



Judith Apgar Webb

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Judith Apgar Webb, Judy, longtime Covington resident and beloved teacher, passed away May 20, 2020 at the age of 76.

She is the daughter of the late Warren C. and Leah Mae Apgar of New Orleans and Covington.

Judy loved people. She was very sociable and caring, reaching out to everyone she came across. She was also known for her sense of humor and her strength of character. She was dedicated to her family and her many students. She was a devoted and enthusiastic teacher, touching numerous lives with her funny, nurturing, genuine and charismatic ways. She took great pride and pleasure through the years, being remembered by her students at C.J. Schoen Middle School. Some of her happiest memories were those she shared with students. She cherished these times and the happy times with her sons, her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She enjoyed hosting tea parties, Christmas and Halloween parties, Easter egg hunts, Webb Theater, Bible studies and volunteering at Forest Manor Nursing Home. In recent years, she delighted in evening rides on her golf cart, greeting and visiting with friends and neighbors, always ready to welcome a new friend. Other pastimes included singing, playing piano and the ukulele. She was a member of the First Baptist Church choir of Covington for several years. She attended the Louise S. McGehee School in New Orleans and later received her degree from Southeastern University.

Judy is survived by her sister Donna Apgar and her son, David L. Webb and his wife Melinda; two grandchildren, Jessica Webb Runyon and Christopher Michael Webb and their spouses, James Matthew Runyon and Jene Chauvin Webb. She has 6 great grandchildren. Judy is preceded in death by her son Michael J. Webb.

Celebration of life service will be announced at a future time.

Due to the current extenuating circumstances, we ask that those who wish to express their condolences or share fond memories do so at online at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home Guest Book at www.ejfieldingfh.com.



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In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Northshore Food Bank,
www.northshorefoodbank.org



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Cyndi Hargrove posted:

Judy was a mentor to me when I first started teaching. She recognized my strengths and encouraged me to be myself even though I walked to the beat of a different drummer. She called me her Anne of Green Gables, so I called her Miss Stacy. So sorry to have missed this years ago already, but it popped up on my Facebook so I am sending some late love. She was a diamond in the rough.

February 28 at 11:47 AM



Melba Logan posted:

Judy was a dear friend. We first met at Covington Presbyterian Church about 10 years ago and immediately bonded because of a shared family tragedy. She was one of the most precious and unique people I have ever known, highly intelligent, funny, kind, loving and so much more. I loved meeting her at the "Rockin' the Rails" concerts at Covington Trailhead and enjoyed many hours on her beautiful front porch in The Village, mostly talking about our families and pets. My love and deepest sympathy to David and Melinda, her grandchildren, great grandchildren and sister, Donna. Melba Logan

June 19 at 7:18 AM



Linda June 30 at 5:02 AM

Judy was well loved by so many people. When we lost our home to a tornado the day after Katrina we had to empty the house that Jim had propped up Judy was the one we counted on to get us boxes. Her nickname after that was "The Box Lady". I will always treasure my last visit with Judy at Forest Manor we reminisced old times. Enjoyed the Halloween parties. Loved her so much. Linda & Jim Rottmann



Donna Apgar June 29 at 6:58 AM

Thank you Melba. Your words comfort us. Judy treasured her friends.



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Annie Cothorn posted:

Judy was a very special lady and a very dear friend. She loved making people laugh and never met a stranger. She taught me many beautiful things that I will always remember and treasure. My deepest condolences to David and family. You all were her world. Rest in peace Judy, you are missed and loved.

June 5 at 9:43 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:01 AM

Thank you Annie. You meant so much to Judy over so many years and challenges. Grateful to you.



Cecile Ballard posted:

Judy and I were McGehee School classmates. She was lovely, and kind. I am so very sorry to read of her death. My condolences to you Donna, and son and grandchildren. Most sincerely, Cecile Grace Ballard

June 3 at 10:37 AM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:09 AM

Thank you Cissy, I know she would've liked to have gotten together with her McGehee classmates... that's an indelible bond and allowed many cherished memories.



