Dertha I. Clark

November 14, 1919 - December 24, 2015

Dertha Irene Gable Clark, 96, passed away from this life and went to be her Lord on December 24, 2015.
Visitation will be at 12:00 p.m. on December 29 at Memory Chapel with funeral services to follow at 2:00 p.m. Reverends Harold Floyd and Chris Floyd will officiate. Burial will be at Sharon Cemetery.
She was a homemaker and was dedicated to her family, church, and community. She faithfully attended Sharon Missionary Baptist Church where she taught Sunday School, served in the Ladies Auxiliary, directed the GMAs, assisted with the Baptist Children's Home, and served as the church hostess for many years. She also served as secretary for the Sharon Cemetery Association and was involved with the Republican Party as a poll worker.
She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur V. Clark; her son, Jerry Winford Clark; her daughter, Ava Dean Butler Gatlin; her sister, Linnie Mae Bufkin; her brothers, Russell Gable and Lowery Gable; her grandson, Paul Eugene Gatewood III, and her son-in-law, Burl Butler.
Survivors include one son, Jimmy Sherriel Clark (Cheryl); one daughter, Dorothy L. Gatewood; sons-in-law, Eddie Lee Gatlin and Paul Eugene Gatewood II; grandchildren, Jerry Tony Clark (Brenda), Gloria Butler Baldwin, Kathy Butler Ellzey (Guy), Melanie Butler Dixon (Eddie), Laura Clark Jones (Chris); great-grandchildren, Jerry Tony Clark II, Brittany Harris Sherman (Blake), Natalie Harris Nichols (Josh), Mason James Dixon (Laura), Morgan Butler Dixon, Patrick Butler Baldwin, Lauren Ellzey Scott (Grant) and Katelyn

Ellzey Bryant (Landon); great-great-granddaughter, Aubrey Alise Sherman; and great-great-grandson, Charlie Guy Bryant.
Pallbearers will be her grandsons and great-grandsons: Jerry Tony Clark, Jerry Tony Clark II, Edward James Dixon, Mason James Dixon, Guy Wilson Ellzey, and Patrick Butler Baldwin.
To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Tribute Wall

JB

James Bass

James Bass - December 28, 2015 at 09:58 PM

BK

Bro. Sherriel, We are sorry to read of your loss, but know that the Lord will comfort you and your family during this time.

Bro. Jimmy Knight - December 28, 2015 at 03:31 PM

RH

Sherriel ,
Sorry to hear of your mother's passing . We have you in our thoughts & prayers .

ronnie & patricia mcneill hinton - December 28, 2015 at 03:22 PM

TJ

So sorry for your loss. Ms Dertha was such a sweet neighbor. She will always carry a special place in our heart. Praying for the family!

Tony and Kimberly Johnson - December 28, 2015 at 02:14 PM

WS

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walter sims - December 28, 2015 at 01:30 PM

DK

Sherriel I was saddened to hear of your Mom's passing on to Heaven. I am praying for your comfort and thanks for a life well lived. Dale & Trisha Keyes

Dale Keyes - December 28, 2015 at 12:42 PM

SB

So so saddened by death of your mother and grandmother. I will be out of town and will miss services. Remembering you in prayer Sharon Barham

Sharon Barham - December 28, 2015 at 12:11 PM