



## Elois Thornton Gray

December 17, 1936 - July 3, 2023

Elois Thornton Gray was born December 17, 1936 in Bay Springs, MS and passed away July 03, 2023 at Forrest General Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her husband Lenard Gray, son Dwain Gray, daughter Lena Gray Johnston, sons-in-law Tommy Johnston and Jr Valentine, grandson Ryan Valentine, as well as multiple brothers and sisters.

She is survived by her daughters Donna Parker (George) and Connie Valentine, one sister Eloise Craven, 8 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces and nephews.

Grandsons and Great-Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

She was a retired supervisor and seamstress at Steven's Sportswear in Soso, MS. After retirement she loved to travel.

Visitation will be held at Memory Chapel in Laurel, MS on Friday, July 07, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. Service will begin at 10:00 a.m. with Bro. Mike Thornton officiating. Burial will be at Union Line Cemetery.

To sign the online guest book, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Union Line Cemetery

Corner of Jefcoat Road and Union Line Road  
Soso, MS 39480

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 7. 9:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Elois Thornton Gray*.



July 06, 2023 at 02:36 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Elois Thornton Gray*.



July 06, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of *Elois Thornton Gray*.



July 05, 2023 at 08:08 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of *Elois Thornton Gray*.



July 05, 2023 at 06:38 PM