



## Judith 'Judy' Marie Hardin Herring

March 4, 1945 - November 17, 2019

Judy, age 74, passed away Sunday, November 17, 2019, at North Oaks Hospital, in Hammond, LA. She was born March 4, 1945, in Kenner, LA, and is the daughter of the late Helen Turnage and Chester Joseph Hardin Sr. Judy was a proud graduate of Springfield High School, where she was fondly known as “little bit,” and voted Most Athletic and Noisiest, despite her small stature. She went on to devote her life to the children of her community, and spreading the gospel to others, with the same tenacity she was known for on the basketball court. Judy was a Special Education Teacher’s Aid at Springfield Elementary from 1972-1981, and taught Sunday School for over 45 years. She was a dedicated member of Woodland Baptist Church. Judy will always be remembered for her faith and love in the lord and the LSU Tigers. She is survived by her high school sweetheart and beloved husband of 56 years, James “Jimmy” Herring, of Springfield, LA. Also surviving are her adored children, Darinda “Deanie” Herring Wall, married to Allen Wall, Chester “Chet” Herring, married to Robbie McLeod Herring, and Ryan Pernel Herring; treasured sister, Billie Hardin Adams, married to Kenneth “Kenny” Adams; cherished grandchildren, Christen Abels, Christopher “Chris” Herring, Caraline Abels, Britney Herring Scott, Brandon Herring, Autumn Herring, and Sawyer Herring; precious great-grandson, Brody Young; loved nephew and niece, Kenneth “Donnie” Adams and Sondra Adams Bourdelon; and many cousins, great nieces, and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother and father, Helen Turnage and

Chester Joseph Hardin Sr.; adored little brother, Chester "Buddy" Hardin Jr.; and niece, Angel Adams.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at Woodland Baptist Church, 27929 Blood River Road, Springfield, Tuesday, November 19, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Visitation will resume Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. until the beginning of the Funeral Service at 11:00 a.m.

Brother Paul Taylor and Brother Jeremy Glascock will officiate with interment to follow in Springfield Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Springfield Cemetery

27301 Hwy 42  
Springfield, LA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **19**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Woodland Baptist Church Cemetery  
27929 Hwy 1037  
Springfield, LA 70462

## Visitation

NOV **20**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Woodland Baptist Church Cemetery  
27929 Hwy 1037  
Springfield, LA 70462

## Funeral Service

NOV **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Woodland Baptist Church Cemetery  
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Springfield, LA 70462



# Tribute Wall



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith 'Judy' Marie Hardin Herring.



November 19, 2019 at 02:19 PM



“ The Smith Tank & Steel Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Judith 'Judy' Marie Hardin Herring.



**The Smith Tank & Steel Family** - November 19, 2019 at 12:01 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Judith 'Judy' Marie Hardin Herring.



November 19, 2019 at 07:57 AM



“ She was such a sweet lady but could be a bulldog at a ball game. Have fond memories of her watching and protecting her grand children at many ball games. She will be missed.  
Jeannie Coats

**Jeannie Coats** - November 18, 2019 at 03:52 PM

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“ There isn't a part of my childhood that I don't remember Mrs. Judy being a part of. From Sunday School at First Baptist Church, School Events and the parties at Mr. Jimmy and Mrs. Judy's house. Over the years, I often ran into her running errands around town. She always have me the biggest hug and that beautiful smile. We would talk about just about everything in a few minutes. She never failed to ask about my Military Career, telling me how Proud she was of me. I ran into Deanie a couple of weeks ago, saying I needed to come see you. But, that never happened. Thank You for everything you said to me and did for me over the years. Until we met again ....Hugs & Love To You❤️

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**Flo Bates Kirkpatrick** - November 18, 2019 at 02:58 PM