



Freddie Jenkins Corkern

January 17, 1927 - October 22, 2020

FREDDIE JENKINS CORKERN, AGE 93

And a resident of Franklinton died Thursday afternoon October 22, 2020 at Riverside Medical Center. Alongside her family, she operated the J & B Supermarket in Franklinton for nearly 30 years. Freddie then worked for several years at Riverside Medical Center in respiratory therapy and later the cardiac EKG departments. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Franklinton and also an active member of the Order of The Eastern Star, Noble Queen Chapter No. 45 O.E.S. Freddie always enjoyed crocheting and working in her yard and flower beds.

Survived by:

2 Daughters and Sons in law: Nancy Sue and Berman Graham of the Stoney Point Community,
Carol and Terry Morgan of Franklinton

4 Grandsons and Spouses: Patrick and Leslie Graham of the Barker's Corner Community,
John Graham,
Christopher and Susan Morgan all of Denham Springs,
Sandy Wayne and Shanya Morgan of Amite

16 Great-grandchildren

4 Great-great-grandchildren

Also numerous nieces and nephews

She was preceded in death by her husband Olan J. "Buck" Corkern, great-granddaughter Destiny Graham, parents Fred Jenkins and Maude Green Jenkins, 4 sisters, a brother and other family members.

Graveside services will be held in Ellis Cemetery at 2:00 pm Sunday October 25th. Eastern Star Rites will be presented at 2:00 pm with the funeral service to follow with Rev. Joey Miller and Dr. Cody Warren officiating.

Pallbearers: Christopher Morgan, Sandy Wayne Morgan, Larry Todd, Nicky Smith, Ricky Corkern, Stephen Corkern

Tribute Wall

CJ

“ My condolences to Sue and Carol June and their extended families on the passing of this dear lady. “Miss Freddie” and Mr. Buck” were more than just my bosses at the J & B Supermarket in the early 60s when I worked there two afternoons a week after school and every Saturday. They were mentors, and I’ve said in speeches during my career that I probably learned at least as much from them as I did in any one of my four years of college — the things you don’t learn from textbooks, like running a business, interacting with people, and understanding “how the world works.” I haven’t seen “Miss Freddie” in many years, but I will nonetheless miss her.

Charles Jones - November 06, 2020 at 04:18 PM

DT

“ Carol and family, sorry about the loss of your mother.. Sorry we’re out of state and can’t be with you.

Devon and Delores Thomas - October 24, 2020 at 10:20 PM

TP

“ Carol and Sue. I am so sorry for your loss.
Your mother had a fulfilling life and I am she touched a lot of hearts.
Prayers for you all

Tisha Walker Patridge - October 24, 2020 at 04:45 PM

CF

“ With deepest sympathies,
Christopher Foret

christopher foret - October 24, 2020 at 09:33 AM

GF

“ So sorry guys. She was one of the kindest, hardest working, people I have ever had the privilege of knowing. God bless.

Gerald Foret - October 24, 2020 at 09:10 AM

ST

“ Sue and Carol, Doug and I send condolences to you and your families.

Sandra Toney - October 23, 2020 at 11:21 PM

SG

“ Sue and Family, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother! I pray that you will look to the Lord for grace and comfort for the days ahead!!

Sherry and Jimmy Graham - October 23, 2020 at 08:10 PM

TB

“ Our deepest sympathies to the family. My God comfort you during the coming days.

Luke and Tam Brooks

Tam Brooks - October 23, 2020 at 02:03 PM