



## Abilene Starns Davis

May 16, 1925 - March 26, 2013

### Abilene Starns Davis

Age 87 and a resident of Pumpkin Center, Abilene went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, March 26, 2013 at Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center. She worked in the Capitol Building during World War II. Mrs. Abilene loved being with her family, spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren, telling people about how much she loved Jesus and enjoyed spreading His word.

Abilene leaves behind her sons, Sherwood Davis and wife Tracy of Hammond, Timothy Davis and wife Cindy of Remington, Virginia; grandchildren, Dawn Giluso and husband Henry, Stacey Hill and husband Shelly, Jennifer, Christopher and wife Jill, Brittany and Kristen Davis; great-grandchildren, Ross and Aiden Giluso, Chloe and Cole Hill, Kennedy and Ace Davis, Melody Davis. She is also survived by her sister, Stella S. Guy of Walker; brothers, Joseph E. Starns and wife Nettie of Holden, D. L. Starns and wife Joyce of Denham Springs, as well as, numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding Abilene in death were her husband, Clinton James Davis; infant son; parents, Joseph and Josephine Starns; brother, Homer Starns.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home in Hammond on Thursday, March 28, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Visitation will resume at Jerusalem Baptist Church, Pumpkin Center, on Friday, March 29, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Dr. Phil Weaver will officiate the services and interment will follow in the church cemetery.

Condolences and other information are available online at [www.thompsoncares.com](http://www.thompsoncares.com).

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Jerusalem Baptist Church Cemetery

11109 Jerusalem Church Rd.  
Hammond, LA 70403

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 28. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA  
12012 Highway 190 W  
Hammond, LA 70401  
(225) 567-1884

## Visitation

MAR 29. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Jerusalem Baptist Church  
11109 Jerusalem Church Rd.  
Hammond, LA

## Funeral Service

MAR 29. 11:00 AM (CT)

Jerusalem Baptist Church  
11109 Jerusalem Church Rd.  
Hammond, LA

## Burial

MAR **29**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Jerusalem Baptist Church Cemetery  
11109 Jerusalem Church Rd.  
Hammond, LA 70403

# Tribute Wall

RG

“ Our prayers go out to the Davis family. Ryan sure will miss visiting with Mrs Abilene in church on Sundays. She had a heart of gold and will truly be missed by many. Love, Ryan and Amy Galladora

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**Ryan galladora** - March 29, 2013 at 05:34 AM

CB

“ What a sweet lady and a true christian,our thoughts and prayers are with you. Wayne and Cindy Brewer

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**c brewer** - March 28, 2013 at 08:25 PM

PW

“ To know Mrs. Abilene was to love her, as well as to be loved by her! She was a dear, sweet lady who touched many lives. She was a blessing to our family. We know that our loss has certainly been heaven's gain! May God bless each of you! Bro. Phil, Kim, Haleigh, and Jeremiah Weaver

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**Phil Weaver** - March 28, 2013 at 06:30 PM

CM

“ Ms. Abilene was a wonderful person. She always made people welcome in her presence. My sympathy goes out to the family. May God Bless You and may the warmth of his love keep you strong.

*Chuck (Charlie) Martin / Springfield*

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**Chuck Martin** - March 28, 2013 at 10:37 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Abilene Starns Davis.*



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March 28, 2013 at 08:37 AM



“ *Ruby LeTard lit a candle in memory of Abilene Starns Davis*



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**Ruby LeTard** - March 27, 2013 at 03:24 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.*

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**Gordon Anderson** - March 27, 2013 at 12:51 PM



“ *We are so sorry to hear of Mrs. Abilene's passing. Our thoughts and prayers go to her family and friends.  
Gertrude Rogers and daughters, Patsy Dixon and Ann Aime*

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**Ann G. Aime** - March 27, 2013 at 11:44 AM

JM

“ Mrs. Abilene, a lovely & gracious lady, who blessed my children in her bible study (Sunday school) classes for all their growing up years. Her love for her Lord Jesus shined in her love for family, friends, and Jerusalem Baptist church. I loved working with Mrs. Abilene in our Women's Missionary Union for many years, and she shared her love of missions with me, so that missions became a big part of my life. My family has truly been blessed with Mrs. Abilene in our lives, we love you sweet lady. Judy & Wesley Meades



Judy Meades - March 27, 2013 at 11:26 AM



“ Lester Easley lit a candle in memory of Abilene Starns Davis



Lester Easley - March 26, 2013 at 06:02 PM



I am sure going to miss my hug on Sunday mornings! She was such an inspiration to me. Gona miss her dearly.

Lester Easley - March 26, 2013 at 06:08 PM

CF

“*Sherwood, Tim, and family, we were so saddened to hear about your Mother today. My Mom is with me and is deeply moved by their friendship and your loss. Your Mom and Dad were by parents' best friends for many, many years! They will always remain in our hearts as "Uncle Clinton" and "Aunt Abilene." Our prayers are with you and your families a you mourn the loss of your dear Mother at this Easter week. We celebrate her life and life of Christ, who by Him all things are made glorified! Love to you!...Candy Dufrene Friday, Katy, Texas.*

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**Candy Dufrene Friday** - March 26, 2013 at 02:26 PM