



## Mrs. Benna McDonald

August 18, 1943 - January 17, 2023

Funeral services for Mrs. Benna McDonald, 79, of Henderson will be held at 3:00 pm Thursday, January 19, 2023, in the chapel at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Bro. Brady Weaver and Bro. Bill Gardner officiating under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

Mrs. McDonald passed away January 17, 2023 at her residence. She was born August 18, 1943 in Denton Texas and was a resident of Henderson since 1973. Mrs. McDonald was a Registered Nurse and a Licensed Paramedic and founded Loving Heart Training Center with the American Heart Association. She was a member of the American Heart Association. Mrs. McDonald loved working at Henderson Memorial Hospital where she served in many capacities including, Safety Director, Education Director, teacher for the EMT and Paramedic classes, and delivering a lot of children over the 31 years she worked there. She loved taking care of people. She liked to knit, crochet, paint and make jewelry. Mrs. McDonald was a member of First Baptist Church in Laneville.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Emanuel and Imogene Hertler.

Survivors include her children, Russell Trubey and wife Amanda of Henderson, Bobbie Sue Dumas and husband Tom of Henderson, Tommy McDonald and wife Jackie of Kilgore; sister, Nancy Robbins of Denton;

grandchildren, Samantha Gray and husband Brett, Kolten Trubey and fiance Gracie Martinson, Braden Trubey, Tony Dumas and wife Stacie, Andie Burks and husband Jonathan, Ashley Sawaf and husband Karim, Elizabeth McDonald-Sheffield and husband Wes, Kristen Shields and husband Brandon; beloved friend, Christie Hyman; and a host of great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other family, and friends.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the American Heart Association, PO Box 840692, Dallas, Texas, 75284.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 19. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home  
1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

## Service

JAN 19. 3:00 PM (CT)

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1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

# Tribute Wall

OA

“ *Omosefe Amen lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**Omosefe Amen** - January 30, 2023 at 08:05 PM

JP

“ *JIMMY AND LESIA PYERS lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**JIMMY AND LESIA PYERS** - January 24, 2023 at 08:28 PM

RS

“ *Robbie Stephens lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**Robbie Stephens** - January 22, 2023 at 02:01 PM



“ *Benna a was a very kind woman. She was always very helpful as well. Please accept my sympathies for your loss.*

**Cathy Hooper** - January 21, 2023 at 09:56 AM

DK

“ *Dianna Kelley lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Dianna Kelley - January 21, 2023 at 09:53 AM

DK

“ *Dianna Kelley lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Dianna Kelley - January 21, 2023 at 09:52 AM

  
Christie  
Gambrell

“ *Benna touched the lives of so many people! These are some of the Christian Women's Job Corps ladies whom she taught CPR.*



Christie Gambrell - January 20, 2023 at 09:00 PM

SA

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. Benna was a special lady. I worked with her at Henderson Hospital and thought a lot of her. Praying for your family.*



Sheila Alford - January 20, 2023 at 07:44 PM

LB

“ *Linda Bridges lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**Linda Bridges** - January 20, 2023 at 06:10 PM

DF

“ *Diane Flanagan lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**Diane Flanagan** - January 20, 2023 at 09:25 AM

DC

“ *David Jan Crow lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**David and Jan Crow** - January 20, 2023 at 07:40 AM

RW

“ *Rhonda Whitley lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



**Rhonda Whitley** - January 19, 2023 at 11:56 PM

SC

“ Bobby and Russell, I am so sorry for your loss. I remember her raising her eyebrows at our hooliganisms more than once. She took care of anyone who needed it. She was a good person. So sorry



Steven Clem - January 19, 2023 at 06:55 PM

AM

“ I always loved your mom, she was like a second mom to me. I am praying for your family.

Angie Marsh - January 19, 2023 at 06:07 PM

JR

“ Bobbie Sue & family: I'm so sorry for your loss & pray our Lord gives you His peace & love. 💕  
Joyce Riddles (MK)

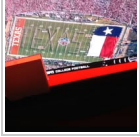
Joyce Riddles - January 19, 2023 at 12:39 PM

MM

“ Melissa Morton lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald



Melissa Morton - January 19, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Ron Audas lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Ron Audas** - January 18, 2023 at 09:34 PM

CH

“ *Chad Hyman lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Chad Hyman** - January 18, 2023 at 09:10 PM

DS

“ *It was such a joy to serve with Benna through Awana. She always had a smile and a joy for Jesus. It's exciting that she now knows the impact that she had on boys and girls through her serving the Lord Almighty.*

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**Dale Silvertooth** - January 18, 2023 at 07:39 PM

JS

“ *Judy Stokes lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Judy Stokes** - January 18, 2023 at 07:34 PM

WW

“ *Wendi Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Wendi Wolfe** - January 18, 2023 at 07:11 PM

DC

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. My prayers are with your family for comfort and peace. Benna spent her life loving her family and serving others. I can't think of anyone who deserves all the peace and splendor heaven can offer more. Rest in Peace, dear Benna.*



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**Debbi Corley** - January 18, 2023 at 06:56 PM

JS

“ *Joyce Story lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Joyce Story** - January 18, 2023 at 06:55 PM

CD

“ *Chris Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Chris Dorsey** - January 18, 2023 at 06:52 PM

SO

“ *Sylvia Oliver lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Sylvia Oliver - January 18, 2023 at 06:37 PM

