



## Shirley Ann Holman

December 13, 1943 - May 27, 2023

Shirley Ann Holman, 79, of Terrell, Texas, peacefully passed away in her home on Friday, May 26th from natural causes.

Shirley was born on December 13, 1943, to John Chester Hayes and Letha Hayes in Broseley, Missouri. After graduating from high school in 1962, she moved to Saint Louis where she celebrated her many drag race victories with hot fudge sundaes. Growing tired of conquering city life, she moved back home to provide comfort for her newly widowed mother. It was back home in 1968 when she met James Ray Holman. They wed in 1969, going on to have two amazing boys.

Shirley was a faithful wife and dedicated mother. She worked hard for her family and took side jobs cleaning offices at night to provide the little extras. Her life was Christ-centered and focused on church, which she attended regularly until physical complications kept her home. However, even from home, she wanted a full account of each Sunday morning service from her grandchildren.

Shirley Holman found her true life's calling on February 11th, 2007, when she became a "grandmommy". Grandchildren became her life, and she regularly took them on day trips to mini-golf courses, arcades, and Laser Tag. No child's request was too great. Shirley Holman lived the cliché of "wind them up and give them back to their parents" because that was her God-given duty and privilege. She is the gold standard by which all other grandparents aspire to spoil their grandchildren.

Shirley was predeceased by her loving parents John and Letha Hayes. She goes on to Glory to meet with her brothers Gerald, William, and Floyd, and her sisters Betty and Shelba. She is survived by two sons: Jamie and Nik Holman, two grandchildren: Colby and Katy Holman, her sister: Doris Webb, and dozens of loving nieces, nephews, and friends.

The viewing and funeral service will be held at 10:00 am on Friday, June 2nd at Emmanuel Pentecostal Church, 1200 Poplar Dr, Mesquite, TX 75149.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Emmanuel Pentecostal Church  
1200 Poplar Dr.  
Mesquite, TX 75149

## Funeral Service

JUN 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

Emmanuel Pentecostal Church  
1200 Poplar Dr.  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Shirley Ann Holman*



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**Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations** - June 12, 2023 at 11:46 AM

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“ *Aunt Shirley I will always rem mber u and your sweet spirit.*

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**LaDonna Smith** - December 16, 2025 at 01:32 AM



“ *Shirley Ann Holman*

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October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM

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“ *FROM GARY AND CONNIE HAYES purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Shirley Ann Holman.*



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**FROM GARY AND CONNIE HAYES** - May 30, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Holman.



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May 30, 2023 at 11:24 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley Ann Holman.

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May 30, 2023 at 11:24 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Holman.



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May 30, 2023 at 09:28 AM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Holman.



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May 29, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Holman.*



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May 29, 2023 at 06:23 PM



“ *Kelly lit a candle in memory of Shirley Ann Holman*



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**kelly** - May 29, 2023 at 11:07 AM



*Shirley was always so good to me when I was growing up in church. I tried to keep in touch with her over the years. She was a great Christian lady..*

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**EARNESTENE PHYLLIS GETTINGS** - August 08, 2023 at 07:46 PM