



Mary Lynn Dawson

February 28, 1944 - March 4, 2011

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A native of Baton Rouge and longtime resident of Hammond, Mary passed away on Friday, March 4, 2011 at the age of 67. She retired from Hammond Junior High School after 25 years of dedicated service and was also a member of First Presbyterian Church-Hammond, where she taught Sunday school, Bible school and was a former officer on the church board.

She leaves behind her husband of 47 years, Glen Dawson; four children, Rodney Dawson and wife Janet, Brad Dawson, Keith Dawson and wife Tammy, Jill Barry and husband Mike; eight grandchildren, Kelee, Daniel, Megan, Andrew, Landry and Anabelle Dawson, Matt and Alan Barry. She is also survived by her sister, Evelyn Conerly, as well as, several nieces and nephews.

Preceding Mary in death were her parents, N. Douglas and Evelyn Pratt Nettles; Taylor Noel Todora, her great-nephew and Godchild.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home on Wednesday, March 9, 2011 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. The visitation will resume at First Presbyterian Church-Hammond on Thursday, March 10, 2011 from 9:00 a.m.

until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Jimmy Stayton will officiate the services.

Memorial donations may be made to the Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Attn: Donor Services, PO Box 650309, Dallas TX 75265-0309 or North Oaks Hospice, P.O. Box 2668, Hammond LA 70404.

Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com

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

Tribute Wall



“ *card8|direct##imported-begin####imported-end##*

March 11, 2011 at 12:11 AM



“ *Hey Glenn
Im am really sorry to hear about this. I have fond memories of Mary
and the entire family. I will truly miss her.##imported-begin##Brett
Blouin##imported-end##*

March 10, 2011 at 07:28 PM



“ *Dear Glen,Rodney,Brad,Keith and Jill, We will miss Mary. She was
a very special person and friend. She will live on in our hearts
forever. She made special memories that will be with us
always.##imported-begin##Celene Short & Byron
Addison##imported-end##*

March 10, 2011 at 03:55 PM



“ *Mary and I got to know each other when my son was in Iraq. She
was a very unique person and will be missed by those of us in her
neighborhood. I am keeping her family in my prayers.
Sylvia Cater
1907 Dennis Drive##imported-begin##sylvia cater##imported-
end##*

March 10, 2011 at 11:19 AM



“ SORRY FOR YOUR FAMILIES LOSS
HAVE ALOT OF GREAT MEMORIES
OF YOUR MOM FROM WHEN WE WERE KIDS... YOUR IN MY
PRAYERS###imported-begin###ROBERT HELMS###imported-end##

March 10, 2011 at 10:04 AM



“ “Miss Mary” was, and still is, my mother’s best friend. She’ll be
greatly missed by all. Thoughts and prayers are with the
family.###imported-begin###Tommy MacNutt###imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 10:03 PM



“ Dear Glen and family: My heart was saddened to hear about Mary
Lynn. She was such a sweet dear friend from my college years. I
loved my Christmas letters and the updates on your family. Her
smile and laughter will always be with me. I did not know she was
ill...so sorry! Our love and prayers are with you and the children.
God has called one of his very special children home. Love to all of
you!###imported-begin###Wanda Inman###imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 06:14 PM



“ Jill, I am so sorry to hear about your mom. I will continue to pray for
you and your family during this most difficult time. All I can say is it
does get easier with time.
Jeannie Coats###imported-begin###Jeannie###imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 02:49 PM



“ Glenn and Family, please accept my prayers and condolences at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Mona Starkey##imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 12:01 PM



“ We both are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with the entire family.##imported-begin##Dianne and Lemmie Dickerson##imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 10:41 AM



“ Glen, Jill, Rodney, Brad & Keith:

We are very saddened by Aunt Mary's passing away. She was a wonderful person and we will miss her. Please accept our deepest condolences and may she rest in peace with God.##imported-begin##Laura & Tony Lim##imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 10:17 AM



“ Dear Mr. Glen and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I loved Mary so very much and she will be missed terribly. I will never forget our Super Bowl party at our house when the Saints beat her beloved team, the Colts. What a fun night that was! She will always be in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Janet Moran##imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 08:24 AM



“ We were very fortunate to have such a good neighbor as Mary. May she rest in peace.##imported-begin##Ed and Mary Levy-Brown##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 08:02 PM



“ SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT MARY'S PASSING. BACK IN THE 80'S WHEN OUR SONS WAS IN FOOTBALL WE WERE FRIENDS AND EACH FRIDAY WOULD WORK THE CONCESSION STAND THEN IN THE SUMMER TIME THEIR WAS BASEBALL SHE WOULD BE THEIR ALONG WITH ME CHEERING FOR OUR BOYS.I REMEMBER HER AS A KIND WOMAN WITH A SWEET HEART WHO WOULD HELP AT ANY TIME. GOD BLESS YOU GLYNN AND REST OF THE FAMILY.A FRIEND BARBARA HEBERT (BLAKE'S MOTHER)##imported-begin##Barbara D. Hebert##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 07:43 PM



“ I express my sympathy and prayers for Mary's family and friends. I finished High School at Istrouma with mary. May God comfort you all.##imported-begin##David Womack##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 03:20 PM



“ Dearest Family:

I was a friend and classmate of Mary's from the 1st grade until we graduated from Istrouma. She was such a dear friend and I am so sad to hear of her passing. Mary and I both had red hair and this was a very special bond between us. Her Mother was also a friend as she always cared for me at the "doctor's office". My deepest sympathies to the entire family for losing such a loving person. Prayers to you all.##imported-begin##Madeline Blackwell Darcey##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 03:10 PM



“ Mr. Glen, Rodney, Brad, Keith, Jill & family,

Our deepest condolences. We were truly blessed that Miss Mary was a daily presence in our lives and will always cherish the many fond memories of her warmth, kindness, humor, and generosity.##imported-begin##Tim Hu##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 12:30 PM



“ So sorry. Ms. Mary was a very sweet lady.##imported-begin##Dori Steib St. Cyr##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 09:59 AM



“ I'm very saddened by your loss##imported-begin##Derryl Steib##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 09:46 AM



“ We are praying for the family. God bless all of you.##imported-begin##Bob & Linda Woodruff##imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 08:55 AM



“ We have fond memories os Mary. The family is in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Rusty and Jean Stewart##imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 05:45 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Gordon and Eloise Anderson##imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 05:19 PM



“ My prayers are with you Mr Glen and your family. Mrs. Mary was a sweet and kind woman.##imported-begin##Cynthia McCormick Edwards##imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 12:15 PM