



## Mrs. Mary Beatrice Pickney

February 24, 1944 - March 29, 2025

Mrs. Mary Beatrice Pickney

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 PM Saturday, April 12, 2025 at Holy Ghost Catholic Church in Opelousas, LA, for Mrs. Mary Beatrice Pickney, 81, who entered eternal rest, Saturday, March 29, 2025 at her residence in Opelousas, LA.

Interment will be in Serenity Memorial Park. Rev. Justin Arockiasamy, S.V.D. will officiate at the Mass of Christian burial.

Mrs. Pickney is survived by her husband, John H. Pickney of Opelousas, LA; one son, Bradley Lee Pickney of Opelousas, LA; one daughter, Shala Rene Pickney of Opelousas, LA; three brothers, Leo Kennerson, Jr. (Joyce) of Houston, TX, Ervin Kennerson, Sr. (Shirley) of Beaumont, TX and Howard Kennerson of Opelousas, LA; two sisters, Ruby Babineaux and Nita Dave (Samuel) both of Houston, TX; one grandson, Joseph Da'Quan Pickney of Opelousas, LA and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Pickney was preceded in death by her parents, Leonce and Bertha Reed Kennerson; three brothers, Harry Lee Kennerson, Herman Kennerson, Sr. and Ernest Kennerson, Sr.; two sisters, Rosa Marie Kennerson and Lorentine Johnson.

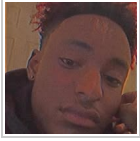
Visiting hours will be observed from 7:00 AM to 11:45 AM Saturday, April 12, 2025 at Williams Funeral Home. A Rosary will be recited at 9:00 AM.

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

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas,

337-942-2037.

# Tribute Wall



“ R.I.P Aunt B. Forever in our hearts!!❤️



Malik Kennison - April 12, 2025 at 01:23 PM



“ John, Bradley,Rene, & JoJo  
My prayers and heartfelt condolences are with the family! Beatrice (Bea) was blessed with a beautiful kind and loving heart ❤️. I will always cherish her gift of love and friendship to me over many years, her presence will be missed! May the loving arms of God embrace and comfort you all to have His peace during this time of sorrow! 🙏❤️  
Shirley Roberts McGinty



Shirley Roberts McGinty - April 12, 2025 at 12:43 AM



“ Mark&Ommanda Major lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney



Mark&Ommanda Major - April 09, 2025 at 01:37 PM

MD

“ *Marvin Dave lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney*



Marvin Dave - April 09, 2025 at 01:00 PM

RF

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy and Prayers goes out to the Family! So sorry for our Family loss! R.I.P Beatrice* 🙏🙏



Rita Pickens & Family - April 08, 2025 at 09:05 PM

OR

“ *Oliver roberts lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney*



Oliver roberts - April 08, 2025 at 04:09 PM

OR

“ *Oliver roberts lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney*



Oliver roberts - April 08, 2025 at 01:33 PM

LR

“ Uncle John, Renee and Bradley, I send my most heartfelt and sincerest condolences and prayers to you all during this difficult time. I pray The Lord's Divine Peace and Comfort rest upon you, In The Mighty Name of Jesus!  
Love y'all...  
"Pudgy"



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**LILLIAN M RIDEAUX-SAVOY** - April 08, 2025 at 10:34 AM

AG

“ Bradley and Shayla, I am deeply sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in the love and memories of your mother. God Bless you and your family.

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**Andrea Gobert** - April 08, 2025 at 09:42 AM

DK

“ My deepest condolences to the Pickney family. My prayers are with your.  
Dorothy Tyler King & FAMILY  
MUKILTEO WASHINGTON

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**DOROTHY TYLER KING** - April 08, 2025 at 12:15 AM

SP

“ Mama I Never Once Had A Small Feeling That On March 29th at 8:08PM God Would Have Called You Home. Mama I Had Just Left At 7 From Checking On You Every Hour On Your Breathing Machine OMG💔💔💔😭😭 When You Called Me At 6am That Morning I Said MAMA GO TO BED AND YOU SAID MAMA JUST CALLING TO SEE HOW YOU WERE FEELING BECAUSE I WAS SICK HAD I WOULD HAVE KNOWN. MAMA YOU WERE THE BEST MOTHER IN THE WORLD TO BRAD AND I. YOU HAVE US THE WORLD😭😭😭💔💔💔💔💔 WE WERE NOT RICH WITH MONEY BUT RICH WITH LOVE❤️❤️❤️💪 YOU TOOK CARE OF YOUR HUSBAND OF 57YRS AND YOU KIDS AND GRANDSON JOJO. GIRL YOU WILL BE GREATLY MISSED FOREVER UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN MAMA WE LOVE YOU!!!!❤️❤️❤️😭😭😭😭😭



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Shala Rene Pickney - April 07, 2025 at 11:01 PM

PD

“ Patricia Keys Davis lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney



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Patricia Keys Davis - April 07, 2025 at 09:35 PM

JP

“ To be absent with the body is to be present with the Lord. You are now reunited with many love ones and I can just imagine the welcome that you received. We were not prepared not ready for you to leave your heavenly home but God has the final say. Yes, you are missed and will be missed but with the strength and prayers of God all will be well. RIP my girl💔😭🌸



Jo Ann Pickens - April 07, 2025 at 02:28 PM

JB

My condolences to the family 🙏❤️.

Julianna Leblanc Broaden - April 08, 2025 at 11:13 AM

VC

“ VICKIE COMEAUX lit a candle in memory of Mary Pickney



VICKIE COMEAUX - April 07, 2025 at 01:23 PM

BE

To the family but most, Shala, you always spoke of how life would be difficult without your mom. Please grieve for a while and know there will be no more suffering for her. GOD had mercy on her and took her home. Being strong will not come easy but you are stronger than you know. Your angel will always be there in spirit. Love you.

BettyLewis - April 07, 2025 at 05:32 PM

BB

*"Although it's difficult today to see beyond the sorrow, May looking back in memory help comfort you tomorrow."*

*Sending my heartfelt condolences and prayers to Cousin John, Renee, Bradley, Jo Jo and the rest of the family. Cousin Bea you are going to be missed and loved forever.*

*Love always,  
The Pickens and Broussard Family*

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**Brenda Pickens Broussard** - April 11, 2025 at 11:34 AM

LO

*Gods blessings to John Bradley and Renee the love of your life-God allowed love fun joy good friends and Love bur now he wants all of your love for you to rest and silently say to John H Pickney After all these years I still Love You -Rest my friend LouWilda*

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**LouWilda** - April 11, 2025 at 09:53 PM