



Lillie Mae McClinton

December 26, 1929 - August 16, 2016

Lillie Mae McClinton departed this life on August 16, 2016. She was born on December 26, 1929 in Robstown, Texas and was the second child born to Robert Lamkin Sr. and Odessa Mays. She's preceded in death by her parents, sister Ruby Jean Colvin, brother Robert Lamkin Jr., son Donald McDonald, daughter Wilma Jones and grandson Gerald Lynn Wright.

She graduated from Solomon Cole High School in Corpus Christi, Texas. She later moved to Austin, Texas in 1956 to begin her career in nursing. She received her LVN degree and worked at Brackenridge Hospital and Holy Cross Hospital. She completed her nursing skills as a private duty nurse before retiring.

Lillie Mae professed her life to Christ at an early age. She was baptized at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Robstown, Texas. She later joined of St. James Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. B.W. McClendon, where she served as an active member of the Senior Choir, Women's Senior Mission, and she loved attending Sunday School until her health begin to decline.

Lillie was a beloved member of the community and could frequently be found volunteering at the local food banks where she delivered food baskets for the sick and shut-in. She loved sewing, exercising, and had a passion for quilting and also a diehard San Francisco 49er football fan.

Lillie Mae McClinton also known by her family as "Grandma Hook" leaves to cherish two sisters Bobbie Fennell and Velma Tilley; children Frances

McDonald-McKee (Larry), Fred Lynn McDonald (Dianne), Valerie Denise Horton (Ralph), and Charlotte Annette Hammacher and special daughter Barbara Jackson; 18 grandchildren, 54 great-grandchildren and 28 great great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. She also leaves to cherish two very special friends Dorothy Crawford and Karen Tribune.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

3304 E12th & Airport Blvd
Austin, TX 78721

Previous Events

Public Visitation

AUG **25**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

King-Tears Mortuary, Inc.
1300 East 12th Street
Austin, TX 78702

Celebration Service

AUG **26**. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. James Baptist Church
3417 E. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd
Austin, TX 78721

Tribute Wall



“ *Lillie Mae McClinton*

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ *I never will forget Ms. Lillie Mae! My mother, Dorothy Crawford, and she had been friends for many years dating back to LVN school. Ms. Lillie Mae had a way of lighting up a room with just her presence. Two years ago she went with our family on a trip to the East coast. She shared many interesting stories of her family and her trip as a private duty nurse oversees. She kept us laughing! This was a trip of a lifetime. May you Rest in*

Cynthia Crayton - August 31, 2016 at 02:40 PM



“ *I first met Lily Mae at Conley Guerrero Senior Activity Center. We were both quilting class students there. She loved her quilts so much. Lily was so sweet and we enjoyed listening to her stories. She loved her family , especially her sibblings and shared many stories.*

Ana Villalobos - August 26, 2016 at 12:00 PM



“ *Elizabeth Whiteside purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lillie Mae McClinton.*



Elizabeth Whiteside - August 25, 2016 at 10:17 AM

BS

“ *Broadus and Ruth Ann Spivey purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Lillie Mae McClinton.*



Broadus and Ruth Ann Spivey - August 24, 2016 at 02:38 PM

GH

“ *Lillie and her daughter Wanda provided care for my mother, Alta Mae Hill, during the last few weeks of my mom's life. They were so kind and treated my mom as if she was a member of their own family. I will always be grateful for their love and friendship.*

Gerald Hill

Gerald Hill - August 23, 2016 at 03:30 PM