



Ella Rae Long

February 25, 1936 - July 22, 2024

Mrs. Ella Rae Long went to be with the Lord on Monday, July 22, 2024. She was born in the Sharon community in Laurel, Mississippi on February 25, 1936 to Willie Hosey and Vera Herrington Hosey. She had three brothers, Sidney Hosey, W.E. Hosey, James Hosey, and one sister Ruth Hosey Walley. She was preceded in death by her parents Willie Hosey and Vera Herrington Hosey, brothers James Hosey, W.E. Hosey and sister Ruth Hosey Walley.

Ella Rae married Lewis Long in 1966. They were married 51 years before he passed away on February 26, 2017. They have two children Van Long (Corey) and Jan Long Windham (Stephen). She also has four grandchildren, Logan Myrick, London Long, Jaxon Long, and Jett Windham, who called her "MeMe" and she was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Caden Shows.

She was an active member of First Baptist Church of Sharon where she and her husband served as Treasurers for 48 years. She graduated as Salutatorian of her class at Sharon High School. She worked in the office at Kress Department Store in downtown Laurel before becoming a teller at Trustmark National Bank, previously known as Commercial National Bank. She retired in 2001 from Trustmark National Bank.

Visitation will take place Friday, July 26, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. with the funeral at 12:00 p.m. both at First Baptist Church of Sharon in Laurel,

Mississippi. The interment will be held at Sharon Cemetery. Brother Matt Olson and Cooper Pope will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Ricky Adams, Randy Adams, Jason White, Cooper Pope, Denzel Walley and Ronnie Walley. Honorary Pallbearers will be Atley Ledlow and Jack Reeves.

Her family would like to thank special friend, Linda Reeves, and the Deaconess Hospice nurses for the loving care they provided.

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

Cemetery Details

Sharon Cemetery

4375 Sharon Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **26**. 9:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Sharon
4375 Sharon Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Funeral Service

JUL **26**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Miss Ella rae was a sweet lady, she and mr. Louis will be missed.
Praying for the family. Love y'all.*

Rhonda long - July 25, 2024 at 07:06 PM