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CN

Candy Ulmer Cranch, M.Ed., Nbct posted:

I was very sad to learn of the loss of Judy. I attended Louise S. McGehee School with her. I always admired and respected her and her sister Donna. Sending Love and Healing Prayers to all of Judy's Family and to her classmates and many friends.

June 2 at 11:48 PM

DA

Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:11 AM

Thank you Winkie, We feel and appreciate the love and healing prayers.

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BM

Brad Mendow posted:

My condolences are sent out to Ms. Webb and her family. It was a joy to get to see her again before her passing as she and I were around the same neighborhood. She normally always stopped to say hello and she was such a joy to speak with as I have met more neighbors because of her. She will be truly missed and she was a great woman!Brad Mendow

June 2 at 3:55 AM

DA

Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:14 AM

Thank you Brad, She so enjoyed connecting with you and her wonderful neighbors.



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Kasey Brignac Lotz posted:

What a funny and charismatic lady! She was a great friend of my mothers for many years during and after their years of teaching at CJ Schoen. I've also known her all of my life. She always made me laugh and left a smile on my face. Im very sorry to hear of her passing and my condolences to the family. It was a joy to have known her. God bless

June 1 at 12:46 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:17 AM

Thank you Kasey, I know she received great joy from making you smile or laugh.



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Stan Apgar posted:

To "cuz", my friend and loved family member. As "Jimmy Dick" (or Stan Apgar, real name, real cousin), she mentored me as I was growing up and visiting often in New Orleans and later in Covington with Unc Dick and Aunt Lea Mae. Her whole hearted commitment to loved ones and friends was and is a wonderful experience to own. God Bless you, Judy. You blessed us all! Jimmy Dick.

May 31 at 10:41 AM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 7:22 AM

Thank you Jimmy Dick, Your calls and visits were special to Judy and gave her such joy.



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Sena Spinks lit a candle in honor of Judith.



May 31 at 8:12 AM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:11 AM
Thank you for this blessing....



Helen Oulliber McMullen lit a candle in honor of Judith.



To the most amazing teacher that I shared my life with and more as a student a friend and all through life she would tell me I was her girl. I remember when I was in class when she got the news about Micheal. It broke all of our hearts as students to see our teacher just break. We all cried. Micheal and David use to come to our class to see their Mom all the time. I went home told my mom what happen. I didn't know what to say to my teacher who I loved as a second mom. All I could do was hug her and live her more and more. We as students helped her get through that year. Because we knew how hard it was for her and David and their grandparents and family. She kept going as a great Math teacher. Omg I remember winning in our class 3 minute time test. I knew math in the back of my head. Thanks to Mrs. Webb. Math was favorite always. My other love was roller skating. One night on Tuesday night dollar night,I talked her and my mom into going skating. Her and my mom had so much fun. They talked, skated, laughed together as kids would do. They were slow but having fun. They became friends and shared a love for me even more. Then when I became an adult Mrs Webb always never forgot me. I never forgot her. Then one day I got injured, had surgery , had to go to therapy in October 2016. I was at Landers therapy getting therapy and all of a sudden I hear a voice in the other room. I kept asking is that Judy Webb. The guy Chris said no we can't tell you because hippa law. I told him I don't care im going to see if it is. But before I could she peeked out the door because she said she seen and heard my voice after several years. She said that's my student, my girl, my little Oulli, my little Helen Oulliber. It was weird it was like getting candy for the first time. She told them about me and I told them about her. We would make a point to get in the pool together and just talk, talk, talk. She couldn't believe I was a grandmother. She new I worked in the medical field so she would ask if I get better would I take care of her when she has her knees replaced. I told her sure. Hurt or not hurt. She was family to me. My heart just breaks about her. She was asking for prayers. Well now she is home with her son Micheal, and her dad and mom. I love you always,and never 4 gotten. I will miss you. I'm glad I got to share my life with you and you took the time to share yours with me. You are the best teacher in the world always.

