



Grace Susie Rosata

August 5, 1928 - April 21, 2009

She was born in Holden, Louisiana and a lifelong resident of the Hammond area. At the age of 80, Grace passed away on Tuesday, April 21, 2009 at North Oaks Medical Center. She was a devoted mother who loved to tell and listen to good stories. By volunteering as a foster grandparent at the Hammond Developmental Center, Grace was able to fulfill her passion for helping others. She was known as a generous Christian “country” lady, who always had a sober sense of humor. Grace provided for her family as a seamstress and managing the Dollar General Store along with many other related jobs.

Grace is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, John Jr. and Beth-Andermann Rosata of Kingwood Texas; seven grandchildren and their spouses, John, III and Angelle Rosata of Nashville Tennessee, Kimberly and Steve Sossamon of Dallas Texas, Erin and Wally Fleming of Robert, Louisiana, Reagan and Clint Harris of Tyler Texas, Kellie Alison and Danny Stevens of Williston, Florida, Lauren and Matthew Todd of Hebron Kentucky, and Karlyn Rosata of Covington, Louisiana. She leaves behind eight great-grandchildren and one expectant great-grandson. Her surviving siblings are two sisters, Lula Mae Pierson of Holden and Laressa Watts of Bush and a brother, Lemuel Stewart of Albany. She will be sadly missed by her family and a host of friends.

Grace was preceded in death by her husband, John Rosata Sr.; two sons, Kelly Raymond Rosata and Jimmy Rosata and one brother, Lawrence

Stewart.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, west of Hammond on Friday April 24th at 10:00 a.m. The family requests that visiting hours be observed at the funeral home chapel on Thursday April 23rd from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again on Friday beginning at 8:30 a.m. until the funeral service time. The services will be officiated by Deacon Wallace Gainey and interment will follow in Parklawn Cemetery.

Condolences and other information available online at www.bgthompsonfuneralhome.com

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

Tribute Wall



“ To the family of my dear friend Grace: I would like to offer my deepest condolences. Sorry I could not be there but I am out of town taking care of my daughter after surgery. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Ethel Louis##imported-begin##Ronnie Kyzar##imported-end##

April 27, 2009 at 09:29 AM

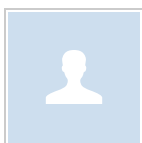


“ Johnny Boy,

I am so sorry to hear that Mrs. Grace passed away. I am so grateful for the time I spent with her when my mother was in the hospital. We talked about the good old times when us kids were growing up and our sad times. I know that she missed Kelly so much. I know the two of them have those big pretty smiles on their faces. Love to you, Beth, and family for this great loss.

Pat##imported-begin##Ethel Louis##imported-end##

April 24, 2009 at 11:57 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Pat K. Moak##imported-end##

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Gordon and Eloise Anderson##imported-end##

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“ Grace was a very special lady! We will miss you so very much! Our prayers are with her family.##imported-begin##Loretta Cali Vale##imported-end##

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“ ##imported-begin##Pastor arbuckle##imported-end##

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