



Donna Bankston

October 15, 1966 - December 31, 2014

DONNA LEIGH JAMES BANKSTON, AGE 48

And a resident of the Hays Creek Community died at 10:45 pm Wednesday December 31, 2014 at St. Tammany Parish Hospital. She was a longtime member of Hays Creek Southern Baptist Church and a 1984 graduate of Franklinton High School. Donna was a registration clerk at Riverside Medical Center for many years that really liked helping others that needed it. She was always a loving wife, mother and grandmother that enjoyed playing music and dancing with her grandchildren.

Survived by:

Husband of 30 years: Lester Bankston of Hays Creek

2 Daughters and Sons in law: Leighann and Christopher Luper, Selena and Cody Magee all of Hays Creek

Son: Dewayne Bankston and fiance' Harlie Jordan of Pine

3 Grandchildren: Elizabeth, Andrew, and Kaleigh Luper

Also an expected grandson

Sister and Brother in law: Joyce and Greg Brooks of Denham Springs

Brother and Sister in law: William and Christine James of Irvington, AL

Mother in law: Eva Nell Bankston of Hays Creek

Brothers in law and Sisters in law: Robert Bankston, Alton and Vickie Bankston, Diane Thomas, Lynn and David Lowery

Uncle: Roby Graves of Hays Creek

Also numerous nieces, nephews and other family.

She was preceded in death by her parents Alton C. James, Jr. and Marcia Pratt James, father in law Thomas A. Bankston, grandparents Alton C. James, Sr. and Irma Wood James and Davis Pratt and Myrtle Short and aunt Myrna Graves.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home Saturday January 3, 2015 from 5 pm until 9 pm. Visitation will continue Sunday at Hays Creek Southern Baptist Church from 12:30 pm until the funeral service at 2 pm with Rev. Rick Elder and Rev. Fredrick Brumfield officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Obituaries can be viewed online at www.crainfh.com

Tribute Wall

RS

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We are keeping the family in our thoughts and prayers.

Ron and Sissy Steimle - January 10, 2015 at 12:05 AM

JB

“ OUR deepest .. DEEPEST sympathy for the family during these days. ... Pray God covers you with comfort during this time! Fellow Riverside Medical Center Teammate. ... Donna did the Elf at Christmas with me.i was the Snowman. Fun times! Memorable times!

John & Sharon Beckett - January 03, 2015 at 04:23 PM

NC

“ Selena we are keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers during the loss of your Mother.
Nancy Corkern

Nancy Corkern - January 03, 2015 at 09:43 AM

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“ The Stewarts has sent this Expressions of Sympathy card.

The Stewarts - January 03, 2015 at 12:59 AM