



Bernice Conn

December 21, 1931 - July 3, 2021

In the wee hours of the morning of July 3, 2021, Bernice R. Conn passed away peacefully from this life. Born in Westwego, LA, the youngest of eight children, she made her home in Mississippi after marrying her husband of 50 years, Robert L. Conn. She and Robert built a lasting legacy of loving family and friends throughout the Copiah County community.

Bernice had very close loving relationships with her family and friends and leaves them all with many wonderful memories. She will be remembered as a fabulous Cajun cook, especially her seafood stuffed mirliton, fried shrimp and garlic-stuffed pot roast. She was a rescuer of seemingly hopeless plants and flowers as she could grow anything and took pride in her blueberries and figs. She delighted in watching hummingbirds and enjoyed mowing her lawn using her big John Deere.

Her favorite drink was Coca Cola and she has a collection of cokes and coke memorabilia that could possibly qualify for a Guinness world record. She only drank the small ones and called them her "jewels." According to the local garbage collector she had the cleanest garbage around, even washing paper products before discarding them.

One of her most endearing qualities was her generosity. A faithful patron of Wal Mart and Avon, she kept an inventory of gifts on hand to give to everyone

who came to visit her.

Bernice leaves behind her loving husband Robert; children Lisa Maisel, David (Linda) Conn, Janet Conn and Amy Carter; grandchildren Brandi (Travis) Beasley, Hannah Chinn, Katie (Jamey) Leach, Erik Holley, Abigail (Wes) Carlisle, Michael (Mallory) Conn, Lydia Joy, Rebekah Joy and Joseph Terrebonne; nine great-grandchildren; sister Ethel Lirette; and numerous nieces and nephews. She is pre-deceased by her parents Hilare and Olivia Gros Terrebonne; daughter Terilyn Nell Terrebonne; brothers Lester, Warren, Howard and Edward Terrebonne; and sisters Hazel and Mabel Terrebonne.

Funeral service will be at Stringer Funeral Home, Hazlehurst, MS, at 2 PM on Saturday, July 10, 2021, with visitation beginning at noon. Burial will follow at Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery, Hazlehurst, MS.

Cemetery Details

Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery

Hazlehurst, MS 39083

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Conn*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Bernice Conn.*



July 09, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Bernice Conn.*



July 09, 2021 at 11:57 AM



“ *It was my 8th birthday and she was having my party that day. Well about an hour before the party I called my mother and told her that maw maw was teaching me how to cuss. She threw a sandwich at me and my mother busted out laughing. Everyone already knew I could cuss like a sailor and not from anyone teaching me. Maw Maw and I would laugh about that a lot over the years. We had many many laughs. She was always there for me just like a mother. I love you Maw Maw*

Amy Conn Carter - July 08, 2021 at 01:03 AM

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I am missing my best friend, second mom and shopping buddy. You were such a wonderful friend who taught me so much about everything. RIP Bernice, love you!!!!

Sue Ryan - July 11, 2021 at 07:02 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bernice Conn.*



July 08, 2021 at 12:12 AM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Bernice Conn.*



July 05, 2021 at 06:26 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Bernice Conn.*



July 05, 2021 at 05:25 PM