



Beatrice Bacile

September 22, 1919 - June 7, 2008

Services for Beatrice Frances Bacile, 88, of Tyler will be held on Wednesday, June 11, 2008 at 10:00 AM at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception with Monsignor Joseph E. Strickland and Father Augustine Tharappel officiating. Burial will follow in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home in Tyler. Miss Bacile passed away on June 7, 2008 at East Texas Medical Center in Tyler. She was born on September 22, 1919 in Tyler to the late Sheban Joseph and Milady Khoury Bacile. Beatrice began working as a cashier at the Mecca Café in Tyler, and during World War II, she moved to Washington D.C. and worked at the National Weather Bureau. After returning to Texas, she worked for Stone and Webster Construction Company in Beaumont, Texas. Beatrice later moved back home to Tyler and was employed by Watson Wise Oil Company for many years. Later in life, she worked for R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company and ended her career as a personal executive secretary for Louise Estabrook. Beatrice was a lifetime member of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Tyler, where she was a member of the Catholic Daughters of America and received her 50 year pin with the CDA. She was also a member of Women Growing in Faith, and past president of the Cedars of Lebanon Club, past member of Rose Capital Pilot Club, and Pilot Club of Tyler. In her early years, she was a member of the Tyler Women's Bowling League, the Tyler Civic Theater since its inception, and in the 50's and 60's worked on many of their productions. She also looked forward to and enjoyed her

daytime Shanghi Rummy Group. Miss Bacile was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Ellis John Bacile and Joseph Andrew Bacile; and one sister, Elizabeth Bacile Findlay. She is survived by a loving family including two brothers, William J. Bacile of Tyler; Namie A. Bacile and wife Chris of Richardson; a sister, Adele Johnson and husband John of Tyler; brother-in-law, Richard "Dick" Findlay of Zachary, Louisiana; sister-in-law, Joan Bacile of Richmond, Virginia; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be John Bacile, Michael Bacile, Anthony Bacile, Tony Johnson, Mark Johnson, David Bacile, and David Findlay. Honorary pallbearers will be her nieces and nephews. Visitation is scheduled for Tuesday, June 10, 2008 at 6:00 PM, Rosary following at 7:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway in Tyler. Memorials in honor of Beatrice Frances Bacile may be made to the Catholic Daughters of America Scholarship Fund, c/o Don Emery, 3728 Southpark Drive, Tyler, Texas 75703; Cedars of Lebanon Renovation Fund, P.O. Box 6124, Tyler, Texas 75711; Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, Texas 75701; or to a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

SI

“ I am the first grand son of Estelle Unis Clark. I am sorry for your loss but remember her being good friends with my grandmother and remember her always coming over to my grandmothers house and would often times see her in the church when I visited Tyler and when Milam Joseph was the Msgr. I always remember her having a very big smile and she was always smiling! My grandmother was quite the personality herself and I know she loved her. I wish you all the best.

Regards,
Sam

Sam William Clark, IV - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Aunt Bea was a wonderful, caring person who was always interested in every member of our family and made each of us feel special. My father, Ellis, adored his big "Sis" (as he called her) and they were very close.

I was talking to Aunt Bea on the phone the day before she died and she was telling me how thankful she was for Adele and what a wonderful sister Adele was. Bea said that Adele was always there for her and that she loved her very much and didn't know what she would have done without her.

I am thankful to have had Bea in my life, as my Aunt, Godmother, and friend, and she will be greatly missed.

We are really sorry not to be able to make the trip to Texas for the funeral but will keep you all close in our hearts, thoughts, and prayers.

Linda Bacile Murrill - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *A very special lady and a very special memory in my life. I am so thankful for having had the opportunity to be a part of the Bacile family, even though i am so far away. I deeply regret not being able to be there during this time. I love you all very much.....Ginny*

Ginny Bacile - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Dear Adele, Johnny, and family,*

Our prayers of sympathy are with you - We have many fond memories of Bea and loved her dearly. We will remember her sweet smile and big heart. Love, Charles and Dana

Dana and Charles Khan - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ My love goes out to our family in Texas. We are sorry we were not able to be there with everyone in this time of need. I am sorry I was not able to get to know Aunt Bea that well. I can say that everytime we did get to see her she was always smiling and trying to feed us! She made wonderful food!

I married into the family(I married Mike Bacile, son of William Bacile, who is brother to Aunt Bea) but she always made me feel like I should have always been there. I had a daughter when I came to the family and she loved her like all the other children. She had a big heart,for such a tiny lady, with lots of love!

I am thankful that we were able to come home a few years back and see her. She invited us in with open arms and went straight to the fridge. "Come and eat!", she told us and we sat at her dining table. It was a wonderful visit I will never forget.

We will think of her often with a smile! Our prayers are with the family!

Gina

Regina - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ What I will remember the most about Aunt Bea is her amazing faith. She was such a devout spiritual person, and I will always be inspired by her. I am grateful that I met Aunt Bea in person for the first time two years ago, and that I became close to her during the last years of her life.

Jenny Murrill - June 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM