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Funeral services for Margie Mae Jordan Foster, 87, of Leesville, Louisiana will be held at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, July 7, 2011, at Labby Memorial Funeral Home in Leesville with Rev. Gil Arthur officiating. Burial will follow in the Forest Lawn Cemetery in Leesville, LA under the direction of Labby Memorial Funeral Home of Leesville.

Visitation will be held from 6 pm - 10 pm, Wednesday, July 6th and on Thursday, July 7th from 8 am until time of service at the funeral home.

Margie, the daughter of Alfred and Myrtle Baggs Jordan, was born on June 29, 1924, in Leesville, Louisiana. She passed away on Monday, July 4, 2011, in Alexandria, LA.

Margie Foster graduated from Pickering High School in 1944 and moved to Fort Worth, Texas where she worked and attended business college. She married Lealon Foster in 1946 when he returned home from World War II. They were married 46 years and had three children, nine grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Margie and Lealon joined East Leesville Baptist Church in 1953 and she soon began teaching children in Sunday School and GA's; later she became the outreach leader for the 2nd Grade and for many years, every 2nd grader received a phone call from Mrs. Foster every Saturday night. When she "retired" from teaching children, she became a faithful member of the Sisters in Christ Sunday School class, currently taught and ministered to by Ms. Josie Lamberth. For the past four years, she also loved listening to children say their memory verses in AWANA on Wednesday nights.

Ms. Margie began teaching English as a Second Language at Helping Hands Storefront Ministry in 1993 and continued teaching students until her recent illness.

Ms. Margie loved visiting with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, spending time popping popcorn, baking cakes, and parching peanuts.



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She was preceded in death by her husband, Lealon Clifton Foster; son, Randal Keith Foster; parents, Alfred and Myrtle Baggs Jordan; brothers, Joe Jordan & Samuel Jordan and sisters, Mary Jane Burgess, Donna Faye Pace & Mildred Rae Jordan.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Lynda and Clyde Price of Leesville; son and daughter-in-law, Dean Clifton and Margaret Foster of Leesville; brothers, Sanfred & JoEllen Jordan of Lake Charles & George Jordan of New Boston, TX; sisters, Margaret Reeks of Monroe & Alpha Martin of Leesville; sister-in-law, Pat Martin of Leesville; brother-in-law, L. O. Foster of Toro; grandchildren, Darla and Chad Fletcher of San Antonio, TX, Duane Price of Leesville, Carrie & Jeremy Lisenbe of Conroe, TX, Brant & Jamie Foster of Keithville, LA, Erin Foster of Shreveport, Christina Simpkins of DeBerry, TX, Jeremy Foster of DeBerry, TX, Justin Foster of Leesville, Brandon Foster of Leesville and Kenneth Rippey of DeBerry, TX; great grandchildren, Allyson, Aimee and Danielle Fletcher, Landon and Kaydon Price, Maddie, Makayla and Mylie Lisenbe, Ariel Foster, Keith Foster, Blake and Shane Simpkins, Olivia and Ethan Foster, Aizlynn and Breanne Rippey and a host of nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the East Leesville Baptist Church Children's Building or AWANA ministry.



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JP

Judy Waldrop Pate posted:

Dear Lynda, Dean and families,\r\n\r\nI was so saddened and sorry to learn about Aunt Margie. \r\n\r\nAll of my life when I would see her, she was always so sweet and smiling and would laugh and find joy and goodness in any subject anyone was discussing. I have never seen her any other way, just a precious person and a good cook, too!She was always so pleasant to be around and I consider knowing her and having her as an Aunt a pleasure and a gift. \r\n\r\nGod Bless you all.\r\n\r\nLove, Judy

June 2 at 6:01 AM

SW

Sybil Woodruff posted:

To the family of Margie,\r\n\r\nI graduated from Pickering High School\r\n\r\nwith Margie. She was a very sweet person and a dear friend.\r\n\r\nMy thoughts and prayers are with her family.\r\n\r\nSybil Woodruff

June 2 at 6:01 AM

MP

Missy Harvey Powell posted:

What a wonderful lady Aunt Margie was to so many people. I know she was very special to my brother and I and that she will be greatly missed.\r\n\r\nAunt Linda - thank you so very much for making sure that someone called me to let me know - Uncle Velton called me and I so greatly appreciate you letting me know. Aunt Margie was and always will be very special to me.\r\n\r\nAll of you are in my thoughts and prayers and will continue to be. Much love to everyone from me. Love all of you so very much.

June 2 at 6:01 AM

GJ

Glinda Jenkins posted:

My heart goes out to the family of "Aunt Margie" as we always called her. What a joy she was to so many people. Many times I had to go up the road to her house when my kids were young. They loved to slip off to her house and she always welcomed them with open arms. She was such a blessing to me and my children. To all her family, God will see you through this loss and sadness because of the wonderful Christian example she always set.

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Susan Duck (Skelly) posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to the family in this time of need...Another angel makes it to Heaven.\r\n\r\nSincerely\r\nSusan (Skelly) Duck

June 2 at 6:01 AM



Paul N. Le Bleu posted:

Family and friends of Margie, a class mate of 44. We had wondéfuy\r\ntimes in school and stayed in touch through the years.May the good Lord bless and keep each.\r\nBlessings to the family.\r\n\r\nSincerely~~ Paul Le Bleu

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Margie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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