



Gertha W. "Jackie" Williams

September 25, 1931 - August 1, 2011

Gertha W. "Jackie" Williams, 79, of Stringer, died Monday, August 1, 2011 at South Central Regional Medical Center in Laurel. Funeral services will be held at 11 am Wednesday, August 3, 2011, at Good Hope Baptist Church in Stringer, with burial to follow in Good Hope Cemetery. Rev. Terry Lee and Rev. George Purvis will officiate. Mrs. Williams was a homemaker and a member of Good Hope Missionary Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mike Walley and Elberta Jones Walley; husband, James Richard Williams, Sr.; brother, Mike C. Walley; sister, Erma L. Hinton; and great grandchildren, premature Ingram twins. Survivors include her three sons, James R. Williams, Jr. (Millie) of Stringer, John Michael Williams of Bay Springs, and Joseph Christian "Jody" Williams of Medford, Oregon; two daughters, Cathy Billon (Wayne) of Sylva, NC and Sharon Ingram (Tommy) of Mt. Olive, MS; five grandchildren, James Ingram (Lacy), Eric Williams, Ashley Billon, Zachary Williams and Caitlyn Williams; two great grandchildren, Sophie and Carter Ingram; two brothers, Buddy Walley of Utica and C. L. Walley of Colorado; and two sisters, Etta Faye Pierce of Vicksburg and Faye Andress of Utica. Pallbearers will be Bill Hill, Ricky Moss, Sam Eldridge, Eric Williams, James Ingram and Tommy Ingram. The family would like to give special thanks to her physician, Dr. Mary Clawson, Director of Nursing, Becky Ulmer, and Jada Lowe and Edna Evans for the kindness and care given to Mrs. Williams. Visitation will be held from 9:30 am until the time of service Wednesday, August 3 at Good Hope Baptist Church in Jasper County.

Memory Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.