



## Doris (Babb) Holmes

January 1, 1944 - February 3, 2024

Doris (Babb) Holmes, age 80, passed away Saturday, February 3, 2024 in Tyler, Texas. She was born January 1, 1944 in Tyler, Texas. A visitation will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 7, 2024 at Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, February 8, 2024 at New Harmony Baptist Church. A burial will be held at New Harmony Cemetery. Officiating the service will be Bro. Robbie Caldwell and bro. Bennie Portwood. Doris was a member of Damascus Baptist Church and a former member of New Harmony Baptist Church, Liberty Baptist Church in Hawkins and First Baptist Church in Fruitvale all of which she previously played the piano for. She was a homemaker and taught piano for many years and she loved cooking, baking, camping, and was known for her famous chocolate and pecan pies.

She is preceded in death by parents, Leroy and Carmen Doris (McGil) Babb; husband, Johnny Holmes of 59 years; grandson, Daniel Paul Holmes in 2000; sister, Nelda MacFall; brother, Archa Babb.

She is survived by son, Mark and wife, Susan Holmes of Lindale; daughters, April Holmes of New Harmony, Terri Holmes of Lindale; sister, Carolyn Harris of New Harmony; grandchildren, Jonathan Holmes of Lindale, Carmen Lowe of Lindale, Matthew Stroud of Lindale; along with several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Jonathan Holmes, Carmen Lowe, Matthew Stroud, Josh Praytor, Mark Mathis, and Tim Rutledge.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home  
206 West South Street  
Lindale, TX 75771  
(903) 882-3141  
jeff@crdfh.com

## Funeral Service

FEB 8. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

New Harmony Baptist Church  
10251 FM 724  
Tyler, TX 75704  
nhbc@newharmonybaptistchurch.org

# Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Doris (Babb) Holmes*



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**Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home** - February 06, 2024 at 09:58 PM

JM

*Beautiful video Rest In Peace dear friend*

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**joan mullen** - February 09, 2024 at 04:55 PM

SG

“ *Many prayer for you and your family!*  
*Sue Grindle*

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**sue grindle** - February 08, 2024 at 12:19 PM

SG

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Mrs. Doris was always full of love and joy. Even when she fussed at me for not practicing like I should she did it out of love. So thankful for the lessons she taught me, not only about playing the piano, but how to be a servant and example of Christ.*

*Shanna Grindle*

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**Shanna Grindle** - February 08, 2024 at 11:40 AM

YF

“ You Chandler Post Office family! purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Doris (Babb) Holmes.



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**You Chandler Post Office family!** - February 08, 2024 at 08:39 AM

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“ You Chandler Post Office family! planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Doris (Babb) Holmes.

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**You Chandler Post Office family!** - February 08, 2024 at 08:39 AM

SN

“ Kayla Newton and I are so sorry for your loss. She was always happy to see us and happy to chat. She will be missed by so many



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**Sheila Newton** - February 07, 2024 at 04:38 PM

KM

“ Kevin, Sharon, Hannah & John Markham purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Doris (Babb) Holmes.



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**Kevin, Sharon, Hannah & John Markham** - February 07, 2024 at 11:34 AM



“ 42 files added to the album Life Tributes



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - February 06, 2024 at 09:55 PM

DV

“ Doris was a beautiful and talented servant of the Lord. Her laughter and joy brightened any room and her gift of music was both fun and inspirational. Gary and I loved her completely.

Debbie Vaughn - February 06, 2024 at 05:30 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Doris (Babb) Holmes.



February 06, 2024 at 05:26 PM

JM

“ Doris taught piano to me and my daughter Keri a long time ago. She came to my home for lunch one day and played our piano and we Had Church. Rest In Peace Dear friend

Joan Mullen - February 06, 2024 at 01:09 PM



“ I had the honor of serving with Doris on the music team at First Baptist Fruitvale. It was such a blessing to WATCH her, as well as LISTEN to her play the keyboard. And when she left FBCF she was so excited to go serve in the music ministry with her son. No doubt she loved the Lord and used her talents for Him!

LeeAnne Taylor Hunt - February 06, 2024 at 01:01 PM



“ Doris was a great friend and blessed my life so many times. I am thankful for her friendship. We had so much fun together. Great musician, had a great voice and the most important thing, she loved her Lord.



Joy Longmire - February 05, 2024 at 11:29 PM



“ Very wonderful person and a great pianist. Loved listening to her play. she will be missed. so sorry for your loss.

Lisa Duncan - February 05, 2024 at 08:26 PM