



Denise Welch Hayes

March 24, 1958 - September 10, 2018

Denise Welch Hayes "D", 60, went to be with the Lord on September 10, 2018. She went peacefully surrounded by beloved family and friends at Ochsner Hospital in New Orleans.

To know D was to love D. She was truly a shining light to everyone she knew. She will forever be missed until we meet her again in a place the Lord has prepared for us in Heaven.

D is survived by her husband of 42 years David Hayes; son Cody Michael Hayes; mother Bobbie Welch; twin sister Annise Welch Walters and husband George; four special nephews, Ryan Walters, wife Stacey and son Ryder, Justin Walters, wife Kaycee, daughters Josee and Dustee and son Judson; Zachary Welch, wife Kami and sons Kyler and Kane, and nephew Caleb Welch; and sister-in-law, June Carey.

She is preceded in death by her father Hubert Welch and brother Buddy Welch.

Pallbearers will be Ryan Walters, Justin Walters, Phil Dickerson, Kris Breland, Steve Dearman, and Don Crane. Honorary will be Phillip Shaw, Keble "Cuz" Luter, Dustin Pitts, and Bryce Dearman.

Services will be held on Thursday, September 13th at Memory Chapel.

Visitation will begin at 11:30 a.m. and services will follow at 2 p.m. Interment will be at Memorial Gardens. Rev. Ken Harrison and Rev. Bob Taylor will officiate.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Gardens Cemetery

2151 US-184
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 13. 11:30 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-5235
memorychapel@comcast.net
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall

KM

“ I loved that girl, oh how she would make you laugh. Praying for all her family and friends. D you will be truly missed!

Kim Manning - September 13, 2018 at 12:59 PM

GW

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss. Denise was a very special person and touched everyone she met. I pray God comforts you in the days to come.

Gayle Wheat - September 13, 2018 at 11:46 AM

SC

“ Annise, Ms.Bobbie, David & Cody, & Family, I am so very saddened to have learned of the passing of Mrs.Denise...I always enjoyed seeing her wherever we crossed paths, usually Walmart! Please know that you all are in my thoughts & prayers for comfort & peace during this very sad & difficult time...I love you all...Shelton & Rhonda Cooley

Shelton & Rhonda Cooley - September 13, 2018 at 11:17 AM

SD

“ Denise had the ability to light up a room. she was known for how much she loved her family and putting smiles on everyone's face. I remember when she helped with the van ministry-she made sure no kid left hungry. Words cannot describe how much we love her and how much she will be missed. Prayers for comfort and strength for the family.

sherry p dykes - September 13, 2018 at 10:03 AM

JB

“ *Denise was awesome friend. She was always smiling. She will be missed. We are praying for your family. The Busby's Timmy and Jen*



Jennifer Busby - September 13, 2018 at 09:16 AM

SP

“ *I am so sorry to hear of you and your son's loss, David. I will be praying for you both.*

Sharon Parker - September 13, 2018 at 09:06 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Denise Welch Hayes.*



September 13, 2018 at 08:05 AM

JR

“ *Denise always brought a smile to my face. She will certainly be missed.*

Jeannie Rustin - September 13, 2018 at 08:01 AM

CE

“ Charlotte Ellzey lit a candle in memory of
Denise Welch Hayes



Charlotte Ellzey - September 13, 2018 at 07:31 AM

LP

“ I send sincere condolences to the family _

May the HOLY SPIRIT give you His loving grace of comfort and
peace _



Leisa Ryals Powelson - September 13, 2018 at 04:31 AM

AI

“ My condolences to the family. May the
LORD's grace be with them.

Albert Ingle



Albert Ingle - September 13, 2018 at 04:20 AM

DH

“ I will certainly miss running into Denise from time to time. We could always pick up right where we left off. She always had me laughing. May God bless you all and help you keep your precious memories of her alive to sustain you during this difficult time and in the days ahead.



Debbie Bankston Haas - September 13, 2018 at 02:08 AM

LS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Denise passing. She was always caring and humorous. David, Cody, Annise, MS Bobbie you are in my prayers as well as the rest of the family. This is a great loss but we all have wonderful memories and lots of laughter to look back on. Love y'all.

Lori Scoggins-Clark - September 13, 2018 at 12:17 AM

GP

“ Den was one of my favorite cousins and always was there for everyone who needed her including me. I'll always think of her and really miss her....Gary Parker

gary parker - September 12, 2018 at 11:45 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Denise Welch Hayes.



September 12, 2018 at 11:31 PM

KF

“ Heaven has gained a Beautiful soul. How thankful I am for having been blessed by knowing Denise, during her time here with us. She always had a smile, and kind word,her light shined bright for all to see. My prayers for her family .

Karen Firment - September 12, 2018 at 10:20 PM



“ Annise and family, I am deeply saddened to hear of Denise's passing. You are in my thoughts and prayers. May God give you strength to endure this difficult time, until you are reunited in Heaven. Love you, Jan Holcombe

Jan Holcombe - September 12, 2018 at 09:25 PM

WP

“ Played many a softball games with this funny girl. She was our left fielder. We shared many fun times on and off the ball field. I will always remember her laugh and smile. Dennie was always ready for a good time and a good ball game. Cody I know you are hurting and will surely miss her but we have the peace we will see her again. I will be in Jackson tomorrow for an appointment and will not be able to be there but y'all will certainly be in my thoughts and prayers.

Wanda Parker - September 12, 2018 at 05:33 PM

JW

“ A beloved classmate, and friend. Prayers for family in this difficult time. She was a shining star as unique as heavens stars. I know many will miss her greatly. Rest In Peace Denise. See you again one day for sure in a much better place.Jeanie Sinquefield Walters



Jeanie Sinquefield Walters - September 12, 2018 at 04:35 PM

DC

“ Denise's classmates purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Denise Welch Hayes.



Denise's classmates - September 12, 2018 at 03:19 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Denise Welch Hayes.



September 12, 2018 at 03:07 PM

GG

“ I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS!! I LOVED SEEING DENISE. SHE ALWAYS HAD YOU LAUGHING IN JUST A FEW MINUTES. . I WILL BE PRAYING FOR YOUR FAMILY IN THE DAYS AND WEEKS TO COME. GAIL GRAHAM

GAIL GRAHAM - September 12, 2018 at 02:04 PM

MM

Denise was a great friend and person hung out a lot at the Rodeo Arenas with her and David lot of great memories !!! RIP my Friend!!

Michael Martin - September 13, 2018 at 01:04 PM