



Shirley Marie Allen

October 5, 1949 - January 5, 2018

Shirley Marie Allen, age 68, of Houston, passed away Friday, January 5, 2018. She was born October 5, 1949 in Bigelow, a daughter of the late Eugene Vanderford and the late Blanche Vaughan Vanderford. She was a cook at Heifer Project and Bigelow High School.

Survivors include her husband: John Allen; children: Ashley Allen, Kayla (Brent) Carter, and Josh Allen all of Houston; sisters: Helen Worthen of Clarksville and Norma Faye Harding of Little Rock; grandchildren: Natalie, Callie Ann, and Karsyn Carter, Lily, Lexi, Ethan, and Easton Allen, and Devin, Kylie, and Tyler Dunigan.

Other than her parents, she is preceded in death by her sisters: Mary Francis Vanderford , Bernice Hardesty, and Beverly Mayo; and one brother: Charles Bud Vanderford.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at Harris Chapel with Bro. John Chapman officiating. Burial will be at Volman Cemetery. Family will receive friends 6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday, January 8, at the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ Shirley Marie Allen

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“ A precious friend and coworker. Shirley always gave 100% in everything she did, whether it was on the job or being a true friend. I love and will miss her.

Tolbert & Allena Dixon - June 29, 2018 at 05:17 PM



“ To all of Shirley's Family, You are in my thoughts and prayers. Shirley was friendly to everyone she saw. May God comfort you during this time and the days ahead.

Christy Stepp - June 29, 2018 at 05:17 PM



“ So sorry for your loss, prayers for her family.

DeLoise McDonough - June 29, 2018 at 05:17 PM



“ Loved this sweet lady very much.

Karen Forrester - June 29, 2018 at 05:17 PM



“ Prayers for the family.

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