



## Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt

June 7, 1950 - September 4, 2018

A 10 AM Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2018, in St. Pius X Catholic Church in Lafayette, Louisiana for Susan Elizabeth Hurlburt, 68, the former Susan Elizabeth Ebel, who died Wednesday morning, September 4, 2018 at her residence in Lafayette, Louisiana with her family at her side.

She will be interred at a later date.

A Celebration of Life reception will be held at River Oaks, 520 E Kaliste Saloom Rd, Lafayette, LA 70508, following the mass.

Reverend James Brady, JCL, Pastor of St. Pius X Catholic Church, will serve as Celebrant and conduct the services.

Susan, known to her grandchildren as SueSue, was born in Rock Island, Illinois, and relocated to Louisiana with her husband in 1974. Family, community service, and God were the most important aspects of her life. Her children could always count on having a warm meal on the table and baked goods for dessert, which earned her the nickname "Mamma Sue" from her children's friends. Susan had a calling from God to serve in various community outreach roles. She worked for Hospice of Acadiana and weekly vacuumed the church, cooked meals for priests, and polished the nails of residents at Maison de Lafayette nursing home. Susan was a member of the "Come Lord Jesus Group" where she created lifelong friends. Her devotion to Christ and the Catholic faith influenced her actions and efforts throughout her life.

Susan is preceded in death by her parents Gene and Elizabeth Ebel of Rock Island, Illinois. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, David Arthur Hurlburt; three children, Aaron David Hurlburt, husband of Cherise Angelle Hurlburt, Jessica "Jessie" Bryant, wife of Jay Lynn Bryant, and Andrea "Andy" Wrenn, wife of Michael Allen Wrenn. She adored her eight grandchildren who were the light of her life, Vivienne Hurlburt, Hendricks Hurlburt, Hudson Bryant, Benjamin Bryant, Lucy Bryant, Hayes Bryant, Bennett Wrenn

and Braeden Wrenn. She is also survived by her brother, Richard Ebel of Pueblo, Colorado, and sisters Nancy DeDoncker of Des Moines, Iowa, and Janice Heaton of Rock Island, Illinois.

Pallbearers will be M. Blake Monrose, Joseph Joy III, Jay Bryant, and Michael Wrenn.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Dr. Kim Hardy, George D. Ernest III, G.T. Thomas, and Bill Daigle.

The family requests that visitation be observed in Martin & Castille's SOUTHSIDE location Friday, September 14, 2018 from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM and Saturday from 8:00 AM until the time of services.

A Rosary will be prayed Friday evening at 6: 00 PM in Martin & Castille Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made in the name of Susan E. Hurlburt to Hospice of Acadiana, 2600 Johnston Street, Suite 200, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70506 or the Desormeaux Foundation, 1331 Jefferson St, Lafayette, LA 70501.

The family wishes to express their deepest appreciation for all of the love and assistance provided by her sisters in Christ, especially over the last seven years of her life. The family also wishes to extend their deepest appreciation to her caregivers, Linda Stelly and Tammy Landry, for their care and compassion, and to the wonderful nurses, doctors, and aides from Hospice of Acadiana, whose compassion and care have been invaluable.

View the obituary and guestbook online at [www.mourning.com](http://www.mourning.com)

Martin & Castille-SOUTHSIDE-600 E. Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA 70508, 337-984-2811

# Events

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- SEP 14 Visitation** 04:00PM - 07:00PM  
Martin & Castille Funeral Home - Southside Location  
600 East Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA, US, 70508
- SEP 14 Rosary** 06:00PM - 06:45PM  
Martin & Castille Funeral Home - Southside Location  
600 East Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA, US, 70508
- SEP 15 Visitation** 08:00AM - 10:00AM  
Martin & Castille Funeral Home - Southside Location  
600 East Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA, US, 70508
- SEP 15 Funeral Mass** 10:00AM - 11:00AM  
St. Pius X Catholic Church  
200 East Bayou Parkway, Lafayette, LA, US, 70508
- SEP 15 Reception** 11:15AM  
River Oaks  
520 E. Kaliste Saloom Road, Lafayette, LA, US, 70508

# Comments

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“ A tribute video has been added.



**Martin & Castille Funeral Home** - September 12, 2018 at 03:34 PM

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“ Dave, Aaron, Jessie, and Andy,  
I am so sorry. Ms. Sue was just the sweetest lady. When I think about your mom, I think of all the times that y'all came to visit and how much fun we all had. Y'all are in our prayers.  
Stephen

**Stephen Johnson** - September 15, 2018 at 08:44 AM

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“ We thank God for the blessing of having been touched by such a beautiful lady. May she rest in peace. Dave, you and your family are in our prayers.

Dale and Tana Trahan



**Tana** - September 15, 2018 at 01:28 AM

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“ Dear Dave, Aaron, Jessie, and Andy,  
I'm so very sorry for the loss of Sue. She was the best in every avenue of her life. All the photos brought such great memories of all the fun we had together. When I think of Sue and your family I remember the laughter. I have no pictures. We were too busy enjoying the moments, but those memories will never die. As we share our stories with each other, Sue will live in our hearts, now and always. What a fine life she lived, and how lucky we were to be a part of the joy that Sue brought to all. Bless her heart.  
Love to all,

Debby Johnson Thornton

Debby Johnson Thornton - September 14, 2018 at 04:24 PM

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“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt.



