



Robbye Kirkland Bell

September 19, 1935 - April 15, 2025

On April 15, 2025, Robbye went to be with her Lord and husband of 64 years, John W. Bell. Robbye was born in 1935 to Robert and Elizabeth (Beth) Kirkland. She adored animals of all kinds, but cats held a special place in her heart. Robbye was well known to the area of Hammond for her volunteer work at Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center, Our Daily Bread, and cooking and serving others at her church Westchurch Church of Christ. She was also known as Grandmother to countless students as she was at every school function, party, and field trip. Robbye will be deeply missed by all those that loved her.

Robbye is survived by son Kirk (Karen), daughter Andrea, all of Hammond, granddaughter Kymberleigh Bell-Killett (Stephen) of Harahan, great-granddaughter Gabriella Killett - Vargas (Ramon), and great-great-grandson Oscar of Kenner; brothers, Richard Bell (Sharon), Wayne Bell (Judy), Milton Bell (Cathy); sisters Myra (Leonard) McGee and Winnie Bell; as well as several nieces and nephews. She is also survived by her fur babies Max, Mini, and Molly.

Robbye is preceded in death by her husband, John W. Bell; her parents, sister Linda Jane, brothers Harold Bell and Lloyd Bell, and in laws Oletha and Lewis Bell.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Tangipahoa Animal Shelter.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation at
Brandon G Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond on Tuesday April 22, 2025,
from 3:00 p.m. until the Memorial service at 6:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **22**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G Thompson Funeral Home Hammond
12012 Hwy 190 West
Hammond, LA 70401

Memorial Service

APR **22**. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robbye Kirkland Bell*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - April 21, 2025 at 09:59 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robbye Kirkland Bell.*



April 21, 2025 at 11:36 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robbye Kirkland Bell.*



April 21, 2025 at 03:36 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robbye Kirkland Bell.*



April 21, 2025 at 11:15 AM



“ *Don Hartman planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robbye Kirkland Bell.*

Don Hartman - April 17, 2025 at 12:47 PM



“ *Don Hartman purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Robbye Kirkland Bell.*



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“ *Loved her easy smile with a kind and generous spirit. So loved by so many!*

Raquel Riddle - April 17, 2025 at 09:43 AM