



Ann LaFay "Fay" Brannon

October 16, 1934 - September 14, 2025

The family of Ann LaFay "Fay" Brannon mournfully announces her passing on September 14, 2025. Born on October 16, 1934, she was ninety years old.

Fay was a spicy redhead in both body and spirit. She never shied away from flashy fashion or a good DIY project. Her Thanksgiving dressing was unmatched, and her fried okra always crackled with perfection. She loved gospel music, and her prayers seemed to go straight to God's ears. For her grands, she created lasting memories with a hint of healthy mischief.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of thirty years, Irvin Oliver "Buddy" Brannon. Their union deepened their faith in the Lord and shaped them into the best versions of themselves. Her death is also preceded by her parents, Velie and O.L. Key, and her sister, Agnes McRae.

She is survived by her daughters, Diana (Jerry) Broadway, Dorothy Gregory, Louise Jenkins, and Shirley Jenkins; and her sons, Bill (Rhonda) Jenkins, Bobby Jenkins, and David Jenkins. Fay was a loving grandmother to six grandchildren: Alie (Nick Fadoir) Broadway, Ashley Jenkins, David Lee Jenkins, Erin Jenkins, Ryan (Brooke) Jenkins, and Michelle (Chad) Robertson. She was also a doting great grandmother to eight great grandchildren: Eleanor and Melina Fadoir, Jayda and Riley Jenkins, Caden and Colt Robertson, and Warren and Weston Sellers. She is lovingly

remembered by her sister, Audrey (Larry) Johnson; her nephew, Eric (Stephanie) Johnson; and her nieces, LeeAnn (Todd) Bookout, Anita (Rob) Randolph, and Janice McRae.

Visitation begins at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 18, 2025 with funeral services to follow at 11:00 a.m. at Memory Chapel Funeral Home. A private family graveside service will take place at Moss Memory Gardens Cemetery. Brother Bill Blair will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Todd Bookout, Ryan Jenkins, Eric Johnson, Chad Robertson, Caden Robertson and Warren Sellers.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com

Cemetery Details

Moss Memory Gardens

Moss, MS 39460

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
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Tribute Wall

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“ She was married to my Daddy for 30 yrs. She had become Mom to me . I loved her very much. I got to see her the first of this year, I'm so glad I did. I will surely miss her. She was special. Love you Mom and thank you for being there for me.

Tina Miller - October 24, 2025 at 02:20 PM

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“ Aunt Fay loved life and always brighten the place where ever she may had been. She had a contagious smile and laugh. Most pleasant person to be around. Uncle Buddy and Aunt Fay had a special love for each other and love the Lord.
Today is 10/24/2025 and I had wished her a happy birthday yesterday not knowing until today that she had passed in September. This hurts and I am sure Uncle Buddy would of been disappointed for his side of family not to be told . Aunt Fay love my Husband Tim and I .
Love you Aunt Fay. Not good bye but see you soon.

Kerry Parnell - October 24, 2025 at 01:24 PM

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“ R & W Electric Co. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ann LaFay "Fay" Brannon.

R & W Electric Co. - September 17, 2025 at 10:00 AM

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“ R & W Electric Co. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ann LaFay "Fay" Brannon.



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“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ann LaFay "Fay" Brannon.



September 16, 2025 at 04:35 PM



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