



## Bessie Bee Carpenter

October 8, 1940 - December 6, 2023

Bessie, age 83, joined her husband in Heaven on Wednesday, December 6, 2023. She was a resident of Hammond, LA. Bessie enjoyed quilting and crocheting and was known for her unique potholders. She was all about her family and was happiest surrounded by those she loved. Bessie had the sweetest smile and a genuinely kind soul. She was a loving mother, sister, and grandmother who will be forever missed.

She is survived by her sons, Vernon Ray Carpenter (Johonna), Steve Elliott Carpenter; sister, Melba Coor; twin brother, Jessie Shaffett (May); brothers, JW Shaffett (Bonnie), Alvin Shaffett; grandchildren, Matthew Carpenter, Marc CFarpenter (Paige), Tiffany Carpenter, Hanna Carpenter (Tim); great-grandchildren McKenzie Carpenter, Henry Carpenter, Harper Carpenter, Logan Carpenter, Lexi Carpenter, Sheva Price, Leon Price, Kayden Sharp, Leah Sharp; numerous nieces, nephews, and great- nieces and nephews.

Bessie is preceded in death by her husband, Raymond M. Carpenter; son, Milton Leroy Carpenter; great-grandchild, Laelah Ann Hannon-Mayer; and parents, Leroy and Bessie Shaffett; and her great-grandparents Avants.

A cremation was held, and services will be held by the family at a later date.