September 14, 2018 at 01:21 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt.



September 14, 2018 at 10:55 AM

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“ Kevin and Tatia purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt.



Kevin Greer - September 13, 2018 at 11:18 AM

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“ 175 files added to the album LifeTributes





“ To Sue's family: Sue and I attended Alleman High School together. I remember her as a fun person with a great laugh. I pray that all of your wonderful memories with Sue will bring you comfort. God bless you all. You all have my sincere sympathy. Sue Maynard Simmons

**Sue Maynard Simmons** - September 11, 2018 at 10:28 AM

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“ Sue my friend, When we met at Cursillo I knew that weekend that I had a true friend in Christ. Although we didn't spend much time together when we did see one another it was like yesterday. Your light was always shining. You were a true servant of Christ. As we say goodbye to you our memories will live on. You were the light of the world. Through the years you suffered as Christ did and today there will be no more pain. As your spirit lives on I will speak to you until we meet again Rest in Peace my dear friend. Love, Sonia Mickey and John-Corbett Comboy



**Sonia Comboy** - September 10, 2018 at 09:15 PM

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“ All Your Friends at Acadiana Automotive Group purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt.



**All Your Friends at Acadiana Automotive Group** - September 10, 2018 at 03:29 PM

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“ Dave and Family  
We were so sad to learn of Sue's passing. Although we hadn't seen you in a long time we spoke often of you and Sue. Please know that we are keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult and sad time.  
Larry and Chris Squire

Christine Squire - September 10, 2018 at 08:45 AM

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“ Susie and I were the best of friends in grade school and high school. Oh the fun times and laughs we had. She always made fun of the “tiny little chocolate cookies” we made! I am so sorry for your loss, Dave and all of the Ebel and Hurlburt families. Dave may God Bless you through this difficult time. I know there aren't enough kind words for all you've done for Susie through these tough years. You're all in my thoughts and prayers. Mary Margaret Dalmasso

mary dalmasso - September 09, 2018 at 08:59 PM

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“ My Deepest Sympathy to Susans Family. We went to grade school and high school together and she was a very dear person. You are all in our prayers. Stephanie Schild adn Charlie Wise



Stephanie Schild - September 09, 2018 at 05:55 PM

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“ I am so sorry to hear that Sue has died. When she was a student at Alleman High School where I taught, I saw her infectious smile and good spirit. I see that stayed with her. I will keep you and Sue in my prayers. Mary Alice Stewart (Miss Lee)

Mary Alice Stewart - September 09, 2018 at 11:42 AM

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“ My dear Dave, Aaron, Jessie and Andy, and families, I am so very sorry for the loss of your wife, mother, and grandmother. Sue was such a beautiful person, inside and out, and I kow how much she will be missed. I will hold you all close to my heart, and in my prayers, now and always. May the love, peace, and comfort of Our Lord Jesus Christ, and of His Blessed mother, be with you all, now and always. Love, hugs, and prayers, my dears.

Renee Borne



**Renee Borne** - September 08, 2018 at 10:46 AM

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“ My sincere sympathy on your loss. Sue was a good friend when we attended Alleman High school. May she rest in peace.  
Patricia Colman Belvel

**Patricia Belvel** - September 07, 2018 at 07:58 PM

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“ Dear Dave and family,  
Sue and I were grade school, high school and even college friends. We shared so many good times together. I can even hear her laugh in my memories. I feel fortunate to have shared so many wonderful times with Sue. One favorite anecdote was when Sue and I were taking behind the wheel driver's ed. Seat belts had just become an option for cars. Sue was behind the wheel and did not buckle up. When the instructor asked her why she didn't she said she thought it was optional....well we spent the entire 55 minute class period on the importance of buckling up and we never left the parking space.  
What a lovely picture of Sue. That smile is precious.  
May God Bless You at this difficult time. She will be remembered in my prayers as well.  
Sincerely,  
Cathy (Beuselinck) Plasschaert  
Rock Island, IL

**Cathy Plasschaert** - September 07, 2018 at 07:00 PM

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“ Tom Dura lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt





“ Not only has Sue's family suffered a great loss, all that new her have suffered a great loss. If only the world have more people like Sue in it; it would be a much better place. She was deeply loved and will be missed.

Dick Chopin - September 06, 2018 at 03:33 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



Terry - September 06, 2018 at 09:39 AM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Susan "Sue Sue" E. Hurlburt.



September 05, 2018 at 04:14 PM

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“ Dave and family - My sincerest and deepest condolences.

Chris A. Verret - September 05, 2018 at 09:22 AM



“ Mr. Hurlburt , our prayers are with you and your family. David K Fontenot and Barbara Fontenot

David K Fontenot - September 05, 2018 at 12:54 PM



“ Dave, we are so sorry for your loss but Sue is in a better place. Thank you for bringing Sue in our lives; she was a special lady!

Terry & Phyllis Finnegan and family.

Terry & Phyllis Finnegan - September 06, 2018 at 10:20 AM



“ Dave, you and your family are in my prayers at this difficult time.

**Kent Zerangue** - September 08, 2018 at 10:59 PM