

In Loving Memory

JO ANN REECE

JULY 10, 1940 - SEPTEMBER 28, 2026

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026 AT 11:00 AM

ST. PAUL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH | TEXARKANA, TEXAS

T.J. ROBERSON, PASTOR AND OFFICIANT

A Life Remembered



86 Years of Love, Family, and Service
Jo Ann Reece was born on July 10, 1940, in Pittsburg, Texas, to the late Ethel Carrington Reece and the late G. W.Reece. She was the third of 12 children. She was preceded in death by her parents and her siblings, Darrell, George (Jabo), Donnie, Charles, and Shirley.

Jo Ann was a dedicated operating room nurse who loved her profession and caring for others. Even in her final days, she often spoke about going to work and preparing for cases, reflecting her deep passion for her calling. Her greatest love, however, was her family.

She found joy in spending quality time with her children, making trips to Domino's Pizza for her grandchildren, traveling to Houston to visit her great-grandson, and spending countless-hours on the phone with her sisters.
Jo Ann departed this life on Monday, September 28, 2026, at Christus St. Michael in Texarkana, Texas, at the age of 86.

She leaves to cherish her life and legacy her three children, Regina Reece Hawkins, Randy Reece (Kimberly), and Sonya Reece; three grandchildren, Kenneth Hawkins, II, Cortlandt Bursey-Reece, and Chandler Bursey-Reece; one great-grandson, Kenneth Hawkins, III; two brothers, Bobby Reece of Texarkana, Texas; and Harold Reece of Houston, Texas, and three sisters, Betty Pace of Houston, Texas, Clara Louise Tilghman of Plano, Texas, and Carolyn Pickett of Snellville, Georgia, along with a host of nieces, nephews and extended family members and loved ones.

Order of Service

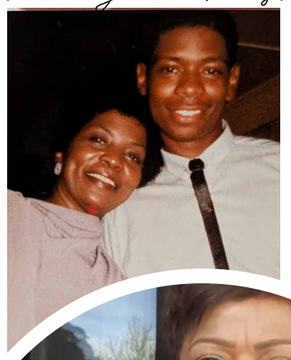
Processional	
Selection	
Scripture	
Old Testament	Pastor Howard Knight
New Testament	Pastor Howard Knight
Prayer	Pastor T. J. Roberson
Resolutions / Acknowledgement	Sis. Tonza Lyles
Song	St. Paul Choir
Eulogy	Pastor T. J. Roberson
Recessional	Funeral Directors in Charge



My kids and grandkids
























Cherished Memories



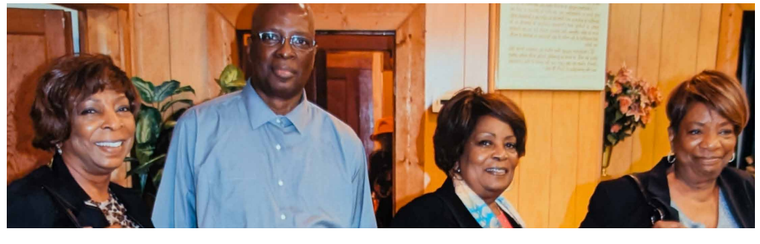


































Pallbearers & Flower Bearers

Pallbearers
Family & Friends

Honorary Pallbearers
Bobby Reece • Harold Reece • Larry Reece • Dave Evans •

Flower Bearers
Pairs and Spares Sunday School Class
LE Class of 1983
Friends of the family

Acknowledgement

The family of Jo Ann Reece extends heartfelt gratitude for the many expressions of love, kindness, and support shown during this time of loss. Whether through your prayers, calls, texts, presence, food, or flowers, please know that each gesture has been deeply appreciated. Your love and prayers have been a tremendous source of comfort and will continue to be a blessing to us. Through your thoughtfulness, we have truly experienced the light and love of God. We are forever grateful and pray that God continues to bless each of you abundantly.

Special thanks: 'Her Crew' at Little River Rehab and St. Paul MBC

Services entrusted to Haynes Mortuary