



Norma Caffey Clearman

June 26, 1925 - December 10, 2019

Norma, age 94, went to her heavenly home Tuesday, December 10, 2019. She devoted her life to her family and spreading the gospel to others. Norma loved the Lord and was a great source of joy to all that knew her. She enjoyed reading her bible, which equipped her to be the spiritual advisor, and source of great comfort to all of her family. Her family understood that in a crisis they could call on Norma and she would get on her special 'Hotline to God' for an answer. Norma will always be remembered for her faith and love for her family.

Norma is survived by her daughters, Barbara Crosswell, Susan Starling, Joyce Kutcher, and Debbie Spicer; son, Kenneth G. Clearman; grandchildren, David Martin, Eric Crosswell, Kurt Crosswell, Sherri Brewer, Ian Spicer, Elisha Spicer, Ashley Spicer, Joshua and Olivia Clearman, and Jennifer and Jessica Browne; great-grandchildren, Haley Spicer, Kiet Crosswell, and Kyla Crosswell; sister, Marsha Danos; and brother, Jean Caffey.

Norma is preceded in death by her loving husband, Kenneth L. Clearman; grandson, Kenneth Gary Jones; parents Olympe and Charles Caffey; siblings, Mary Neal, Diane Mayor, June Gaspard, Virginia Erwin, and Douglas Caffey.

PONCHATOULA, LA.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson, Ponchatoula, on Sunday, December 15, 2019 from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. Visitation will resume Monday, December 16, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Reverend Larry will officiate, interment will immediately follow in Restlawn Park Cemetery in Avondale, LA.

Cemetery

Events

Restlawn Park Cemetery

4020 Highway 90 W
Avondale, LA,

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Visitation

02:00PM - 04:00PM

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Ponchatoula, LA
1190 U.S. 51, Ponchatoula, LA, US, 70454

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Visitation

09:00AM - 11:00AM

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Funeral Service

11:00AM

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Comments



“ I always felt so incredibly lucky to have this sweet amazing woman as a grandmother. Unfortunately I was not able to see her frequently as I did not live nearby for the majority of the years, but I did go see her every summer for a week or two for many years. I have so many fond memories with her in New York, Virginia, and Louisiana. And when I was not able to see her, I would call her several times a week whether it was just to hear from her, or seek advice because I was at a loss. She always knew what to say to make you feel better. Sometimes she just listened to you, and sometimes she offered words of wisdom. I loved listening to all of the stories she had to tell from driving by herself with NO prior driving experience to an appointment and getting stuck in a ditch to the beautiful loving story of when she met Grandpa. She was an incredibly stubborn woman who never liked to admit when she was wrong, but that's okay, because that stubborn way of hers also brought out a determination and will in her that I always admired. She was loved by so many people, and even though she is gone now, she will always be in our hearts. I know she is beyond thrilled to be with my grandfather and all the other family that she missed dearly over the years. She had a great life filled with so much love and laughter, and though I am sad she is no longer physically with us, I know she will always be watching over her family like she always has. Rest in peace, Grandma.

Olivia Clearman - December 13, 2019 at 12:21 PM



“ I made a lemon meringue pie for Thanksgiving this year, and it reminded me of a story Norma liked to tell about flinging one out the door because she had scraped off the top of the meringue on the oven. That memory made me laugh that day, and it is making me cry today. Norma loved to tell stories and we all loved to listen to them. I especially liked the stories of her romance with her beloved husband, Kenneth, and how she couldn't stand him right up until the moment she realized that she loved him. Norma was a wondrous mixture of humor, wisdom, stubbornness and grace, with an amazing capacity to love and comfort everyone she touched; but yet still capable of flinging an innocent pie out into the street. My life was blessed by knowing and loving her.

I will be forever grateful that for a little while I got to call her "Mom."

God bless and comfort you all.

Laura

Laura Catalano - December 12, 2019 at 09:06 AM



“ My dear Suzie and family, my heart goes out to all of you, I loved her like she was my own mother, we have been like family for many many years, I love you all so very much, she is at peace and with her beloved husband, she was so so special, All my love

Diane

Diane Normand - December 11, 2019 at 11:24 PM