



## Annis T. Whitlow

September 5, 1933 - December 19, 2020

Mrs. Annis T. Whitlow passed away on December 19, 2020.

Annis was born September 5, 1933 to John Edward and Viola Tollett. She married the love of her life, James T. Whitlow Jr. on August 28, 1954 at Acipco Methodist Church. She loved to travel. She and her husband worked with Alabama Campers on Mission remodeling and building churches for 11 years. They traveled across the U.S. from Florida to the Canadian border, as well as Hawaii. She deeply loved her family and maintained a stable home for her husband and children. In her younger years Annis loved water – everything from swimming, being a lifeguard to canoeing. When her children were young they lived in Calgary, Alberta Canada for a year. She was a member of Gardendale Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her loving husband of 66 plus years, James T. Whitlow Jr.; one son, James Andrew “Andy” Whitlow (Ann); two daughters, Leisa Whitlow and Wendy Whitlow; one grandchild, Lee Whitlow (Danielle); four great grandkids, Robert, Grace, Ella and Isaiah; two sisters, Laverne Houston and Ruby Barnard (Aubrey); and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Graveside Services will be open to friends and family to attend at Oakwood Memorial Gardens on Thursday, December 24th at 10AM with Mike Iron officiating.

Donation memorials can be made to Big Oak Ranch and Gardendale Mt.  
Vernon United Methodist Church.

# Tribute Wall

LD

“ We are so sad to hear about your moms passing Andy ... but what a Blessing for her! Can you imagine spending your First Eternal Christmas in heaven with JESUS??? Prayers for Gods comfort for your family and your dad! Much love  
Brad and Linda Drake

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**linda drake** - December 24, 2020 at 10:55 AM

AM

“ So sorry to hear of my sweet friends passing. Annis was such a gracious, strong lady. She and Jim were so sweet to me 20+ years ago when I lost my husband. We enjoyed many meals and fellowship at Silverton and Bright Star. They were such loving, caring people that I was happy to call my friend. Prayers for the family.



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**Ann McAnnally** - December 22, 2020 at 06:47 PM

TB

“ I will truly miss my daily visits to Mrs. Whitlow's room to ask how her day was going. May God's grace comfort you all during your time of grieving.

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**Tyler Bryant** - December 22, 2020 at 09:28 AM

JL

“ It is written with God's indelible ink in my mind and on my heart the afternoon I was at Fultondale First Baptist Church picking up my nephew and noticed a lady with car trouble. i approached her and asked if she needed help. She immediately asked my if I was a Leatherwood, I said, yes mam I am, I'm Robert Leatherwood. She instantly replied with her name and that began a cherished first cousin relationship that has lasted over 46 years with continuous contact all these years.

*Annis was always gracious and kind and always encouraging me. This is not the end, Annis, just our momentary separation, I will see you soon, Cuz.*

*I love you.*

*James Robert*

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**James Robert Leatherwood** - December 21, 2020 at 10:21 PM

PB

“ Andy we are so sorry to hear about your mom. we are praying for you.

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**Percy Byrd** - December 21, 2020 at 06:48 PM

BM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Praying for you  
*McCombs Family*

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**Brenda McCombs** - December 21, 2020 at 07:39 AM

FH

“ Annis was so kind and always had a welcoming heart. She loved all of us like we were her children. Praying for you during this difficult time.

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**Frances Hutto Harris** - December 21, 2020 at 02:53 AM

MI

“ *I'm so sorry, Leisa. Praying God comforts you and wraps you in his loving embrace.*

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**mitsy** - December 20, 2020 at 11:42 PM