



Francis Betty Harris

September 17, 1936 - July 7, 2017

Francis Arene Betty Jewel Henson Harris, age 80, of Morrilton, Arkansas, passed away Friday July 7, 2017. She was born September 17, 1936, in Morrilton, to the late Berry Henson, Jr. and the late Veatrice Gunnels Henson. She was a nurse who cared for many people, worked with the blind, volunteered as a pink lady at CHI St. Vincent in Morrilton, and was also a member of Spring Valley Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors include seven children: Melvin Turner (Jodie) of Morrilton, Lee Harris, Jr. (Sarah) of Morrilton, Kenneth Harris of Morrilton, Janice Henderson (Glenn) of Plano, Texas, Deborah Johnson of Conway, Karen Wade of Houston, Texas, and Takesha Harris of Morrilton; brothers: Wendell McCluney of Kansas City, Missouri, Audrey Henson of Conway, and Chris Henson of Atlanta, Georgia; sisters: Loretta Moore (Deon) of Morrilton and Carol Harris (Michael) Morrilton; and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren; great-great-grandchildren; nieces; and nephews.

The memorial service will be 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 12, 2017 at Harris Chapel with Rev. Sherman Whitfield officiating.

Tribute Wall



“ Francis Betty Harris

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“ Always to remember the sweet spirit and kind giving heart of this beautiful lady that I spent a few fun filled nights at her home growing up. Her door was always open to children. May God comfort the family and you keep her beautiful smile in your heart always.

Ramona Mills Scott - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM



“ Ivana, My deepest and sincerest condolences on the passing of your Grandmother. May her memory forever live in your heart. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this most difficult time.

Jesse Rosales - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM



“ Janice and all of the family. you have my deepest and heart felt sympathy. I am praying for your strength during this time of pain. May God keep you.

Willie J.. Heaggans - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM



“ Sincere condolences to the family. When someone you love becomes a memory, the memory becomes a treasure in your heart and it lives forever. May the wonderful treasures fill your hearts with love and bring you peace, Hosea 13:14

June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

MN

“ To the Harris Family, Just want to let you know that we are thinking of you often and praying for your strength in the Lord during your time of bereavement. We will miss Mother Harris also, and I will never forget the song she sang called "Since Grace Found Me".
Submitted in Love, Deacon Harold Newsome Family

Mary Newsome - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

LH

“ What an honor it is to have known Mrs. Betty. She has been such an influence of courage, endurance and compassion to me since the first day of our meeting. She had a wonderful, caring heart and displayed that continuously. Loretta, and family, I know Mrs. Betty is walking the streets of gold, holding the hand of Jesus. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. There are so many lives that Mrs. Betty touched during her lifetime. Those of us fortunate enough to know her, will hold the memory of her deep in our hearts, and cherish them. God Bless Mrs. Betty's family and hold them close during this time of loss, and in the days to come. (Friend and co-worker)

La Rue Holloway - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

PC

“ Mrs. Harris was a beautiful, kind and loving lady. An asset to the many citizens & families she helped through out the entire state of Arkansas. A friend and mentor to me. Rest in love, sincerely Peggy (Davis) & Leon Chitman

Peggy CHITMAN - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

GF

“ Karen, my deepest sympathies to you and the family. I remember your Mom as a loving and giving person to not just the immediate family, but to all. Reflect on the wonderful memories of your Mom; she was the best.

Gail Frazier - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

GC

“ The pastor and members of Greater mt. Olive Baptist Church extend our heartfelt sympathy to the Harris Family.

Geraldine Criswell - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

VE

“ MELVIN MY CONDOLENCES TO YOU AND THE FAMILY.

Vivian Everette - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

JW

“ We're so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. She was always a big part of our family, and we will certainly miss her loving presence. We're praying for your strength during this difficult time. All our love,
The Wesley Family

John and Theresa Wesley - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

TP

“ I often Thought of Betty and She always kind to me. Making me feel welcome in her home. I considered as mentor to me. Quite a savvy business minded individual. Truly a Christian women and humble spirit.

Todd Perry - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

TC

“ I pray that God gives the family strength during this sad time. I remember when Ms. Betty used to baby sit me when I was younger. I would see her out n she would hug my neck those was the special hugs, n kiss me on the cheek. I will miss her. I love u MS. Betty!!!!R.I.L. Ms. Betty

Temeca Cobin - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

DG

“ Janice, I am so sorry that you are going through this difficult time. Your mom was so special to all of us. She will be missed. Treasure the memories.

Dr. Dovie "Bea" Gray - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

CM

“ Deepest Sympathy in the loss of your mother, sister, aunt, and loved one. Betty will be missed by all who knew and loved her. In my thoughts and prayers.

Cynthia Moore - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

PA

“ I pray that the Lord gives your family peace and comfort. You all have my prayers

Phyllis Ausler - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

LD

“ Sorry for your loss. My deepest sympathy

LaTonya Davis-Cash - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

GM

“ Words can not express my condolences on the loss of your mother, I pray that you know, my heavenly is watching over you and the pain you feel now, it will soon go away in time. Please accept my deepest sympathy.

Gwendolyn McDaniel - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

KG

“ Chris, Loretta, Audrey, & Carlann our prayers are with you all

Kimberly Gyce - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

RT

“ So Sorry for your Loss

Ray Allen Toney - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

KB

“ Perry Thomas and I are sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family. The children of Perry and Addie Brown

Kim Brown - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM

LP

“ My deepest condolences to the family. She will be greatly missed.

Lee Parks - June 29, 2018 at 05:41 PM