



## Sandra "Sandy" Susan Atwood

May 16, 1944 - June 8, 2014

Age 70, resident of Hammond for the past fifteen years, Sandy Atwood went to her heavenly home on Sunday, June 8, 2014, surrounded by her loving family. She was a member of Eagle Heights Community Church where she enjoyed worshipping the Lord. Sandy loved helping her community, and was involved in many organizations, such as TRIAD/ SALT, AARP, and the Veteran Home. She loved gardening and caring for animals, but above all else, Sandy loved spending time with her beloved family.

She leaves behind her devoted husband of 32 years, Richard "Rich" Atwood; son, Bret Bowen and wife Sherrie Johnson; and brother, Warren Drewes III. Preceding Sandy in death were her parents, Warren James Drewes and Alta May Aurburn Drewes; and sister, Patricia Ann Revolva.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation at Eagle Heights Community Church on Thursday, June 12, 2014 from 12:00 p.m. until the religious service at 2:00 p.m. Pastor Kevin Dunn will officiate the services and interment will follow in Gatlin Cemetery.

Memorial Contributions may be made to Eagle Heights Community Church P.O. Box 877, Hammond, LA 70404 or Cancer Society 10528 Kentshire Court, Baton Rouge, LA 70810

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

## Gatlin Cemetery

Gatlin Cemetery Rd.  
Hammond, LA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 12. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Eagle Heights Community Church  
47318 Rufus Bankston Rd  
Tickfaw, LA 70466

# Tribute Wall

RT

“ *Bret, although I never met your mom, I know she had to be a great woman in order to raise a son such as you. I know you will miss her, but she will always be with you in your heart.* ”

Rhonda Thomas - June 14, 2014 at 04:09 PM

LG

“ *Mr. Rich I want you to know that I am really going to Mrs sandy. I always remember her smile and How she always liked to help everyone Wayne and I will always miss her and love you* ”


Laurie Cercy and Wayne Green - June 14, 2014 at 03:23 PM

MT

“ *Mr. Rich, I was so sorry to hear of Ms. Sandy's passing. I met her through TRIAD/SALT. We shared the same passion for improving the quality of life of our community's senior citizens. She was a true inspiration to me and so many others. She will be sadly missed. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.* ”



Martha Thompson - June 13, 2014 at 02:36 PM

 Beth  
Blancher

“ *Bret and Rich, So sorry for your loss she was such a wonderful lady. I hope your loving memories help ease the pain. You are in our thoughts and prayers.* ”

Beth Blancher - June 13, 2014 at 11:16 AM

GC

“ Ms. Sandy never met a stranger, she had a heart of gold. I am a better person knowing her. I am so blessed to have met her and been able to spend the times that I did with her and our long phone conversations. I will miss you dearly, but I am also at peace knowing that you are in heaven and we have a very special angel watching over us. love you Ms. Sandy

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**Grace Callahan** - June 11, 2014 at 09:29 AM

HP

“ Jesus bless you dear friend.  
I remember the last time my wife and I were with her and Rich and Sandy.  
We had a cookout and ate under their carport.  
I had longed to have a bar-b-que with my dear friends,, but I guess all were too busy.  
She was very kind to me and my family.  
Rich is like a brother. I am so sorry Rich, and if you need me please call.  
Harlan Gene Parrott Sr.

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**Harlan Parrott** - June 11, 2014 at 08:50 AM

 Eddie Daniels

“ i met sandy many years ago when she and rich lived in beaufort, nc. sandy was a receptionist at a dental office in morehead city, nc, that my dental lab serviced. our professional relationship became a personal one and she was a ray of sunshine in very hectic times. I loved her sweet smile and listening to her stories about living in las vegas. may god bless and welcome you, dear friend,

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**Eddie Daniels** - June 11, 2014 at 07:34 AM

DM

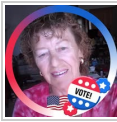
“ *Mrs. Sandy was a very special lady and will be missed by everyone who knew her....*

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**Darien & Diedra (DeeDee) Milton** - June 10, 2014 at 09:55 PM

JA

“ *It was an honor and a pleasure to walk alongside of you Sandy these past 15 years as close friends. We wish it had been longer. Now we have our eternal length of days together to look forward to my friend. Heartfelt sympathy to Rich, Bret and Sherry, and family.*

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**John and Cindy Armit** - June 09, 2014 at 08:00 PM



*I have known Sandy for many years and she was a very good friend , we spend some years in the PI's together , I will miss Sandy but she will be pain free now . Sandy will always be in my heart , God bless you Sandy , Good bye my Friend , always love you ! your friend Heidi ! My Sympathy to Rich !*

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**Heidi Foster** - June 09, 2014 at 11:08 PM