



## Mildred Shelton Mills

March 30, 1938 - September 15, 2013

### Mildred Shelton Mills

Age 75 and a resident of Hammond, Mildred passed away on Sunday, September 15, 2013 at North Oaks Medical Center. Mildred was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and sister, whom will be missed dearly. She enjoyed making crafts, gardening and spending time with her family.

Mildred leaves behind her daughter, Jo Ann Newman and husband Bill; son, Larry Douglas Beard and wife Deborah, along with her grandchildren, Tiffany Reine, Angel Reine and husband Dion, Joshua Beard, Larry Beard, Jr. and wife Victoria, Sommer Beard and Chris; great-grandchildren, Dakota, Ryan, Shawn, Alexis, Christopher Jr., Matthew, Zakariyya and Jerimiyya. She is also survived by her sisters, Cindy Perilloux and husband Herbert, Deborah Bennett and husband George, Sheila Offe and husband Mike, as well as, numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding Mildred in death were her husband, Richard Allen Mills; sons, Curtis and Dennis Beard; brothers, Kenneth Drury and Lemuel "Owen" Shelton; sister, Judith Baham; granddaughter, Jennifer Beard; parents, Lemuel and Gladys Shelton.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Ponchatoula, on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again on Thursday, September 19, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Interment will follow in Sandhill 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

## Sandhill Cemetery

Sandhill Cemetery Road  
Ponchatoula, LA

# Previous Events

## Burial

SEP **19**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Sandhill Cemetery  
Sandhill Cemetery Road  
Ponchatoula, LA

# Tribute Wall

TK

“ Thomas & Ellen Conroe, and Valerie Killett purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mildred Shelton Mills.



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**Thomas & Ellen Conroe, and Valerie Killett** - September 18, 2013 at 09:25 AM

ES

“ Evon Schliegmeyer sent a virtual gift in memory of Mildred Shelton Mills



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**Evon Schliegmeyer** - September 17, 2013 at 04:51 PM

TC

“ Aunt Bibi, I feel so blessed to have had you as an aunt. I will always cherish all of the memories that I have with you. The last time I saw you was when we all stayed at your house during the 2012 family reunion. I remember you just watching Ella running around and just smiling at her. I am so glad that at the end of that visit you gave me a picture of you, I will always treasure it. I am so thankful that both of my kids have a baby blanket made by such a wonderful and loving person. I love you so much and will miss you forever!  
With love always,  
Tori

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**Tori Chevalier** - September 17, 2013 at 04:22 PM

DB

“ MILDRED IS MY OLDEST SISTER, SHE WAS ALWAYS THERE TO HELP ME WITH ANYTHING I NEEDED. I LOVE HER SO MUCH AND WILL MISS HER SO VERY MUCH.I JUST CAN'T IMAGINE MY LIFE WITHOUT HER. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.

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**DEBBIE BENNETT** - September 17, 2013 at 03:59 PM

MK

“ Mrs Mildred was a very sweet person, never forget when she first started coming to our signings and how sweet she was. I could tell there was something special about her.. She and I then became facebook friends in between her coming to our singing where I would be able to talk to her face to face . The last singing that I seen her at was out in Springfield and she told me I have to talk to you, and I said yes mam.. " she then went on to tell me that she wanted to start giving our group a donation " I said no mam you don't have to do that ( knowing that she probably lived on a fixed income), she then looked at me in the eyes and said " no I have to do this God told me too" so I couldn't argue with that... but she truly touched my heart!!!! I pray for the family that you know that she is know at peace with her Savior and resting in Him!!! Missy with Chronicle

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**missy kinchen** - September 17, 2013 at 03:21 PM

TD

“ To Joann, Larry,Cindy, Sheila and Debbie and other family members, I am so sorry for your loss. I know Aunt Mildred leaves a large void in your hearts. May all of your love and fond memories carry you through the difficult days ahead. She is once again reunited with her parents, brothers and sister. Love to you all. Terri Drury Doremus.

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**Terri Doremus** - September 17, 2013 at 03:10 PM

JN

“ I awake each morning to start a new day  
But the pain of loosing you never goes away.  
I go about the things I have to do  
And as the hours pass I think again of you.  
I want to call you and just hear your voice  
Then I remember that I have no choice  
For you are not there and now my heart cries  
Just to see you again to tell you goodbye  
To say Mama I love you and I always will  
And hope that much of you, in me you've instilled.  
The day that you left I just didn't know  
That you were going where I couldn't go.  
And now all my memories of you are so dear  
But gosh, how I miss you and wish you were here.  
Who now can hear me when I need to cry?  
It so hard to tell you "Mama goodbye."  
Someday I know all will be well  
And I'll see you again with stories to tell  
Of how you were missed and how we have grown  
And how good it is to finally be home.  
Until then my memories of you I'll keep near  
And I'll pass them on to those who are dear.  
I miss you Mama,



JoAnn

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JoAnn Newman - September 17, 2013 at 02:18 PM

JN

“ JoAnn Newman lit a candle in memory of  
Mildred Shelton Mills



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JoAnn Newman - September 17, 2013 at 02:16 PM

TR

“ *Grandma, I know that you are at peace now. I love and miss you terribly, but I know I will see you again. You will never be forgotten and always will have a place in my heart. Love your grand-daughter Tiffany*



*The Broken Chain*

*We little knew that day that God was going to call your name,  
In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same.  
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone,  
For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.  
You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide,  
And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side.  
Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,  
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.*

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**Tiffany Reibne** - September 17, 2013 at 02:00 PM

JH

“ *Jackie Hodgson lit a candle in memory of Mildred Shelton Mills*



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**jackie hodgson** - September 17, 2013 at 01:55 PM

SH

“ *Such a sweet lady going to miss my Facebook friend*

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**sonia henry** - September 17, 2013 at 01:53 PM

VT

“ My sincere condolences to the family of Mildred Mills. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in God's promise to soon "swallow up death forever...and wipe the tears from all faces. " (Isaiah 25;8) While grief at the loss of your Mom is great, joy at welcoming her back in the resurrection will be greater. (Mark 5;42) With deepest sympathy,

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**valerie thompson** - September 17, 2013 at 06:27 AM