman (Leola), Ken Gunner both of Franklin, LA and Alcide Tezeno of Opelousas, LA; five sisters-in-law, Mary Chatman, Harriett Chatman both of Franklin, LA, Joyce Miller, Betty Roberts both of Opelousas, LA, Mary Williams of New Iberia, LA; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and neighbors.

Mrs. Chatman was preceded in death by her parents, Dennis & Irene Thomas Roberts; a set of twins, September and October Chatman; two brothers, Roland Roberts, Sr. and Benjamin Roberts; two sisters, Gloria Lee Roberts Jones and Caroline Roberts Tezeno; four brothers-in-law, McCaster Chatman, Freddie M. Williams, Griffin Pat Miller and Clarence Chatman and a sister-in-law, Georgia Mae Edwards.

Viewing hours will be observed from 5:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Friday, October 26, 2012 and 7:00 A.M to 8:45 A.M. Saturday, October 27, 2012 at Williams Funeral Home in Opelousas, LA.

Share words of comfort with the Chatman family at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.net](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.net)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Emily Rose Chatman*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM

AC

“ *To the Chatman family I am so sorry for you lost. I hope you will find comfort in knowing at John 5:28 there Jesus says all those in the memorial tomb will hear his voice and come out. Then we will all see our love ones again.*

**Ada Comeaux** - December 08, 2012 at 05:07 PM

MW

“ *To: The Chatman's Family  
You'll have my deepest sympathy. You'll will be in my prayers. May God Bless!*

**Mrs. Joanne Williams** - October 29, 2012 at 12:08 PM

CB

“ *I was deeply saddened when I heard of Ms. Emily's passing. She was a sweet lady.  
I offer heartfelt condolence to the family and pray that God be with you all--  
lovingly guiding you through your loss.  
Warmest regards,*

**Christine Bessard Broussard** - October 26, 2012 at 12:10 AM

JH

“ *To: Arthur my classmate you and your family have my deepest sympathies.i will be praying for you and your family.*

**Jacqueline Hall-Sonnier** - October 25, 2012 at 01:19 PM

JA

“ *To: Andrell and Family:  
You and your family are in our prayers. I am so blessed to know how much your grandmother loved you and had faith in me to be your guardian while living in Baton Rouge and attending LSU. I love you and I believe your grandmother is smiling with so much joy knowing that her Spirit now lives in you and will give you the faith, trust and strength in the Lord to keep you strong for your granddaddy, mother and others.  
Your Guardian: Joyce Andrews*

**Joyce Andrews** - October 25, 2012 at 12:34 PM

RP

“ My heartfelt Condolences to the family. May God give each of you strength during this difficult time. Cousin Fargo just continue holding on to God's unchanging hands and he will make a way. " To Be Absent From The Body Is To Be Present With The Lord" Keeping you all in prayer.

Regena Pellerin - October 24, 2012 at 04:35 PM

BR

“ BE STRONG, I KNOW IT HURT, WE LOVED HER BUT GOD LOVED HER MORE. HE NEEDED A SWEET ROSE IN IS GARDEN AND HE CHOSE HER,.. SHE WILL BE DEEPLY MISSED BECAUSE THAT'S ONE THING ABOUT HER, SHE LOVED TO PUT RIGHT WHERE RIGHT GO. SHE WAS TRULY A PEACMAKER. I LOVED HER LIKE MY SECOND MOM. I CAN CALL HER AND SHE WOULD GIVE ME A WORD OF COMFORT. LOVE, BEVERLY, TERRENCE & MARIO

BEVERLY RUBIN - October 24, 2012 at 03:16 PM

DE

Thank you so much Love Deanna

Deanna - October 21, 2016 at 03:07 PM

JT

“ Cousins my heart is sadden to know that ms. Bootsie has gone moved on. Be encourage as I was only two months ago. God is faithful and just and He will hear your cry. Most importantly to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord! Love you guys forever, Mumsey

Janice Mumsey Thibodeaux - October 24, 2012 at 10:20 AM

DE

Thank you so much Love Deanna

Deanna - October 21, 2016 at 03:09 PM