May 27 at 8:44 AM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:15 AM

Your memories of Judy warm my heart ---- I can just imagine those times with Judy. I know you were an important part of her life too!



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Ruth Mckee Sticker lit a candle in honor of Judith.



May 30 at 4:12 PM

DA Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:17 AM
Thank you for your love.



Antionette Frost posted:

Miss you 😭 Ms.Webb You were the best teacher 📖 I have ever had..Yo taught My Mama Me And My Brother John I Remember When you gave John his first Lil Monkey 🐒 stuffed animal 🧸 he loved it so much he kept it as an adult Man Heart ❤️ broken but I /We will always have so many great memories of you love you 😊 God's 😊 Ms.Judy Webb My we Had The best Time Test Ever

May 30 at 8:36 AM

DA Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:19 AM
Your love and memories bring us comfort and joy.

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FJ

Faith Johnson posted:

Ms. Webb is my ALL-STAR Favorite Teacher! Ms. Webb ministered to our souls! Ms. Webb challenged her students to reach their highest potential with such passion that my love to learn math started in her class. I simply CAN NOT recall a time when she disciplined any of the students in our class. Ms. Webb helped foster a love for learning by making lessons fun and most importantly, genuinely developed caring relationships with her students. 40 something years later, Ms. Webb continued to share kudos and well wishes as Facebook friends. My mom would often say, "I saw Ms. Webb today at the Farmers Market and she asked about you!" Whenever Ms. Webb posted a concern or a need on Facebook such as how to work her new Amazon remote, etc, her students responded quickly as well as would offer to come to her home to help! We (and eventually our kids) learned how to multiple based on Ms. Webb's strategy of practicing daily with a 5-minute test of 25 - 50 problems! We arrived on time to Ms. Webb class ready for our daily test and the first student to complete said test with the correct answers was awarded a Pac-Man (the most popular video game in the 80s) sticker to attach on the winning student's name plate displayed above the chalk board. How encouraging, we had proof to show / brag about our winning accomplishments! As a matter of fact, one of my childhood friends in my class received the most Pac-Man stickers! To this day, his nickname is Pac-Man! Of course, I won the most stickers as a girl! :-) Forever Rest in Peace Ms. Webb! You will forever remain in my heart as well as others who loved you dearly!

May 30 at 6:51 AM

DA

Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:56 AM

Lynel, Your memories are vivid and fun to read. Thank you for sharing these stories and your heart.

DA

Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:33 AM

Thank you Katherine for remembering Judy so beautifully. I remember your friendship and her telling me that she was so happy that you had reconnected on Facebook with hopes of getting together in future.

KW

Katherine S Van Wormer May 31 at 1:55 PM

I was a classmate of Judy's at McGehee's in New Orleans in the class of 1962; we were good friends in 5th and 6th grade but drifted apart as she matured much earlier than I did and was into teenage things. She did sometimes give me good advice though. I was always crazy over her, and haven't gotten to see her since school days as I moved away. She always loved small children so I wasn't surprised that she became a teacher, and touched so many lives. We reconnected 10 or more years ago and when Facebook started followed each other's lives with plans of a reunion. I couldn't wait to catch up on all the years. This has been a great dream of mine, but, alas, when she called out for prayers on Facebook, I sensed my dream would never be. Katherine Stuart van Wormer

SG

Shirley Gray May 31 at 5:55 AM



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FJ

My name is Shirley Gray ms Webb was my friend I new her mom/dad we all was talk when we would see Each other and she taught my son I will miss her very much

EC

Ellen O'connell May 30 at 8:01 AM

What years was she at the middle school?

