



## Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes

January 14, 1954 - May 8, 2022

Sister Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes, was born to the late John Wesley Pewitte and Claudine Pewitte on January 14, 1954. She slept on into glory in the wea hours on Sunday, May 8, 2022.

She was a devoted Christian. She professed her love for Jesus at a young age and join Bethlehem No. 2 Missionary Baptist Church. But would later in life return to her mother Claudine's home Church, London Branch Missionary Baptist Church in Haywood County, Tennessee.

She attended public schools at Denmark Elementary and West High School of Denmark, Tennessee.

She was employed by the George Anna Motel, Casey Jones Motel and she worked as a cafeteria worker at Lane College.

After her retirement she moved to Edmond, Oklahoma to be close to her daughters where she resided until her death. She loved to dance, have fun, laugh, joke and be the life of all of the family gatherings. She would call and text home on a daily basis. She would give all that she had for her family. She loved her family.

She got married at a young age to her childhood sweetheart John Henry Forest, and to this union three children were born. She was later married to

Lewis Grimes.

She was preceded in death by her son: Willie Raymond Pewitte; her siblings: Pearlie "Easie" Pewitte Clark, Cora E. Ellison, John Lee Pewitte, Raymond Pewitte, Willie T. Pewitte, Ernest "Tonk" Cleve Pewitte, James "Boball" Pewitte and Charles Pewitte.

She leaves to cherish her memory her two daughters: Moniquia Bridgers and Mona Lisa Alexander both of Edmond, Oklahoma; three sisters: Sarah (Curtis) Goyer, Janice (Elvis) Phelps both of Jackson, Tennessee; and Nellie (Edward) Guyton of Denmark, Tennessee; brother: Alexander Vantreese of Chicago, Illinois; two sisters-in-law: Lavern Pewitte of Denmark, Tennessee and Bonita Pewitte of Jackson, Tennessee; twelve grandchildren: Keshia (Sean) Tate, Deaquann Forrest, Kel'mia (Erin) Tate Hackney, Josh (Sha'Nequa) Hammond, Takisha (Tyree) Wells, Felicia (Tiffany) Herring, Janet Herring, Shan Tavia Singleton, Rolonda D. Hill, Sarah Forrest, Dilen Forrest Pewitte, Aniqueia Garvin; great-grandchildren: Kayden, Karter, Kolten, Keyshan Mixon Tate, Noah Aldridge Forrest, Avianna Forrest, Joshuaun, Drayden, June Hammonds, Charles Khoilan, Ka'yun, Ka'ori, Nicko, Na'Rigue Herring and host of other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## London Branch Church Cemetery

Brownsville, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **15**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stephenson-Shaw Funeral Home, Inc.  
807 N. Hays Avenue  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes*

January 28, 2023 at 12:37 PM



“ *"West High Class of 1973"* 🐾  
*We the classmates of our beloved  
classmate Shirley pewitte Grimes  
would like to send our condolences  
to her entire family etc.*

*She will be missed so we pray that in the days to come things will  
get better for the family, we are here for you day or nite if you need  
us* 🐾 🐾

**Mary Ingram Fuller** - May 13, 2022 at 12:31 PM



“ *Chris And Dawn Pewitt lit a candle in memory  
of Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes*



**Chris and Dawn Pewitt** - May 12, 2022 at 01:56 AM



“ *Losing you my sister was hard but I know that God has plans for  
you . Love you always, to the moon and back. Your sister Sarah  
Goyer*

**Sarah Goyer** - May 11, 2022 at 04:09 PM

SG

“ Sarah Goyer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes



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**Sarah Goyer** - May 11, 2022 at 04:06 PM

SG

“ Sarah Goyer sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes



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**Sarah Goyer** - May 11, 2022 at 04:04 PM

MH

“ Mary Grimes Hunt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Jean Pewitte Grimes



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**Mary Grimes Hunt** - May 10, 2022 at 10:25 PM