



Georgia Cole Shell
September 13, 1921 - July 30, 2017



Georgia Cole Shell, 95, of Beaumont, passed away peacefully at her daughter's home on Sunday, July 30, 2017. She was born September 13, 1921, in Beaumont, to Eliza Webb Cole and Z.T. Cole. Georgia was a lifelong resident of Beaumont and graduate of Beaumont High School, class of 1938. She was also a member of Rosedale Baptist Church her entire adult life.

Georgia held clerical and secretarial positions until becoming a stay-at-home mother and homemaker. During World War II, she did her part in the war effort. While her husband

Lloyd was in San Diego in the United States Navy, she was a secretary to the engineers who built Boeing bombers.

Georgia was a woman of many talents, some discovered later in life. She became talented first in painting, then in music. She was a respected member of the Southeast Texas Dulcimer Friends and other regional music groups. Both Georgia and her husband Lloyd participated in many musical events at Heritage Village Center near Woodville, Texas, and at the French Trading Post Museum.

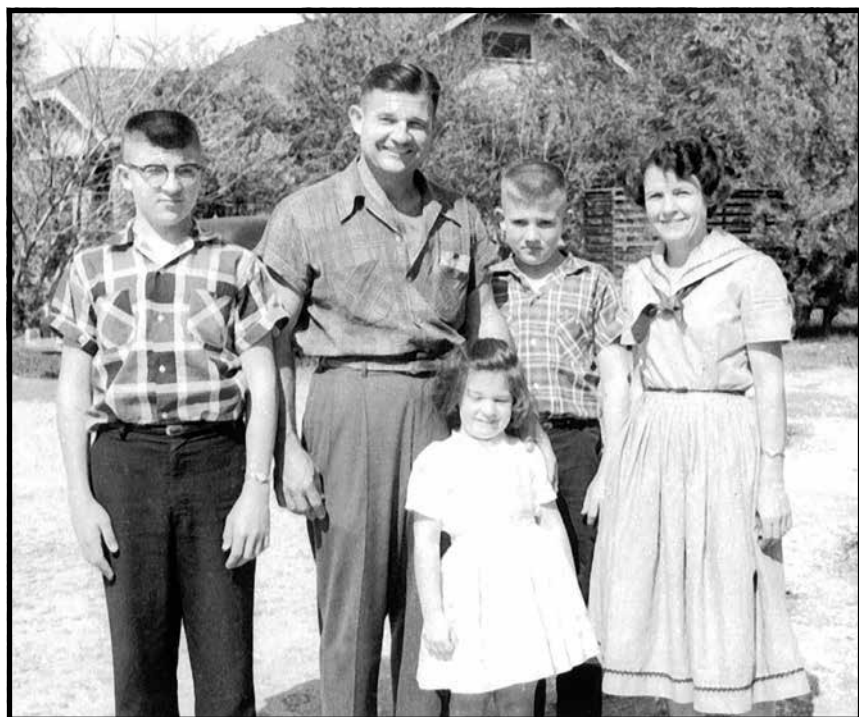
She is preceded in death by her parents; brother, Herbert M. Cole; sisters, Edna Cole Gibson and Ruth Cole Ellison; and her husband of seventy years, Lloyd Shell, Jr.

Georgia is survived by her sons, Lloyd Wayne Shell, of Thibodaux, Louisiana; and James Earl Shell, of The Woodlands, Texas; daughter, Jill Shell Thrash, of Beaumont; sister, Larue Cole Richey; brother Gordon Earl Cole; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Special thanks to her caregivers in her final months, Shontie Hancock and Rosie Guillory; and to the staff of Heart of Texas Hospice.



















Funeral Service

Friday, August 4, 2017 10:00 a.m.

Broussard's Chapel
2000 McFaddin Avenue
Beaumont, Texas
Pastor David Millner

Honorary Pallbearers

John Shell
Jon and Nancy Roger
John and Elizabeth Spencer
James and Laura Ducote

Interment

Forest Lawn Memorial Park
Beaumont, Texas

Memorial Contributions

Rosedale Baptist Church
7110 Concord Road
Beaumont, Texas 77708

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Heritage Village Center
P.O. Box 888
Woodville, Texas 75979

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John J. French Home
in care of Beaumont Heritage Society
2240 Calder Avenue
Beaumont, Texas 77701

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Organization of One's Choice

*Reception to immediately follow service at
6720 Plant Road, Beaumont, Texas 77708.*



Please sign Mrs. Shell's guest book and share your memories at
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