



Hazel Bernice Knight

September 22, 1942 - September 10, 2023

Hazel Bernice Knight was born September 22nd, 1942 in Laurel, MS to Wilson and Osra Hill. She entered her Heavenly home Sunday, September 10th, 2023, surrounded by her loved ones.

Bernice grew up in Soso, MS, with 18 brothers and sisters. She loved her family immensely and loved to travel. The only state she didn't travel to was North Dakota. Her favorite activity was cooking once a week for her family when she wasn't away on a trip. She was a member of Salem Heights Baptist Church and Eastern Star. She loved kids and ran a daycare for many years. Above all, Bernice loved her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren more than anything.

She is survived by her son, Larry Tolbert (Nita); daughter, Sandy Farris (Tony); grandchildren, Shaun Farris, Chad Tolbert (Anna), Shona Tolbert, Candi Farris, Carlee Leggett (Tyler) and great-grandchildren; Mia Farris, Presley Farris, Bentleigh Windham, Beckett Tolbert, Bowie Tolbert, and soon to be born Mason Leggett.

She is also survived by four sisters; Pearl Grace Jefcoat (Mondel), Latrice Reeves, Patsy Hill, and Becky Ingram (Charles).

She was preceded in death by her parents, Wilson and Osra Hill; and son,

Greg Tolbert.

Pallbearers will be Shaun Farris, Chad Tolbert, Kyle Smith, Kenny Carter, Hudson Pierce, and Harrison Pierce.

Visitation will be Thursday, September 14th, at Memory Chapel from 9:00-10:00 a.m., with the service to immediately follow. Bro. Brent Benson and Bro. Troy Hobson will officiate. Burial will follow at Salem Heights Baptist Church.

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

Cemetery Details

Salem Heights Baptist Church Cemetery

5850 Hwy 84 West
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 14. 9:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-5235
memorychapel@comcast.net
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall

NP

“ *So sorry for your loss. She was a beautiful neighbor!*

Nancy Pitts - September 16, 2023 at 08:07 AM

AB

“ *I am praying for family and friends .Praying for peace and comfort*

Amanda Braswell - September 16, 2023 at 12:43 AM

DH

“ *Your family is in my prayers*

david holifield - September 14, 2023 at 12:09 PM

GW

“ *Larry and others,
I am so sorry for the loss of your loved one. Gail Graham Wade*

Gail Wade - September 14, 2023 at 10:42 AM

AW

“ *Bernice was such a sweet, kind, pretty lady. She was always so pleasant to be around. She was special to us and will be greatly missed. Praying for peace and comfort to all the family and friends.*

Amy and Phil Williams - September 13, 2023 at 03:44 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Hazel Bernice Knight.*



September 13, 2023 at 02:03 PM



“ *I knew Berniece many years ago, and found her to be a very sweet lady with respect and dignity! Prayers for her family and all who loved her!*

Sarah Entrekin - September 13, 2023 at 12:50 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Hazel Bernice Knight.*



September 12, 2023 at 11:17 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Hazel Bernice Knight.*

September 12, 2023 at 11:17 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Hazel Bernice Knight.*



September 12, 2023 at 09:03 PM



“ *Aunt Bernice was one of my favorite Aunts! She was always laughing or smiling. She was always so faithful in calling and checking on others. She was a great help to Mom after the death of Daddy.*

She will certainly be missed by her children, grandchildren and sisters as well as other family members and friends.

*May God give each of you the comfort that only he can give!
Love you all!
Donna Daly*

Donna Daly - September 12, 2023 at 06:05 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hazel Bernice Knight.*



September 12, 2023 at 03:59 PM

RF

“ *Sandy, So very sorry to hear about your Mother ... Sending Prayers & condolences to your family... May God give you peace 🙏❤️*

Ray & Linda Foxworth - September 12, 2023 at 03:58 PM