



Helen Cantrelle Simmons

August 29, 1919 - June 14, 2009

HELEN "BETTIE" CANTRELLE SIMMONS, AGE 89

A former resident of Franklinton and a resident of Mandeville died Sunday, June 14, 2009 at St. Tammany Parish Hospital in Covington.

She was a member of Centenary United Methodist Church. She was a U S Army veteran of WWII. She was a WAAC corporal.

Survived by: Husband: Robert Howard Simmons of Mandeville, 2 Sons: Robert M. Simmons of Ashburn, VA, James H. Simmons of Marrero, 1 Daughter: Katherine E. Simmons of Annandale, VA, 5 Grandchildren: James Simmons, Jean Pierre Simmons, Morgan Simmons, Andrew Simmons, Rachel Simmons, 1 Sister: Mary Louise Verdier, Lompoc, CA

She was preceded in death by her parents William H. and Fannie Cushman Cantrelle, and 2 brothers E. W. Cantrelle and Albert Bingham Cantrelle.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home after 12 noon Thursday, June 18, 2009 with the funeral service to be held at 2 PM in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Steve Porter officiating. Burial will follow in the Ellis Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, family prefers donations in her memory to Centenary United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

DF

“ Howard, So sorry for your loss. Don

Don Ferguson - June 26, 2009 at 08:15 AM

RR

“ Howard I was sorry I could not attend the service. My thoughts are with you.

R W Richardson - June 20, 2009 at 02:56 PM

WK

“ Dear Howard and family, Wayne and I have been in Mississippi for a week with our daughter who had surgery. We are so sorry for your loss and sorry that we were not here to express our condolences in person. What a wonderful life she led. We know you will miss her. May God comfort you all.

Wayne & Sallie Knight - June 20, 2009 at 08:07 AM

JB

“ Though I left Surgical Eye I have never forgotten the beautiful patients that came to our office. My sincere sympathy goes out to you Mr. Howard and your family, I know Ms. Bettie will be missed for there was so much love and joy in your family... God bless you and my prayers are with you..Jeannine

Jeannine Bickham - June 18, 2009 at 09:29 AM

CC

“ I hope she knew how much I loved her. I wish she knew I'm a member of her church now. I'll always remember her sweet smile. I'm feeding her hummers. Miss you too Love, Cynthia (from Dr. Bessent's)

Cynthia Coleman - June 17, 2009 at 04:57 PM

CS

“ You are all in our intentions, the Schneiders

Chris Schneider - June 17, 2009 at 04:53 PM

JT

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Katie, and the rest of your family at this sad and difficult time.

Jennie Thoma - June 17, 2009 at 10:09 AM

TL

“ Howard,
Please accept our condolences upon Bettie passing away. I enjoyed our visits and conversations.

Tom & Bridgett Lewis - June 16, 2009 at 08:22 PM

LS

“ Howard, my prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.

Lib Scheuermann - June 16, 2009 at 02:58 PM

GF

“ Robert - so sorry - she was truly a nice person.

Gerry Foret - June 16, 2009 at 01:46 PM

MA

“ *MY SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY*

MARGUERITELIPANI - June 16, 2009 at 12:50 PM