



CAROLE PARSONS CRENSHAW HANRAHAN

January 9, 2024

Carole Parsons Crenshaw Hanrahan, 87, passed away on January 9, 2024. As she entered the gates of Heaven, we are confident that she was met with the words, 'Well Done, thy good and faithful servant.' She loved the Lord and was a member of Maytown Baptist Church where she taught Sunday School and sang in the choir.

She was preceded in death by husbands, Virgil Harold Parsons, Herman Claude Crenshaw and Lynn Allen Hanrahan; parents, James and Bessie Thomason; and sister, Sylvia Weed. She is survived by her children, Stevan Parsons (Jennifer), David Crenshaw, Becky McDonough, Roger Parsons (Lynn), Daniel Crenshaw (Evelyn) and Monique Blackston (Terry). Carole loved her children, but the 10 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren were the JOY of her life. She was a devoted mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She always shared Jesus with them as she created memories of a lifetime.

Carole retired from Jefferson County Schools where she was employed as a school secretary for over 25 years. She enjoyed her work, but the highlight of those years was "taking care of "the children at Pleasant Grove Elementary and North Highlands Elementary.

Visitation will be Thursday, January 11, 2024, from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM,

Peoples Chapel Funeral Home. The funeral service will be at 11:00 AM at the Funeral Home, with Rev. Jimmy King and Rev. Larry Felkins officiating. Burial will follow at Sylvan Springs Methodist Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Carole to Sav-A-Life Bessemer, Inc, 2719 19th Street N. Hueytown, AL 35023 or Maytown Baptist Church Childrens Ministry, 4679 Birmingham Rd, Maytown, AL 35118.

Tribute Wall

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“ Carole and I were sitting on the front pew in the church at Christmas time 2021 waiting for Steve to come get her. She looks at me and says that Christmas tree has an empty spot go up there and put an ornament in that spot. So I go and do as she says. I sit back down and she says I see another one. We laughed and laughed as she guided me to fill all those 'Empty' spots in that tree! In the end I realized that there are a lot of people walking around with 'emptiness' inside them. I know that Carole would agree with me that they need Jesus Christ to fill that emptiness.

Betty Wells - January 11, 2024 at 05:18 PM

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“ There are memories of childhood that shape you into the person you become. Carole was always there to say "of course you can do it, just get up and try again!" I will never forget learning how to water ski with her at the helm. "Oh hush Tommie, she'll be fine! Just lean back and stand up hon!" And I did. It didn't take a village to raise us, just two best friends who were brave enough to tackle the challenge together. So thankful for those precious memories!

Paula Brown - January 10, 2024 at 09:40 PM