



## Patricia Peters

February 24, 1940 - August 6, 2012

Funeral services for Patricia Ann Johnston Peters, age 72, of Rusk are scheduled for 2:00 p.m., Thursday, August 9, 2012 in Oakland Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. R.S. Dyess and Rev. Jamie Hogan officiating. Interment will in Oakland Cemetery under the direction of Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home in Rusk. Mrs. Peters died August 6, 2012 in Jacksonville. She was born February 24, 1940 in Houston, Texas to Orval and Marcelle Johnston. Mrs. Peters received her Psychiatric Nursing Degree from Henderson County Junior College, her Associate degree from Tyler Junior College and her Bachelor of Science Degree from The University of Texas at Tyler. She retired from Rusk State Hospital after 34 years, with the last 20 years as the Assistant Coordinator of Community Relations. She served as a volunteer with Meals on Wheels and was a dedicated member of Oakland Missionary Baptist Church. She is preceded in death by her parents, brother, Jerry Don Johnston and daughter Pamela Peters Wilson. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Charles Ray Peters of Rusk, Texas, son Kent Peters of Rusk, Texas, son and daughter in law, Steve and Laurie Peters of Rusk, Texas, daughter and son in law, Neilicia and Dennis Howard of The Colony, Texas, son Kenneth Peters of Oregon and grandchildren Courtney and Colby Peters, Jennifer Powell, Colton and Cade Peters, Kloie, Triston and William Peters, Olivia, Eliza and Lorelei Howard, as well as extended family. Pallbearers will include Jerry Wood, Joe Rozelle, Dennis Kennedy, Bobby Nolley, Gary Higgins, Harold Dement, D.R. Stewart and James Halbert. Honorary pallbearers will be Patsy Wood, Esther Dyess, Carolyn Halbert, Barbara Evans, Wanda Norman, Debbie Dyess, Don Goff, John Beason, Robert Rupert, Thomas Olan Wood, Billy Lovelady, Carla Lovelady and Mike Walley. Visitation will be at Wallace-Thompson Funeral in home Rusk Wednesday, August 8, 2012 from 6:00 – 8:00pm.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Peters*

October 04, 2023 at 11:30 AM

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“ *With deepest sympathy to Neilicia and her entire family.*

*Although I did not know Patricia personally, but through Neilicia I know that Patricia was a wonderful wife and mother, and how she touched so many people and how important she was in the community.*

**STEVE HODGES** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ *Dear Neilicia, Dennis, Olivia, Eliza and Lorelei,*

*We were very sad to hear about Neilicia's mother. We wish you strength and love during the difficult days ahead. May you find comfort in memories of happier times.*

*Much love,  
Kristin and Philip*

**Kristin Lindsey** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ *Remembering what a wonderful woman you were. I will cherish every memory I have of you. Keeping you all in my prayers at this difficult time.*

**Jeri Ann Nash** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Thoughts and prayers with you and your family during this difficult time.*

**Nancy Davenport** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Charles Ray, Steve, and family -

*My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this most difficult time. So many memories come rushing back to me as I think about growing up in Oakland and going to Oakland Missionary Baptist Church. Pat was always there. Always. I remember recently when I came home for a visit, Pat would say "Jana, if you don't come by and see me, I'm gonna whip your butt". Needless to say, I went and saw her. Pat I will always remember your smile and how you reached out to others to help them. I know you are with the Lord and will watch over us all. To all your family - I love you all*

*Jana Birdwell*

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**Jana Birdwell** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ So sorry to hear about Pat. I'll always remember those days at the horseshows and all the time I spent at the Peters home. You are all in my prayers and my thoughts.

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**Kim Quinn Goodwin** - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM