



# Frances L. Winters

MAR 18, 1926 - JUN 20, 2012



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## **Frances L. Winters**

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**F**rances L. Winters 86, of Eustis, passed away on June 20, 2012. She was born in Marion, Ohio and moved to Eustis from Fort Lauderdale in 2006. She was a Christian and a homemaker. Frances is survived by her husband John; they were married for 66 years. Also surviving are her children Linda (Scott) Lebin of Eustis, Craig (Katherine) Winters of Eatonton, Georgia and John (Denise) Winters of Coral Springs, Florida, seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Funeral services were held in the Hamlin & Hilbish Chapel on Saturday, June 23rd at 11 AM with Rev. Angelo R. CruzSein II officiating. The family received friends from 10 AM until 11 AM. Interment followed in Lakeside Memory Gardens, Eustis. The family requests those desiring direct memorials to Cornerstone Hospice. You may express your own thoughts and memories by visiting the guestbook link below.

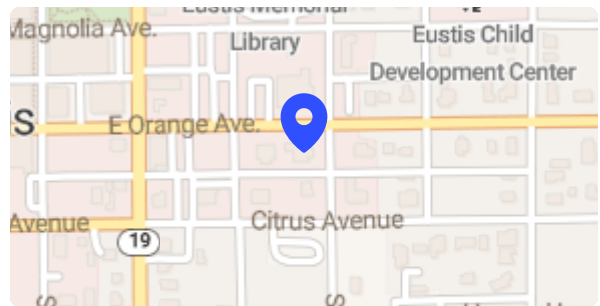


# Events

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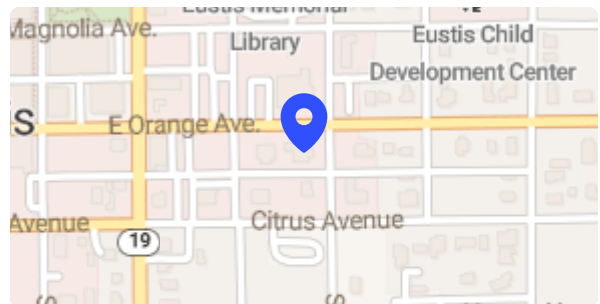
## Visitation prior to ceremony

- Saturday**, June 23, 2012
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Hamlin & Hilbish Funeral Directors Chapel**  
326 East Orange Avenue, Eustis FL 32726



## Funeral Service

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- 11:00 AM ET
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## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Dear John, I just want to let you know you are in our thoughts at this time. Frances and you have been very special to many of us at Colonies II and have continued being special to me as you kept in touch over the years via emails - I am so grateful for that. Be comforted that Francis will be kept alive in the memories of others and I am sure there are many happy ones- 66 years of being together is quite a milestone. Be blessed and know you will be in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this journey tomorrow and onwards. Much love to you and your family, Elizabeth Kersting and family.##imported-begin##Elizabeth Kersting##imported-end##

June 29 at 4:53 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear John, So sorry to hear about Frances. You two are still very special to many folks and to me. We sure did have some wonderful times back years ago. I really love you two and am sad that she has passed but we both know what she is enjoying now. We are assured of a wonderful reward in heaven as she got there just a bit before any of us. Be blest and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers as you grieve and look forward to the day when you will see her again, Love you, Lanny##imported-begin##Lanny Hemmings##imported-end##

June 27 at 9:16 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

I have a guardian angel and her name is MOM. She has watched over me all my life and she lives on within my heart- her spirit guides me still. She taught me about heart/love gifts that money can't buy. Thank you for your love, attitude, values, hopes and dreams that became a part of me. All the memories and legacy of love you left me are my source of strength and comfort now. I love and miss you. Your daughter, Linda##imported-begin##Linda Lebin##imported-end##

June 26 at 1:15 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Hugh and I have been truly blessed in our friendship with John and Frances. Always they were there for us. we laughed and we cried together but more important, we prayed together. Frances shared every Wednesday night with Debby and me and she taught us more about crafts than any other ten people could. We could count on John to keep our glasses filled with Coca Cola and make popcorn! It was a great time!While we will miss Frances, we know that she is now healed, leaning on the arm of Jesus Christ and waiting to welcome us home.##imported-begin##Hugh and Jean Cunningham##imported-end##

June 25 at 9:16 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I was fortunate enough to marry your "little" boy and immediately felt the extraordinary love this family has. We were blessed with four beautiful children she called her grandkids and they hit the grandma jackpot. Thanks for the amazing memories you have bestowed on my children. They will always remember your cookies, cheese potatoes and love. Thanks for being the amazing mom you were to my husband because without him I wouldn't have my kids. I miss you and know you are smiling down on my family. I really wish I had brought you that rock from my garden you always asked for. Sorry about that! I promise to bring dad some cookies soon. I love you....##imported-begin##Denise Winters##imported-end##

June 25 at 10:17 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

I enjoyed being with you in the summers and family dinners, the candels, the personal touches, the Christmas Tree Ornaments, the memories will last forever. I love You##imported-begin##Ann Cartee##imported-end##

June 23 at 7:47 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

My sincere sympathy to all the family. Francais was truly a wonderful person whom I have always had the greatest and highest admiration and respect for.She was an important part of my life.God rest her soul.Loving Memories....Thank You##imported-begin##Gary John##imported-end##

June 23 at 7:05 AM



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**Anonymous** posted:

My prayers are with you and your family during this time. Frances was a great lady, I always enjoyed seeing here when we got together in Marion. She will be joining a great crew of people (Mom, Dad, Esther, Dick, Doris, & Jim) and I'm sure they will be planning their next vacation together soon.##imported-begin##Mike Price##imported-end##

June 22 at 7:08 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Frances was truly one of the kindest, gentlest, and most genuinely-good people I ever had the pleasure of knowing. She adopted me as her grandson from the very moment it became clear that her daughter loved my father, and she never once left any doubt that my wife and I were family. This immediate acceptance and embracing of us always meant so much to me. Her smile always could be counted upon to light up the room, and I will always appreciate the love and warmth that she gave to me. She was the matriarch of a truly special family and there is no question that she will be missed dearly by everyone that knew her. Rest in peace, Grandma. Love always, Austin and Mabel##imported-begin##Austin & Mabel Lebin##imported-end##

June 22 at 5:31 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Linda and Family, We were so sad to hear the news of your Mother's death. We have many fond memories of visits with Frances and Your Father, John. They were always warm and wonderful visits, filled with laughter, spirit and love. I always admired your Mother's talent and beautiful crafts. I still have some of her creations in my home. Memories live on in our heart. She is at peace, in God's hands..a wonderful reward for a life well lived. Love and prayers to you all.##imported-begin##kay abrahamsen and Mechan and Erin##imported-end##

June 22 at 4:31 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

So sorry for losing such a wonderful mother, wife, grandmother and great grandmother. She was always so cute when we would visit showing us her B & B theme bedrooms that she decorated so wonderfully and all the beautiful crafts she made displayed throughout the house. Your smile and warmth will be missed. Love, Liz, Larry, Jesse & Gabriel Lebin##imported-begin##Liz & Larry Lebin##imported-end##

June 22 at 4:08 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Family, We want you to know how much love is being sent to you from all of us. Our memories of your family are all good ones. My best memories are of cooking breakfast on the beach every time we visited Naomi in Ft. Lauderdale. Love, Kay##imported-begin##Harold & Kay Kaufman##imported-end##

June 22 at 1:14 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Aunt Frances was truly a gracious lady. The love that she and Uncle Johnny shared has always been an inspiration to me. My mom (Naomi) considered her a sister and their family, her family. I will never forget Aunt Frances' banana pudding ( the best ever), Christmas ornaments nor the love she and Uncle Johnny showered on Mom. My heart goes out to you all. May God continue to give you peace. I love you guys! Marcia##imported-begin##Marcia Baughn##imported-end##

June 22 at 8:05 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Johnny and Frances were the love story that we all aspired to have. Their love for each other and their family and their love of God was so inspiring and they were truly blessed to have their 66 years together. I loved Aunt Frances' laugh and her sense of humor. She was truly a delight and when all the "sisters" got together there were so many wonderful stories to be told. My thoughts and prayers are with Johnny, Linda, Craig and "little" Johnny and their families as they move forward without her. May God bless you.##imported-begin##Jodi Long Thompson##imported-end##

June 22 at 8:02 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

It is exactly as Betty said. I keep that picture where I can see it too. Offering prayers for you and the family, Johnny. Precious memories surround us all. Frances, your Earthly work was well done. Never goodbye though, Frances. Till we meet again. Cousin Lois##imported-begin##Lois Squires##imported-end##

June 21 at 6:22 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

To my Grandpa....I love you so very much. My Grandma taught me so much. I learned to bake her Christmas cookies, make ornaments out of spools and love strawberries. Our chins favor and I can see my hands turning into hers. My hair is white but I color it. I have been so very blessed. I am so grateful that my boys know and will always know her. Grandpa.....we love you. More than you will ever know. Misty###imported-begin##Misty Winters Milam###imported-end##

June 21 at 6:01 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Johnny and family.....I shall always remember the beautiful visit that Lois and I had with you and Francis a couple of years ago. I keep the picture that you took on my dresser and remember what a special time it was. Her smiling face and the beautiful person that she was will always be in my heart. I love you all and keeping all of you in my thoughts and prayers. May God be with you! Love.....Betty###imported-begin##Betty Anthony###imported-end##

June 21 at 5:56 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

My mom love the Lord she was a very humble,wise,loving,caring,compassionate and giving she was a good listener and very talented person and very funny we loved her very dearly and will miss her very much.We were blessed to have Godly parents. Were so blessed to have precious memories and she will always be with us in spirit. I love you Mom Your son Craig###imported-begin##Craig Winters###imported-end##

June 21 at 4:33 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

John and Family:I remember Frances from my days at Parkway Christian. I was a greeter and I always looked forward to seeing you both and greeting you. Frances was a sweet, sweet lady and I missed you guys when you moved to Eustis. I'm so glad you had 66 wonderful years together and she was as lucky to have you as you were to have her. Please be strong, John. You will be in my prayers as you begin your life without Frances. Knowing she is with our Lord should give you great comfort. I love you, John and my love goes out to your family in their loss.###imported-begin##Jan Wetherbee###imported-end##

June 21 at 2:58 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Truly a Lady and a follower of Christ in every sense of the word, my Aunt Frances will always be a bright star in my life. I have many fond and cherished memories of her throughout my life, but particularly, the summer week(s) I spent with Uncle John and Aunt Frances in Caledonia, Ohio when I was just 8 or 9 years old. When I look at the big Montana sky tonight and forever more, the newest and brightest star, will be Aunt Frances, smiling down upon us. May she rest now, in the hands of our Lord, and know eternal peace. God Bless and keep her! God give comfort, peace and understanding to Uncle John and Family. "Little" Delvin##imported-begin##Del Rambo##imported-end##

June 21 at 2:48 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

We love you Grandma, Rest in Peace.##imported-begin##Travis, Tonya, Reese, Drew & Cory##imported-end##

June 21 at 1:48 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Frances by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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