



Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc

May 13, 1964 - May 2, 2015

Joy, age 50, passed away on Saturday, May 2, 2015. She was a native of Hammond and a longtime resident of Ponchatoula. Joy graduated from Ponchatoula High school where she played the trumpet and French horn. She was married to Philip LeBlanc III and they traveled all over the country together. Joy was very talented and she enjoyed drawing, painting, and singing. She had a special place in her heart for her dogs, but spending the holidays with her family was most important.

Joy is survived by her husband, Philip LeBlanc III; son, Michael Stafford; stepson, Colton LeBlanc; parents, Cecil Coates, Andrea and Jimmie Brumfield. She is also survived by her sisters, Julie Coates, Janet Garner, Jeanene Fontanille; and brother, Brian Coates.

She is preceded in death by her son, Christopher Todd Stafford; and grandparents, Howard and Viola Adams, Kevlin and Jesse Lee Coates.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Hammond, on Tuesday, May 5, 2015 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Visitation will continue on Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at Macedonia Baptist Church from 10:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 2:00 p.m. Bro. Bobby Smith will be officiating and interment will follow in Macedonia Cemetery.

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

Arrangements are Currently Pending. Please Check Back Soon!

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Absolutely shocked when I saw this. This is one of thing terrible about living so far away. We don't get news like this until much later. Phillip, and family, We all go way back being Pumpkin Center neighbors. Joy used to give me rides to school in her truck. Band and Mardi Gras Parades and she had reached out to my wife about losing a child a while back because unfortunately we had experienced the same. Such a sweet, caring soul. So sorry for you loss.

Joseph holmes - May 14, 2015 at 01:14 AM

BO

“ Bobbie Lynn Oliphant lit a candle in memory of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc



Bobbie Lynn Oliphant - May 06, 2015 at 07:54 AM

RC

“ Please accept my most heartfelt sympathy for your loss my thoughts our with you and your family . Friends, Rick Cannon

Rick Cannon - May 05, 2015 at 07:17 PM

Debby Callenius

“ I remember working with Joy at Valero, her and Philip were working there when Christopher died. It was a sorrowful time and now she is HUGGING her son! My thoughts and prayers are with Philip and the rest of the family.
Debby Callenius



Debby Callenius - May 05, 2015 at 02:18 PM

WP

“ Andrea, our prayers are with you and your family. I pray that Almighty God gives you the strength, comfort and peace that you need right now. We will keep you in our prayers.

Wayne and Susan Patterson - May 05, 2015 at 07:53 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc.



May 04, 2015 at 10:23 PM

PA

“ Paulette , April sent a virtual gift in memory of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc



Paulette , April - May 04, 2015 at 08:36 PM

CA

Andrea, sending my sympathy and prayers to you and your family.

Claudia Allums - May 07, 2015 at 09:54 AM

PA

“ *I will never forget how good you were to my Mom. It didn't matter when or how late I called, you never hesitated to go check on her for me. She is heartbroken and misses you terribly. However, Knowing you are finally with Christopher, Mom finds peace and comfort wrapped around her broken heart. We love you dearly Joy.*



Paulette & April - May 04, 2015 at 08:34 PM



“ *Russell Robertson lit a candle in memory of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc*



Russell Robertson - May 04, 2015 at 04:44 PM

KW

“ *Kimberly Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc*



Kimberly Williams - May 04, 2015 at 03:42 PM

KW

“ I'll always remember our conversation of the owls. But my favorite memory is the day you asked me to pray with you. That meant so much to me. I love you. Give everyone a kiss for me.

Kimberly Williams - May 04, 2015 at 03:41 PM

SN

“ Will never forget the night you showed up at my mom's, just being released from the hospital yourself to pay your respects to us. May you forever rest in peace, and get lots of hugs from your baby boy in heaven.

Sherry Nobles - May 04, 2015 at 02:51 PM

SN

“ Sherry Nobles lit a candle in memory of Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc



Sherry Nobles - May 04, 2015 at 02:48 PM

KS

“ When I think of Joy
I think of her always smiling



kim mike sumrall - May 04, 2015 at 02:44 PM

RS

“ Robert Stafford lit a candle in memory of
Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc



robert stafford - May 04, 2015 at 02:11 PM

CP

“ Cynthia Piatt lit a candle in memory of
Theresa "Joy" Coates LeBlanc



Cynthia Piatt - May 04, 2015 at 01:51 PM