



Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe

August 6, 1943 - July 2, 2022

Mrs. Jimmy Faye Lowe, 78 years old of Gilmer, Texas, went to be with her Lord and Savior on Saturday, July 2, 2022, after a multiyear struggle from a stroke. Ms. Jimmy was born in Talladega, Alabama to Willis and Inez Blankenship Hylemon. She married Carl Lowe in March of 1967 and moved to Rock Hill, S. C. where she raised her family, graduated from college, and started a successful childcare facility. After caring for 3 generations of families in Rock Hill, Ms. Jimmy closed her business in 2010 and retired to Gilmer, Texas to live with her son and his family.

Always in service to others, Ms. Jimmy acclimated to her new life in Gilmer and became a member of the First Baptist Church of Gilmer, a member of the local chapter of the American Legion and a Pink Lady volunteer where she donated her time to the old Gilmer hospital and the Focus Care Nursing Facility. She loved to sew, cook, can, and read and if she wasn't at home, she could be found at the hospital or nursing home reading the Bible to others or working on her floral arrangements.

Ms. Jimmy is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Carl; her brother, W. J. Hylemon; and a grandson, Timothy Helton.

She is survived by her Aunt Claudine Cheatwood of Alabama; her sisters, Minda Champion, Jennie Mizzell, and Shirley Poole all of Alabama; her son, Joey & wife Anita Lowe & children; her daughters, Cindy & husband Kendall Downing of Rock Hill, S. C., Shirley & husband Frank Sciandra & children of Rock Hill, S. C., Patricia & husband Alfonso Ramos & children of Fort Worth,

Texas, and Crystal & husband Joel Eldridge & children of Kentucky. Ms. Jimmy was blessed to have fifteen grandchildren and twenty-two great grandchildren. She always said she was a small part of a much larger family that included the Blankenships, the Hylemons, the Connells, the Saffolds, the Germanys, and the many generations of families whose children she cared for 35 years.

Services will be held at 10:00 am, Thursday, July 7, 2022, at McWhorter Funeral Home in Gilmer, Texas. Interment to follow at Sunset Memorial Park. The family will receive friends 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Wednesday, July 6, 2022, at McWhorter Funeral Home.

The family requests that memorial donations be made on behalf of Ms. Jimmy to your local Make-A-Wish Foundation or to your local children's hospital.

Pallbearers are Kodey Wear, Jamie Witherspoon and Garrett Lowe.

Please visit Ms. Jimmy's on-line registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

1582 US Hwy 271 S
Gilmer, TX 75645

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

McWhorter Funeral Home
1074 St. Hwy 300
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *McWhorter Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe*



McWhorter Funeral Home - July 07, 2022 at 10:03 AM

SP

“ *I was one of miss jimmy and Mr carls first babies. I was there till I got too old but any time I came back to town to visit I always made a point to come back and see them. And was always greeted with smiles and hugs like I'd never left. I spent a long time trying to find out what happened when I came by one day and found the daycare closed and was saddened to find she passed away.*

sam pittman - April 07, 2023 at 02:23 PM

CI

“ *5 files added to the album More Memories*



Cindy - July 10, 2022 at 07:50 PM

JO

Thanks Big Sister! Those are some great photos.

Joey - July 11, 2022 at 10:59 PM

MM

“*Ms. Jimmy’s was the one place where I knew my daughters were not only going to be safe, I knew they were going to be loved. And they were going to learn life lessons and socializing skills consistent with my Christian values, sometimes even tough love lessons. There was never anywhere else quite like Ms. Jimmy’s Daycare, except if my car broke down and I couldn’t possibly get there in time, Ms. Jimmy told me to come get my little at her house. It only happened once but I always knew if I couldn’t be with them I wanted them to be where they would be loved. Many thanks to Ms. Shirley too, for being a rock of strength and part of the best village ever to help raise up new generations♥️!*

Melissa Schaeffer Melvin - July 08, 2022 at 01:33 AM

JO

Hey Melissa, thank you for sharing. Mom remembered how tough it was as a single young parent and how the little things made a huge difference.

Joey - July 11, 2022 at 10:58 PM

JH

“*I feel so blessed to be a “Miss Jimmy’s Kid”. My childhood is full of so many great memories thanks to Mrs Jimmy & the wonderful people she employed. They don’t make them like that anymore! When I had kids of my own there was no question where they would go while I worked. She sure had a way of making you feel special, even if I may or may have not got a paddling or 2 or 3 from her! I knew she always loved me. ♥️♥️*

Julie (Germundson) Hord - July 07, 2022 at 09:40 PM

JO

Hi Julie, thank you for sharing. Yes she did.

Joey - July 11, 2022 at 10:56 PM

DR

“ *Donna Richardson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe*



donna richardson - July 07, 2022 at 08:29 PM

JO

Thank you Donna

Joey - July 11, 2022 at 10:55 PM

AR

“ *Aaron & Rachel purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe.*



Aaron & Rachel - July 06, 2022 at 04:07 PM



“ 53 files added to the album Life Tributes



McWhorter Funeral Home - July 06, 2022 at 01:56 PM



“ Graceful Wreath was purchased for the family of Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe.



July 05, 2022 at 12:05 PM



“ I was so blessed to have Mrs. Jimmy in my life. She was a wonderful friend to my Mama, a neighbor, and my first employer. She was also a precious friend to me. My condolences to the entire family. She was a special person and will be remembered and missed by all the people she helped raise over the years.

Lisa Gordon - July 05, 2022 at 07:57 AM



Lisa it's so good to hear from you. Mom talked about you frequently. She sure loved you. I still remember vividly going hunting and fishing with your Dad. Thank you for the kind words.

Joey Lowe - July 05, 2022 at 09:36 PM

BS

“ *Brian Sargent lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jimmy Faye Lowe*



brian sargent - July 04, 2022 at 11:37 PM

JL

Brian, thank you for your kind words sir. I sure miss your grandpa, my Uncle Bud. Thanks for the pictures too.

Joey Lowe - July 05, 2022 at 09:38 PM

LF

“ *Miss Jimmy was a blessing to all that knew and loved her. She took excellent care of two of my grandsons. A lot of kids in Rock Hill fondly remember this beautiful soul. My prayers are with her family as they mourn a life well lived. Lisa Fudge, Rock Hill, South Carolina*

Lisa Fudge - July 04, 2022 at 09:34 PM

JL

Thank you Lisa! She used to share stories with me about your grand. I really appreciate your thoughts and especially your prayers. I know Mom would too.

Joey Lowe - July 05, 2022 at 09:39 PM