



Mary Elizabeth Moore Collins

December 25, 1938 - August 31, 2013

Mary Elizabeth Moore Collins passed away at her home on August 31, 2013 following a long illness. A native of Houston, MS, Mary attended Houston High School and the University of Mississippi. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, DAR and Laurel Junior Auxillary. She enjoyed genealogy, traveling and time with her friends and pets. Mary was a loving wife, mother and grandmother who brought joy to those around her. She will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her husband Dr. Rex Collins of Laurel, son William Scott Collins of Long Beach, MS, daughter Angela Collins LaPorte and husband Reid of Birmingham, Alabama. And five grandchildren Ross LaPorte, Rhett Laporte, Eric LaPorte, Melanie LaPorte and Maren Laporte all of Birmingham, Alabama.

Services will be 10 AM Tuesday September 3, 2013 at Memory Chapel with a graveside service at 3 PM Tuesday at Houston Cemetery in Houston, MS. Visitation will be 5 to 7 PM Monday September 2, 2013 at Memory Chapel. Dr. Randy Turner will officiate.

In Lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Laurel Animal Rescue League P.O. Box 2671 Laurel, MS. 39442

Memory Chapel is in charge of services.

Tribute Wall

JS

“ Bill and Angela, I know the worst of this has passed by now, but your Mom was always so nice to me and the other kids in the "Westwood Acres/Amy Rd. clan". I miss those days. May the Lord be with you both and your Dad in this time. Your old friend, Jim

Jim Stone - September 09, 2013 at 10:52 PM

PB

“ Rex and family. Our deepest sympathy to all of you in the passing of Mary Elizabeth. May God give you the strength, comfort, and peace during this time of bereavement.

Paul Byars - September 04, 2013 at 11:54 AM

CW

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We will always remember her friendly spirit and smile. Our prayers are with you and your family. CP and Bill

CP and Bill Winters - September 04, 2013 at 10:08 AM

BM

“ Rex, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this sad time. As a cousin of mine, Mary Beth was very special to me. She was so sweet to keep me informed about our family. we will surely miss her.

Betty & "Archie" Miller - September 03, 2013 at 12:19 AM

JC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this very difficult time. Mary Beth will always be remember as such a very special person who made everyone a better person for knowing her. Our Love to You, Buddy and Shirley

Jim and Shirley Cullum - September 02, 2013 at 08:04 PM

RK

“ We send our heartfelt condolences to Rex and all the members of the families of Rex and Mary Beth. We are thinking of you as you mourn the loss of your wonderful wife, mother and grandmother. We pray that God and the memories of your life with Mary Beth will sustain you during this time of sorrow.
Russ & Sylvia Kingsley

Russell & Sylvia Kingsley - September 02, 2013 at 10:40 AM

JW

“ My sincere condolence to Rex and Mary's Family. In the '90's Mary, Donna and I went to London together, and it is among my best memories.
Mary was so much fun and helped us arrange transportation and many activities. She has so many friends and will be greatly missed.

Jo Ann Warren - September 02, 2013 at 09:59 AM

BC

“ Rex and family, My thoughts and prayers are with you. May you find peace and comfort knowing she is no longer suffering. I know you will all miss her. God Bless. Bobbie Cessna

Bobbie Cessna - September 02, 2013 at 09:21 AM

MW

“ *On behalf of the Houston High School Class of 1956, we will miss you so much. We loved you and appreciated everything you did for the class. We have had fifty seven years of good memories. Will miss you at our class reunions.. May God bless Rex and all the family.*

Mary Grace Thompson Woffordm - September 01, 2013 at 02:54 PM