



## Nell James

September 1, 1933 - November 30, 2020

JOHNNYE ANNELL "NELL" WEST JAMES, AGE 87

And a resident of Franklinton died early Monday morning November 30, 2020 at her home. She was born in Monroe and raised in Columbia, LA where she graduated from Columbia High School. Nell later graduated with Honors from Louisiana Tech University. She then moved to Franklinton in 1960 where she worked for Dr. Gerald Foret and Riverside Medical Center for many years. Nell was a longtime active member of Centenary United Methodist Church, where she sang in the church choir. She loved traveling the world with her sister and had visited Europe, Asia and many other far away vacation destinations. Nell always enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and was an avid reader.

Survived by:

3 Children and Spouses: Dr. Mark Lane James and Holly James of Franklinton,  
John Clayton James and Yanghee James of Montgomery, TX,  
Elizabeth James Leblanc of Mandeville

Grandchildren and Spouses: Mark James, II and Sara James,  
David James,

Andrew and Krista James,  
Kate and Jeremy Henriques,  
Michelle and Russell Anderson,  
Robert James and fiancé Kera Aparicio

Great-grandchildren: Owen James, William James, Graham James, Karla James, Heather James, Mary James, Yana James, Clayton James, Avery James, Henry James, Jude James, Simone Clark, Anderson Henriques, Jackson Henriques, Harper Henriques

Sister: Lane West and her friend Patty Jo Childers of Lafayette

Best Friend: Mary Elizabeth Richardson

She was preceded in death by her parents Louie Lane West and Johnny Ray West and son in law Joseph Leblanc.

The family wishes to express a sincere thank you to her caregivers and friends for their loving support through the years Barbara Bickham, James Bickham, DeDe Hart, Jamie Bickham and to the staff of St. Tammany Hospice.

A memorial service for her family will be planned at a later date.

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ Mark, John, and Liz,  
I'm so sorry to hear of Mrs Nell's passing. We'll be keeping you all in  
our prayers.  
Sincere condolences,  
Ron

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**Ron Simmons** - December 05, 2020 at 10:11 PM

DF

“ Dr James and family ,so sorry to hear of “Miss Nell” passing, always  
loved her,and she always made me laugh.  
Denise Fitzgerald

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**Denise Fitzgerald** - December 05, 2020 at 05:42 PM

LG

“ So sorry to hear of Nell's passing. She was such a joy to work with.  
Loved her contagious laugh.

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**Linda Galloway** - December 04, 2020 at 03:16 PM

EK

“ Mark, I'm so sorry for your loss. Prayers for you and your family.

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**Edna Kennedy** - December 04, 2020 at 10:34 AM



Thomas  
Vise

“ Mark, I was very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Albert let  
me know today. Mrs Nell was a wonderful woman loved by so many.  
I know you will miss her.

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**Thomas Vise** - December 03, 2020 at 04:28 PM

JO

“ *Joan.nielsen lit a candle in memory of Nell James*



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**joan.nielsen** - December 02, 2020 at 09:01 AM

JF

“ *Sending our most heartfelt condolences. You are each in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Judy Rollins Burch and Family** - December 02, 2020 at 08:11 AM

LS

“ *Lib Scheuermann lit a candle in memory of Nell James*



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**Lib Scheuermann** - December 02, 2020 at 08:11 AM

RR

“ *Marylyn and I send our sincere condolences to the entire family.*

*Dick Richardson*

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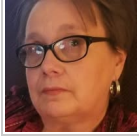
**R W Richardson** - December 01, 2020 at 09:57 PM

BB

“ *Sorry for yalls loss. Bob and Carol*

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**bob bateman** - December 01, 2020 at 07:12 PM



“ So sorry for the loss of your mother. She was a wonderful lady and friend to all those she came in contact with. Praying for the family as you remember all the good times you shared.

**Kaye Byrd** - December 01, 2020 at 10:12 AM

LB

*Kaye, thank you for such kind words during this difficult time for our family.*

**Liz James Le Blanc** - December 11, 2020 at 12:42 PM

TL

“ Thoughts and Prayers to the Family in the loss of your Mother, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother. Know she will be missed by many. Ted and Barbara Lewis, Kentwood, La

**Ted and Barbara Lewis** - December 01, 2020 at 09:18 AM

LB

*Ted and Barbara, Thank you for such kind words at such a difficult time for our family*

**Liz James Le Blanc** - December 11, 2020 at 12:36 PM

TB

“ We are so sorry for your loss! We are never ready to give them up! She will always be close to your heart. Sending prayers



**Terri Brignac** - November 30, 2020 at 09:51 PM

BB

*Sorry for yalls loss.*

**bob bateman** - December 01, 2020 at 07:09 PM

CJ

“ *Mark, Holly and family. I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your Mother. You are so blessed to have such a wonderful, caring, loving Mother. She will never be far from your heart. My prayers are with during your grief. Cathy Johnston*

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**Cathy Johnston** - November 30, 2020 at 08:10 PM

LB

*Cathy, thank you for such kind words at this difficult time for the Family*

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**Liz James Le Blanc** - December 11, 2020 at 12:39 PM

JB

“ *Thoughts and prayers for all. Enjoyed working with Mrs. Nell @RMC all those years ago. Think I had been working there over a year before I realized that she was your mother Dr. J. It amazed me how for many years she was the sole employee in admitting, had to hand write everything and work that crazy addressograph card maker and did it all with ease!! Now it takes numerous employees with computers to fill her shoes. Loved her laugh and she laughed frequently. Just have a big smile on my face now thinking of her . Thoughts, Love and prayers.  
Janet and Billy Ray Breland*

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**janet Breland** - November 30, 2020 at 07:53 PM

JW

*Thoughts and prayers for you all. My deepest condolences. It's so very sad when a family's matriarch passes. Take care of each other and cherish the good memories.*

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**Judy and Craig Wischkaemper** - November 30, 2020 at 10:53 PM

LB

*Janet and Judy, thank you both for such kind words during this difficult time for our family.*

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**Liz James Le Blanc** - December 11, 2020 at 12:40 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Nell James.*



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November 30, 2020 at 04:27 PM



“ *TRACEY LADNER lit a candle in memory of Nell James*



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**TRACEY LADNER** - November 30, 2020 at 04:15 PM



*Tracey, thank you for such kind words*

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**Liz James Le Blanc** - December 11, 2020 at 12:40 PM