



## Wanda Elizabeth Parchmont

April 13, 1938 - July 23, 2013

Wanda Elizabeth Parchmont, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend, passed away peacefully on July 23. Wanda is survived by her husband of 55 years Harvey Parchmont, daughter Holly and husband Albert Zarate, daughter Carrie and husband Bart Surratt, son John Parchmont, daughter Susan and husband David LePine, and brother Greg Magee and wife Betty.

She is also survived by ten loving grandchildren: Christopher Zarate, Daniel Zarate, Kasey Elizabeth Surratt, Joseph Harvey LePine, Nicole Zarate, Haylee Parchmont, Joshua Surratt, Mason Parchmont, Corey LePine and Jake Surratt. Wanda was also blessed with a large and loving extended family as well as many friends.

She was preceded in death by her mother Mattylee Elizabeth Magee.

She was born on April 13, 1938 in Huntsville, Texas. She was raised in Houston, Texas where she graduated from Regan High School. Wanda and Harvey settled in Fort Bend County. After many years of service with Texas Iron Works, she retired as Human Resources Assistant Director in 1998. She was a founding member of Brazos Bend Baptist Church located in Needville, TX.

Friends are invited to a visitation with family on July 25 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00

p.m. in the Chapel of Davis Greenlawn Funeral Home, in Rosenberg, TX. Funeral services will be held at the same location at 10:00 a.m. on July 26 with Pastor Bob Freeman officiating, followed by interment at Needville Public Cemetery. Her son and grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

In lieu of customary remembrances, contributions may be made to Wanda's spiritual home, Brazos Bend Baptist Church, 22311 FM 762, Needville, TX 77461.

# Tribute Wall

TS

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**Trixie Sour** - July 31, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Holly and Family,

*The few times that I was able to be around Wanda, was such a joy. She was always so kind, considerate, and full of life and fun. Catherine always speaks so highly of her, and she always made Catherine feel a part of the family, as all of you do. She leaves behind wonderful memories and family, and I know she will be greatly missed. It is so hard to lose a member of the family, and I know the hole that is in your heart will be filled with her memories and love. May God Bless each and every one of you.*

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**Grace Babcock** - July 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Holly,  
We are so sorry to hear about your mom passing. She was a wonderful lady and always had a smile. She was always very nice to me and she never forgot my name. She made me feel so comfortable and welcome when I saw her. She was so much fun and just a genuine down to earth sweetheart. I wish with all my heart that we could have attended at least her wake but time didnt allow us to . My prayers are with you and the beautiful legacy of a family that Ms.Wanda left for the world. God Bless you all and when you hug your dad please have us in mind and let him know he is in our prayers.

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**Katy Jo Zarate and Family** - July 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Parchmont Family, Thanks for sharing Wanda. I worked for her at TIW for about 8 years. I admired her as a great teacher and loved her sense of humor. She was a pioneer for women in the work place. She loved talking about her family. God Bless, Dianne

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**Dianne de Graffenried** - July 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Holly,  
  
I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. I will keep you in my prayers.

*Sandra Flarity*

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**Sandra Flarity** - July 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ It has been so so long since our paths have crossed - Wanda was a wonderful woman - she was a hard worker, great cook, and she laughed all the time - she will be missed by all. I am sorry for not attending I am currently in Scotland, but would have been there otherwise. Still remember those camping trips to Sam Rayburn - setting up camp and tearing it down "every" weekend - before we could leave all the kids had to find all of Harvey's bottles. Then later Sergeant, skiing in the canals with all that mud! Lots of fond memories! Loved those days!

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**Cherry Williams** - July 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Thinking of you all with love

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**Ken Junnie Surratt** - July 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM