



## Willie Bea Byrd Brock

March 5, 1930 - March 22, 2019

WILLIE BEA BYRD BROCK, AGE 89

And a resident of Mount Hermon died at 4:30 pm Friday March 22, 2019 at St. Tammany Parish Hospital. She was retired after a career with the Washington Parish School System as a bus driver for Mt. Hermon School. Willie Bea also was retired after a 30 year career, alongside her husband, in the family dairy business. She was a longtime member of Bogue Chitto Baptist Church. She enjoyed shopping, traveling and especially playing Bingo. Willie Bea was a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother and she was always a caregiver to others.

Survived by:

2 Sons and a Daughter in law: John Ray Welch and Kathy Welch of Zachary, LA,  
Hutson Brock, Jr. of Mt. Hermon

2 Grandchildren and Spouses: John David Welch and Julie Welch of Zachary,  
Sherry Ann Welch Hammons and Ron Hammons of West Monroe, LA,

4 Great-grandchildren: Trey Hammons,  
LeAnn Hammons,

Catherine Hammons,  
John Luke Welch

Also numerous nieces and nephews

She was preceded in death by her husband Hutson Brock, Sr., parents Heintz Byrd and Emma Green Byrd, a brother Jack Byrd and sister Alberta "Tot" Martin.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home (1109 Bene Street, Franklinton, LA) Wednesday March 27th from 9:00 am until 11:00 am. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 11:00 am Wednesday with Dr. Joe Baugh officiating. Burial will follow in the Bogue Chitto Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family wishes to express a sincere thank you to the staff of Forest Manor Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center of Covington for their devotion and care of Ms. Willie Bea. A special thanks, also, to the doctors and nurses at St. Tammany Parish Hospital for the definitive care and compassion to her and the family in these last days.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorial donations to the American Diabetes Association at [diabetes.org](http://diabetes.org).

Pallbearers: Eddie Byrd, Ronnie Byrd, John David Welch, Rocky Burch, Bill Brumfield, Mike Pace

Honorary Pallbearer is her great-grandson Trey Hammons

Obituaries can be viewed online at [www.crainfh.com](http://www.crainfh.com)



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 27. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home, Inc.  
1109 Bene Street  
P.O. Drawer H  
Franklinton, LA 70438  
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## Service

MAR 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Rest in peace Bea now I will take care of EJ for you*

Stefanie B - September 19, 2022 at 12:58 AM



“ *Hutson- so sorry for the loss of your Mother.  
She was a very special lady.  
Janet Alford Juskelis*



Janet Juskelis - March 28, 2019 at 08:43 AM

MH

“ *Ms. Willie Bea will be missed - she always welcomed me to Louisiana every time I came down. She raised wonderful sons & prayers sent to entire family.*

Mary Herndon - March 25, 2019 at 04:07 PM

BK

“ *So very sorry to hear of Mrs Willie B passing. Hudson you and your family are in my prayers...Brenda Kennedy*

brenda kennedy - March 25, 2019 at 12:34 PM

LC

“ *So sorry for your loss. Mrs. Willie Bea was a special person and will be missed by all who knew her. Prayers going up for all of you.*

Larry and Lavelle Cannon - March 25, 2019 at 10:34 AM

KL

“ Ms Willie B came into our lives at Forest Manor wth Love ❤️ N We Loved her back ❤️ But God Loved her More 🙏, She is missed Greatly by staff n other Residents that came to know her while at Forest Manor. She will Forever b n Our Hearts ❤️❤️ Our Thoughts n Prayers goes out to her Family n their time of Bereavement.  
Hall 100 Staff



Karen Richards LPN - March 25, 2019 at 08:13 AM

ET

“ Edith Crain, Margaret, Tip and Shannon Tollison purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Willie Bea Byrd Brock.



Edith Crain, Margaret, Tip and Shannon Tollison - March 24, 2019 at 12:06 PM

EN

“ Mrs Willie Bea was always a kind and loving lady. I am praying for her sons, family and friends.

Eve Nations - March 24, 2019 at 11:18 AM

JN

“ The world will not be the same without “Mis Willie Bea”. Our condolences, the Newman Family

jackie newman - March 24, 2019 at 07:58 AM



“ *Thoughts and prayers for the family during your time of loss.*

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**Calvin Simmons** - March 24, 2019 at 03:21 AM