



Gail R. Fant

February 3, 1953 - May 13, 2021

GAIL RUTLAND FANT

2/3/53 – 5/13/21

Gail Rutland Fant, 68, of Hattiesburg, MS peacefully left the bonds of this world of sin and sorrow to join her Lord and Savior on Thursday, May 13. She was surrounded by family and friends in her home that she loved. Gail lovingly served in the calling of being a nurse for 34 plus years after having graduated summa cum laude from the University of Alabama Capstone College of Nursing. She worked in various areas of the field, but soon found her love for diabetes education and became a Certified Diabetes Educator (C.D.E.). Gail retired from Medtronic, Inc., while serving in this capacity.

Gail was the loving, faithful wife of 23 years to her husband, Dale Fant. They enjoyed many years of traveling, college football (Alabama and Southern Mississippi), and spending time with friends and family. Both enjoyed their work in their respective careers in the nursing field. She was also a dedicated mother, grandmother, and friend who will be missed by all.

Survivors include her husband Dale; son, Chris Simpson; grandson, Andy Simpson; sister, Shirley Cooley; brother, Tommy (Brenda) Rutland; best friend, Nancy Campbell; and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Pallbearers will include:

Chris Simpson, Andy Simpson, Jason Sadler, Robby Fant, Kevin Fant, & Ronnie Bolling.

Visitation will be held on Monday, May 17 at 9:30 A.M until service at 11:00 a.m. at Memory Chapel Funeral Home, Laurel, MS. Interment will be at Sharon Cemetery, just north of Laurel, MS.

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

Cemetery Details

Sharon Cemetery

4375 Sharon Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 9:30 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
Laurel, MS 39440
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Tribute Wall

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“ Dale I just wanted to say how sorry I was to hear about your wife Gail. My husband Will has been having some health issues as well. We both had Covid back in the winter but he was much sicker than me. Anyway, he’s had some medical procedures this week so I didn’t get to give you my condolences in person. Just wanted you to know you’re in our thoughts & prayers. Take care! Love, Diane Patterson

Diane Patterson - May 18, 2021 at 07:17 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Gail R. Fant.



May 15, 2021 at 12:31 AM