



## Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty

December 19, 1931 - July 20, 2021

Marilyn passed away peacefully at home the morning of July 20th. She was born and raised in New Orleans; graduated from St John the Baptist parochial school and John McDonogh High School. She was married to her late husband, Rodney, for 66 years before his passing. In 1950 they were the first couple married in St. Rita Parish in Harahan. They were residents of River Ridge for 58 years where they raised their four children.

A parishioner of St. Matthew the Apostle Parish since its inception, Marilyn faithfully attended Mass there and selflessly volunteered her time to assist the Teresian Sisters and to help with the CYO. Later, she was a devoted member of the St. Theresa Prayer Group.

She was a longtime and valued employee of Analytical Studies/Multi Quest. After retirement she became a member of the Harahan Senior Center where she rarely missed the Canasta and Domino games. She also helped to put on the Center's numerous dinners, dances and other events. She participated in many trips sponsored by senior groups and church groups. Marilyn loved dancing at any opportunity and was a member of a square dancing club for many years.

Mardi Gras was one of her favorite holidays, attending as many parades as possible, as well as riding in the New Orleans truck parade on Mardi Gras day for several years.

But most of all she loved her family and loved having them gather at her home

for Sunday dinners and to celebrate birthdays and holidays.

She was a kind person with a generous spirit who will be sorely missed by all who knew and loved her.

Beloved wife of the late Lawrence Rodney Nulty. Mother of Lawrence Gerard Nulty (Marilyn), Geralyn Nulty Lips (Robert), Patrick Gerard Nulty (Paula), and the late Timothy Gerard Nulty. Grandmother of Christine Foley Wyble (Joedy), Rebecca Foley, Benjamin Foley (Alison), Elizabeth Nulty Mirto (Dave), Katie Nulty Parrot (Chad), Patrice Nulty McKinnie (Taylor) and Paige Nulty. Great Grandmother of Christopher, Trey, Brandon, Lauren, Nicholas, Jacob, Abigail, Violet, and William. Daughter of the late Thelma Odile Chenevert Forest and Louis Edmond Forest, Jr. Sister of Ronald Louis Forest (Lois), Wayne G. Forest (Linda) and the late JoAnn Mary Forest Scuderi. Daughter in law of the late Mary Adele Belletto. Sister in law of the late William Lloyd Nulty. Also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Visitation and Words of Remembrance at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Friday, July 30, 2021. Visitation from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00a.m. Words of Remembrance at 11:00 a.m., followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Church at 12:00 p.m. 10021 Jefferson Hwy., River Ridge, LA 70123. Interment in St. Patrick Cemetery No.1, 5000 Canal St., New Orleans, LA 70119. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to an Alzheimer's research organization such as Alzheimer's Association.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Patrick Cemetery No. 1

5000 Canal Street  
New Orleans, LA 70119

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

JUL 30. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home  
2607 Williams Blvd  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 466-8577  
info@muhleisen.com

## Words of Remembrance

JUL 30. 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Memorial Mass

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JUL **30**. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Matthew the Apostle  
10021 Jefferson Hwy.  
River Ridge, LA 70123

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Kinberly Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty*



**Kinberly Hamilton** - July 28, 2021 at 03:13 PM



*Ms Marilyn had a personality like a bright light, even in her diminished capacity, I really enjoyed knowing her, as well as caring for her.*

**Kinberly Hamilton** - July 28, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ *Hi Larry and family,  
I am sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I will keep you all in my prayers.  
Meliss (Matranga) Batchen*

**Meliss A Batchen** - July 28, 2021 at 02:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty.*



July 27, 2021 at 10:45 PM

JC

“ Ms. Marilyn. She was such a feisty lady. I loved taking care of her and seeing what she would say!! My greatest memory is when I was putting her to bed one night and she was having some anxiety trying to calm down. I remembered how Geralyn had said how much she loved music so I started singing to her. It was Christmas time so I hummed a Christmas tune. She closed her eyes and the sweetest smile came across her face as she listened. When I was done, she opened her eyes, looked at me and said, well, you're just gonna stop?! Keep going!" I laughed out loud at her directness and continued to sing. Even though her mind was so altered by the time I met her, it was moments like that when I saw the strong and intelligent person she was. So glad I had the chance to know her.



Jennifer Caston - July 26, 2021 at 11:17 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty.



July 26, 2021 at 01:13 PM

CB

“ Christine, Becky and Ben purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty.



Christine, Becky and Ben - July 26, 2021 at 11:28 AM

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“ *Dan & Bridget Forest purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Marilyn Rita Forest Nulty.*



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**Dan & Bridget Forest** - July 25, 2021 at 07:28 PM