LM

Lynel Moore posted:

So sorry to hear of Judy's passing. I hate that her illness ocured during this time of isolation and quarantine and did not allow for visits from her many friends. Judy taught my children and was my coworker at C.J. Schoen Middle school for manys years. What a unique and special person she was. Her students flocked to her where she gave them all the love and encouragement they needed. She touched so many hearts. Judy will be remembered and the subject of conversations for a very long time. My condolences to her family and friends.

May 30 at 4:53 AM

DA

Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:35 AM

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TW

Tiffany Wilson May 30 at 5:47 AM

Your Job has been done here on Earth..God Has Gained A Beautiful Flower ..Rest on Ms Webb you was The Best Teacher and Sweetest Person Ever..Thank You For Gracing My life! Praying for the family!! 🙏



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PE

Paulette Garrett Engram lit a candle in honor of Judith.

So sorry to hear of Mrs. Webb passing. She was a beautiful person and great teacher. Sending prayers of comfort. Paulette Garrett Engram Family

May 30 at 4:15 AM



DA **Donna Apgar** June 29 at 8:39 AM

Thank you Paulette. Teaching and knowing her students ... and their hearts....was everything to her.

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AM

Ann Moores posted:

Judy was such a special and kind person. I could see how much her class loved her when I sponsored the class for her one year. She was also a wonderful friend over many years. She will be missed! Ann Moores

May 30 at 3:12 AM

DA **Donna Apgar** June 29 at 8:43 AM

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Christy Coakley lit a candle in honor of Judith.

She was my favorite teacher in middle school. Even as an adult, she always remembered me & spoke when we ran into each other. She was a wonderful woman & the best teacher.



May 29 at 8:37 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:45 AM

Running into her former students always gave her a smile and a thrill. You were special to her.



Melanie Barnes posted:

So sorry to hear of Judy's passing. Such fond childhood memories of her and Michael and David! Condolences, Melanie Barnes Brigette Barnes Moritz

May 29 at 4:29 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:48 AM

Thank you for your fond remembrances....your thoughts comfort us.



Ruth Dascomb posted:

Judy Apgar was a wonderful friend all through my high school years. My memories of Judy are filled with fun and laughter. Her friendship was a great support.

May 29 at 5:45 AM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:51 AM

Fun and laughter was her favorite! No doubt your friendship was mutually supportive.



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Debtimgriffith lit a candle in honor of Judith.



May 28 at 3:14 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:53 AM
Thank you for your fond memories and sweet candle blessing.



Debtimgriffith May 28 at 3:16 PM
Many great memories with this family while Dottie & I were growing up! Hugs to all...



Shirley Awager posted:

I met Judy back when she tutored my daughter in Math. She was one of the Sweetest people I ever met. Say hi to my daughter Dianne when you see her. Love you Mrs. Webb. God Bless all the family.

May 27 at 6:52 PM



Donna Apgar June 29 at 8:59 AM
Thank you for this remembrance. No doubt she greeted Dianne with much love and joy.



Anonymous sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Webb family.



May 27 at 1:04 PM



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Pinky Lewis posted:

Miss Webb was such a loving caring person, everyone wanted to be in her class. She taught one of my kids and she was her #1 teacher. She will be missed. RIP Miss Webb 🙏🙏🙏 Deepest Sympathy to her Family. Pinky Lewis

May 27 at 9:49 AM

DA **Donna Apgar** June 29 at 9:02 AM
Thank you Pinky. She loved "her kids!"

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DE **Debtimgriffith** May 28 at 3:18 PM
Hey Pinky so many great memories with her family as well. Debbie & Dottie Speed



Karri Snider posted:

She was truly an ultimately awesome lady, friend, teacher, and so much more. She touched the lives of many and will continue to live on through the kindness, love, and compassion she shared with countless people that had the privilege of knowing her. There are no words for condolences, no words to describe the greatness of this dear Angel that has left us. She will forever and always be missed.

May 27 at 8:44 AM

DA **Donna Apgar** June 29 at 9:04 AM
Your tribute to Judy touches my heart. Thank you.



Memories only last if you share them

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



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