



Jamie Lee Hingle

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Jamie Lee Hingle was born on August 16, 1949 in Port Sulphur, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana. And died on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 in Covington, Louisiana. She is preceded in death by her father James Lloyd Hingle , her mother Barbara Smith Hingle, her sister Carole Hingle and her daughter Salley Meringer . She is survived by her daughter Lee Hingle Hicks, her stepdaughter, Lourdes Fulton Gonzalez, her grandson Kellan Hicks, and her grand stepdaughter Emma Gonzalez and her husband Robert Fulton. She came from a very large family in Plaquemines Parish and is survived by many first and second cousins

Jamie graduated from Buras High School class of 1968, Louisiana State University class of 1972, and Duke University Law School class of 1975. She was also the 1969 Orange Queen for the Plaquemines Parish Orange Festival.

Her first job out of LSU was as a medical technician in Charleston North Carolina where she worked in the children's cancer ward at Duke University Hospital. She took advantage of being at Duke and went to Duke University law school. After law school she was recruited by a law firm in Birmingham Alabama. From there she came to New Orleans in January, 1980 as a corporate international lawyer for McDermott International. In this position she traveled extensively to Moscow, London, Paris, Hamburg, Copenhagen, Jakarta, Hong Kong, Dubai, and Taipei. She was a trail blazer. She was the first female marine construction lawyer, and many clients were surprised to negotiate with a woman and one who was tough and intelligent. She became manager of the international legal department then became the Assistant Corporate Secretary of McDermott International. She retired from this position to raise her two daughters and initiate a new business using the nascent E bay platform. She initially sold the stamps inherited by her husband. She then branched out going to garage sales and local auctions to purchase porcelain which she then sold on E Bay. Her knowledge of marks on porcelain lead her to being hired



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to identify and estimate values of porcelain and other like pieces for estates. She taught her daughters the value of education, hard work and drive. Both of her daughters have successful careers.

She cherished her miniature Schnauzers Jake and Jill. The dogs loved her and defended her as she walked the streets of New Orleans.

A private memorial will be held with her family at a later date. Please omit flowers but make donations to the New Orleans Schnauzer Rescue organization (www.NOLAschnauzer.com).

Share a memory on the tribute wall at www.ejfieldingfh.com



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EC

Elizabeth Claudet posted:

I owe a lot to Jamie. She introduced me to my future husband. We just celebrated our 49th anniversary. Elizabeth Claudet

June 20 at 4:00 AM

MB

Mb posted:

Jamie became one of my dear friends while working at St. Anthony's Gardens. I shared many precious moments with her, and we had conversations that I will hold close to my heart forever. She gave me the best advice. She was honest, witty, kind, and gentle. She was such a unique individual, and I am blessed to have made her acquaintance. I didn't know her for long, but I feel as if I have always known Jamie. She loved butterflies, polka dots, and of course, always talked about her dogs. She was like another mother to me. I will always remember her and hold her memory close to my heart.

May 25 at 11:59 AM



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DR

Deborah Rosenberger posted:

Jamie. Sweet, soft spoken Jamie, yet feisty and steadfast in her role as one of the few female attorneys at McDermott in New Orleans. Matter of fact, the only female attorney for many years. I had the honor as serving as her assistant, but she was so much more than my boss. She was a mentor and most importantly a friend, both in and outside of work. She afforded me many opportunities and gave me absolute trust in the many responsibilities of my job. I remember the day she told me, "Be at Lakefront airport tomorrow morning, we're going to the Nassau office". I thought - who, me? It was almost unheard back then to have your assistant travel on business trips, but she'd say "You've been working on this for months, we need you there". It was my first time ever on a private corporate jet. There was several more trips that I accompanied her, John Marion and Frank Allen and when business was concluded we all shared those infamous, funny and intriguing stories about McDermott. We also shared many similarities as well as laughs of our early years of growing up, Jamie a small town gal from Buras and me, a naive native of St. Bernard. We also commensurated with one another as we had both tragically lost our infant daughters many years before. Jamie's face lit up when she talked about Lee and Lourdes. She truly loved her girls. I remember when Bob and Jamie started dating. It was a perfect match. I was fortunate to have lunch with both of them just a few years ago. Jamie's love for Bob was obvious, as was his devotion and care for her. I treasure those stories and laughs we shared. What a privilege to have Jamie in my life.

May 19 at 2:32 PM

SH

Sharon Buras Hennessey May 20 at 9:08 AM

Since finding out that Jamie is no longer with us, my mind has gone back to our years growing up in Empire through her years at LSU. Our fathers were very protective of us so we spent a lot of time at each other's homes. My fondest memories were after Hurricane Betsy when Jamie stayed with us because we got our trailer first. Becoming a cheerleader, getting to be Orange Queen was just the beginning of your trailblazing life I got to share with her. After she graduated Buras, I would go to Baton Rouge on the weekends and we'd go all dressed up to the games as was done in those days and the parties afterward are just some of the memories that will last forever. Mr. Jimmy and Miss Barbara were wonderful to all that entered their home. We did lose contact after she married, but we had a great visit a few years ago and I feel lucky we got a chance to reminisce. I know it was a glorious reunion for you in heaven. Soar with the angels, my friend, until we meet again. God bless.♥🌈



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Helen Oulliber McMullen May 20 at 2:07 AM

I was her care taker at St Anthony Gardens. I've spent a lot of times with her when she was crying or in pain. My heart would just break. I would pick up my little lady and put her in her reclinder to relieve her pain. I loved Mrs Jamie ♥ she was someone you get attached to really fast. She loved her oreo cookies. Then She would tell me about her 2 babies her dogs. She loved everyone. She loved to read books. I didn't know her long, but I feel like I've known her for a long time. My girl will be missed. My lady your out of pain. I'm glad got to see your daughter's. And Mr.Bob you hang their. Mrs Jamie is with you always.We love you RIPLOVE HELEN OULLIBER MCMULLEN/CNA from St Anthony Gardens



Memories only last if you share them

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



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