



## Blonnie E. Johnston

April 2, 1920 - October 22, 2011

Johnston, Blonnie Etress, age 91, a resident of Shelby, AL, died on Saturday, October 22, 2011. Funeral services will be 3 PM, Tuesday, October 25, 2011 at Bay Springs Baptist Church with Rev. Johnye Horton officiating. Burial will follow at Bay Springs Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday, October 24, 2011 from 6 to 8 PM at Bolton Funeral Home. She was a member of Bay Springs Baptist Church. She worked 24 years with Equifax Company in Atlanta, GA. Thanks to Ashley Fields, Clay Wilder, Allison Sabens and Roxanne Harris from New Beacon Hospice. Also, a special thanks for the loving care givers that stayed with Mrs. Johnston, Joyce Pearson, Evelyn Jones, Ellen Wade, Becky Rowe, Ruby Ramey. Mrs. Johnston is preceded in death by her husband, Jack Johnston. She is survived by her sister, Helen E. Baker and numerous other nieces, nephews, family and friends. Please sign on line condolences at [www.boltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.boltonfuneralhome.com).

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# Tribute Wall

JM

“ Please accept my sincere sympathy on the death of your loved one. I did not know her well, but as a boy growing up in Shelby, I recall hearing her sister and my aunt, Inez Etrass Davis, say more than once: "Blonnie is so beautiful she could have become a movie star." I'm sure she could have, with her great looks, more beautiful than Jane Russell. But she was a bigger and better star with her own loving family, a lustrous constellation still brilliantly gleaming, even in her death, with far greater grandeur than anything the anemic Hollywood cotton-candy celluloid industry could ever spin out. Her treasured memories, brighter and more resplendent than anything ever seen on a pale Cinemascope screen from Tinsel town, will always be there for you to savor, over and over, now and forever, time without end”-in their everlasting and imperishable magnificence. May these thoughts help comfort you in your loss.

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**Jesse H. Merrell** - October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Ms. Blonnie was always a dear, sweet lady and I know that she is with the Lord now. Our prayers are with you in your time of grief.

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**Linda Walton** - October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ We know Blonnie is being serenaded by angels up to the throne. We would love to see her smile when she meets her Savior and Jack there waiting for her. We are so sorry we are unable to attend the funeral services, but our thoughts and prayers are with all of Blonnie's family and friends.

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**Al & Diana Lovoy** - October 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ So sorry to hear of Blonnie passing, prayers to all the Family.

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**Glenda Etreess Blackerby** - October 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ We were saddened to learn of Blonnie's death. We wish to express our sincere sympathy and condolences to all of her family members.

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**Hylott & Patsy Armstrong** - October 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM