



Charlotte June Holifield DeWitt

October 15, 1935 - August 2, 2015

Charlotte June Holifield DeWitt, 79, of Laurel, died Sunday, August 2, 2015, at home surrounded by family.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, August 4, 2015, at Highland Baptist Church with visitation to be held at the church beginning at 9 a.m.

Tuesday. Dr. Dwight Smith and Rev. Gene Douglas will officiate. Burial will follow at Lake Park Hills Cemetery.

Mrs. DeWitt was an honors graduate of University of Southern MS. She was employed at Highland Baptist Church as the Director of the Day Care for 30+ years where she touched thousands of lives. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Clattis and Faye Holifield; father and mother-in-law, Noel and Alice DeWitt; and granddaughter, Natalie Craft. Survivors include her husband, Billy DeWitt; sister, Karen Franklin; daughters, Alecia DeWitt Craft and Allison DeWitt Phillips; son, Mike DeWitt and wife, Allison; four grandchildren, Adrienne Craft, Katherine Phillips, Walker DeWitt and Natalie DeWitt; nephew, Greg Ball; niece, Jodi Ball; and a host of beloved cousins.

Pallbearers will be David Freeman, Ric Sumrall, Kenneth Holifield, Jeff Moss, Joe Johnson, and Joe Woodyear. Honorary pallbearers will be Jonathan McKinley, and Walker DeLoitt.

In lieu of flowers, the family requested that memorials be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 196 Charmant Drive, Suite 4, Ridgeland, MS 39157.

To view and sign the guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Tribute Wall

JF

“ *Alecia and Allison,
Our thoughts are with you and we are so sorry for the loss of your mom. She was such a wonderful person! I have the best memories of her ability to just make you feel happy and laugh just by being around her. She will be greatly missed.*

Jodee Flynt-Davies,Joan Flynt - August 05, 2015 at 10:59 PM

DW

“ *We are so sorry about Mrs. Charlotte. We did not know until we got the Laurel Leader Call in our mailbox Tuesday, August 5 @ 6pm. Sue was home with a bad kidney infection simnce Sunday afternoon. Please forgive us necause no ome called. Mrs Charlotte was a lovely sweet Christian lady. She was always bubbly. Irene Whitehurst is 90 and is the Jones County Rest Home. She had some Alzheimer. Love David, Sue, Jay, and Scotty*

David and Sue Whitehurst - August 05, 2015 at 11:33 AM

PT

“ *Allison Phillips and family My heart is heavy for you. I am so very sorry to learn of your mothers passing. My prayers are with you and your family. I know it is hard loosing our mothers. She had an awesome smile and was always so very happy , you took that from her also. God Bless and know my prayers are with you.....Pat Tatum*

Pat Tatum - August 04, 2015 at 11:25 PM

TH

“ Praying for the Holy Spirit to do what He does best, Comfort, strengthen and guide you in the days ahead.
Melanie and I are so blessed to have been loved by Charlotte DeWitt.
Love in Christ, Tim and Mel

Tim Hubbard - August 04, 2015 at 03:51 PM

DS

“ Charlotte June Holifield DeWitt

Denise Shuman - August 04, 2015 at 03:12 PM

LC

“ Dear Family, My memories go back to Girl Scout days and good times. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Sincerely, Lila and Bill Chancellor

Lila & Bill Chancellor - August 04, 2015 at 01:25 PM

SW

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Dewitt family over the loss of Mrs. Charlotte. We remember those wonderful days on Meadowlane Dr. way back in the day! Our family is thinking of you.
Barbara, Fred and Shawn Wansley

Shawn Wansley - August 04, 2015 at 09:52 AM

GW

“ Mr. Billy so sorry for your loss. Joseph and I love you all very much. May God Comfort you and give you peace. Joseph, Ginger, Joshua and Ella Walters!

Ginger Walters - August 04, 2015 at 09:27 AM

BS

“ I'm so very sorry to hear of the passing of a great friend. Billy, we are so very sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Betty Siler - August 04, 2015 at 09:06 AM

JR

“ Charlotte DeWitt was certainly my hero! I learned more about children and about life from her than I did from any of my degrees! She was a champion for children! When I look back over my life, she will forever remain God's voice to me, impacting me to not only earn three degrees and a national board certification, but also to be God's messenger and change lives! I LOVED Charlotte DeWitt!

Jeanne Rowland - August 04, 2015 at 08:07 AM

CJ

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Mrs. DeWitt was such a beloved and sweet lady. She touched so many young lives which included our daughter, Kelsey. We loved her.

Charlotte & Ralph James - August 04, 2015 at 12:34 AM

CH

“ I'm grateful to have had Mrs. DeWitt as my boss in my first job - an after-school daycare worker. She was an optimist, a problem-solver, and always with a mind for doing the right thing for the children. Her dedication was a model for the rest of us who worked there.

Charlene Henderson - August 03, 2015 at 10:05 PM

RP

“ Allison so very sorry to hear of your Moms passing. Know how difficult it is. Praying for you & your family.

Ray & Janet Polson - August 03, 2015 at 07:19 PM

CB

“ *Billy:
Our prayers and sympathy go out to you and your family at this time. We loved Charlotte. She was a precious lady.
God Bless You and Your Family.*

Chuck Bridges - August 03, 2015 at 05:22 PM

RS

“ *Just so sorry for this loss. Such a very hard journey. Thankful for the peace this sweet lady knows now. Prayers for all of you. Love,
Rebecca and Jake Spencer*

Rebecca Spencer - August 03, 2015 at 03:35 PM

LD

“ *We were deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Mrs. DeWitt. We are praying for your family! Love in Christ, Paul, Liza, and Daniel Downey Nashville, TN*

Liza Wall Downey - August 03, 2015 at 02:31 PM

DW

“ *I send prayers of comfort to this sweet family. Miss Charlotte touched and loved so many. She will never be forgotten and it was a blessing to have her in my life. My heart breaks for the hurt you are feeling. Remember her big smile! Love you.*

Debbie Hinton Ward-Ewen - August 03, 2015 at 02:20 PM

MM

“ ALECIA MAY GOD COMFORT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY DURING THIS TIME REMEMBER TO BE ABSENT FROM THE BODY IS TO BE PRESENT WITH THE LORD KAREN AND I LOVE YOU SO MUCH

MIKE MULKEY - August 03, 2015 at 02:19 PM