



## Martha Bogan

July 18, 1941 - February 27, 2023

Martha Mae Fontenette-Bogan, 81, went to be with her Lord and Savior on Monday, February 27, 2023. She was born on July 18, 1941, in New Iberia, Louisiana, to Felix & Mary Ella Fontenette Sr. She graduated from Jonas Henderson High School in New Iberia, Class of 1959, and attended Texas Southern University in Houston, Texas. Martha later moved to Galveston, Texas, where she began her employment at the University Texas Medical Branch (UTMB) working as a nurse for 40 years in the OB-GYN Oncology Department.

Martha loved fishing, spending time with her family, and travelling. She was very active in her local community. She was the President and a very involved member of the “Sweet Twelve Ladies Social and Charity Club”, Galveston, Texas, as well as President of The La’Jole Ladies Social and Charity Club. In addition, Martha was very active in her church community. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star and the Heroines of Jericho. God has been good to Martha and his many blessings flowed through her daily. Martha loved and greatly appreciated her wonderful and supportive Pastor (Rev. Nathaniel Brown and his wife, Mrs. Linda Brown), along with the Gospel Missionary Baptist Church Family who helped encourage her in her darkest hour.

Martha was preceded in death by her parents, Felix Fontenette, Sr. and Mary Ella Fontenette; and her brothers, Charles Edward Fontenette and Roland

Richard.

She is survived by her siblings: Felix John Fontenette, Jr. (Linda), Irma Jean Fontenette -Hunter (Vittoro), Jerry Stevens Fontenette (Gwen), Leroy Joseph Fontenette (Myrtle), Mable Stanford Hubbard (Katherine), Winnie Jane Fontenette-Richard (James), Willie James Fontenette (Delores), and Richard Fontenette (Sandra); her devoted and faithful niece, Rianada M.M. Fontenette; her special godchildren Ernest Sykes, Raylene James, Lisa Jones, and Kelly Chambers; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Extended Special Thanks to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center; Pastor Nathaniel Brown and his wife, Linda; and the Gospel Missionary Baptist Church Family.

# Cemetery Details

## Hayes Grace Memorial Park Cemetery

10708 Highway 6  
Hitchcock, TX 77563

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 3. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

West Point Missionary Baptist Church  
3003 Avenue M  
Galveston, TX 77550

## Wake

MAR 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

West Point Missionary Baptist Church  
3003 Avenue M  
Galveston, TX 77550

## Celebration of Life

MAR 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

West Point Missionary Baptist Church  
3003 Avenue M  
Galveston, TX 77550

## Burial

MAR 4 (CT)

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10708 Highway 6  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My Condolences to the family, may her precious soul rest with Jesus.*

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**Priscilla Brown-Merritte** - March 03, 2023 at 12:15 PM

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“ *My Condolences and prayers go out to the family of Ms. Martha. She was a great inspiration to El Katif Court. We will truly miss her.*

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**Tresa Jellison** - March 01, 2023 at 11:25 AM

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“ *Church member and friend, bless Mrs. Bogan.*

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**eddie mcneil** - March 01, 2023 at 08:19 AM