KL

“ *Ken Di Logan lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Ken and Di Logan - January 18, 2023 at 04:53 PM

RM

“ *Rosalinda Mata lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Rosalinda Mata - January 18, 2023 at 04:53 PM

KP

“ *Kay Pearson lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Kay (Williams) Pearson - January 18, 2023 at 04:20 PM

DC

*Benna was such a Blessing. She always had a smile and her caring nature just attracted people. She will be missed, but know she is with Jesus. We will be praying for you all. Hugs, Donna and Billy Crawford*

Donna Crawford - January 18, 2023 at 07:11 PM

JW

“ Jessica Wylie lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald



Jessica Wylie - January 18, 2023 at 04:12 PM

NG

“ Benna was a sweet giving positive lady I deeply admired. When she attended FBC Henderson we were in the same Sunday School Class for many years. I always admired Benna's determination and drive to get things done. She will be missed. 🙏

Nancy & Mark Gibson - January 18, 2023 at 04:06 PM

MB

*She will be missed*

Marion Bennett - January 19, 2023 at 05:59 PM

PB

*I will miss B J very much still have my picture from EMT class from 82 . I worked with her along time 20 years in geriatrics and hospice care best time of my life I learned as much as I could from her planning on studying hospital equipment repair . Thank you so much for encouraging me. Sincerely Pam Bynum*

Pam Bynum - June 04, 2025 at 12:57 PM

MP

“ *Maria Paz lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Maria Paz** - January 18, 2023 at 04:04 PM

AR

“ *Angela Riley lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Angela Riley** - January 18, 2023 at 03:42 PM

TV

“ *A great lady who spent the majority of her life helping others right up to the end of it. I am proud to have had her as a friend. My condolences to the family. RIP Benna.*

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**Tom Vaught** - January 18, 2023 at 03:30 PM

TV

“ *Tom Vaught lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Tom Vaught** - January 18, 2023 at 03:26 PM

RF

“ *ROBIN FULLINGTON lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*




ROBIN FULLINGTON - January 18, 2023 at 02:30 PM

JL

“ *Judy Lewis lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Judy Lewis - January 18, 2023 at 02:21 PM

 Roberta Vallantyne

“ *Roberta Vallantyne lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Roberta Vallantyne - January 18, 2023 at 01:59 PM

KE

“ *So sorry. Christie Hyman for the loss if your dear friend 🙏*



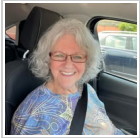
Karin. Eubanks - January 18, 2023 at 01:37 PM

VY

“ *VIVIAN YBARRA lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



VIVIAN YBARRA - January 18, 2023 at 01:35 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you all. Benna was such a beautiful woman in her spirit she excelled. i will keep you all in pray through this journey. much love Stephanie Osteen*



Stephanie Osteen - January 18, 2023 at 01:21 PM

DN

“ *Benna was a beautiful soul. She will be missed by so many. She kept going even when her body said no. Loved people and they/we loved her. Rest in Paradise Benna. You earned it.*



Debra Nichols - January 18, 2023 at 11:59 AM

BK

“ *Becky Krajewski lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



Becky Story Krajewski - January 18, 2023 at 10:52 AM

SM

“ *Benna was one of the smartest and hardest working nurses I have worked with. She was an excellent mentor to all new nurses. My prayers for peace and comfort for all the family and friends. I know she will be missed.* ❤️

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**Sarah Moake** - January 18, 2023 at 10:40 AM

MC

“ *Milton Angie Christian lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Milton & Angie Christian** - January 18, 2023 at 10:06 AM

MH

“ *Missy Hacker lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Missy Hacker** - January 18, 2023 at 09:22 AM

JC

“ *Judy Case lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Judy Stephens Case** - January 18, 2023 at 09:19 AM

BH

“ *Barry Cindy Hampton lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Barry & Cindy Hampton** - January 18, 2023 at 09:05 AM

NR

“ *So deeply sorry for your loss. Bob and Nelwyn Richardson*



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**Nelwyn Richardson** - January 18, 2023 at 08:40 AM

JB

“ *Jane Brightwell lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Jane Brightwell** - January 18, 2023 at 08:21 AM

BG

“ *So sorry to hear about Benna. Praying for peace and comfort. Bonnie Geddie*



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**Bonnie Geddie** - January 18, 2023 at 01:53 AM



“ *Barbara J Jolley lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Barbara J Jolley** - January 17, 2023 at 10:21 PM



“ *Carla Vaught lit a candle in memory of Benna McDonald*



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**Carla Vaught** - January 17, 2023 at 08:51 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Benna's passing. Many fond memories of her when we worked at HMH.*

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**Sherry Harris** - January 17, 2023 at 08:36 PM



“ *I loved Benna McDonald. I enjoyed working with her at Henderson Memorial Hospital. She was always so kind to me and lent me advice when I was working with her. Rest in Heavenly Peace Mrs. McDonald. I'll always remember you. Prayers for your family.*



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**Chad Boatwright** - January 17, 2023 at 08:00 PM

JM

*Beautiful careing people like Banna will be miss and they have a Legacy to leave, Benna as I remember was quite Beautiful soul, humble and kind soul love every one and would do anything to help you she was such a presious, one of a kind person ❤️ praying 🙏 for the family.*

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**Jean mills** - January 21, 2023 at 06:20 PM