



Helen M. Hendry

December 15, 1942 - October 6, 2016

Helen M. Hendry passed away October 6th, 2016 after battling lung cancer. She was born on December 15th 1942 in Laurel, MS, the daughter of Herman E. and Pearl M. Pahnka. She was a retired school teacher of 40 years and a member Tuckers Crossing Baptist Church. She was a devoted daughter, wife, mother and grandmother. She was a devoted pastor's wife serving alongside her husband for over 45 years in various churches across Mississippi and Florida. She enjoyed leading music, singing in the choir, teaching bible study groups and serving others.

She was preceded in death by her father Herman E. Pahnka. She is survived by her husband Rev. George F. Hendry Jr. to whom she was married for 55 years and her mother Pearl M. Pahnka; Sons, George T. and Dana Hendry, James H. and Nancy Hendry, Paul W. and Lori Hendry; Grandchildren, Sean M. Hendry, Reagan T. Hendry, Bayley B. Hendry, Kendall J. Hendry, Braden D. Hendry, and Bryce F. Hendry.

Services will be held at Tuckers Crossing Baptist Church at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 8, with visitation beginning at 1 p.m. Burial will follow at the church cemetery. Rev. Eddie Bryant will officiate.

The family would like to express our appreciation to friends, family, Tula Rosa Congregational United Methodist, and Tuckers Crossing Baptist churches for all the prayers and support for her and the family during this time.

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

Cemetery Details

Tucker's Crossing Cemetery

2054 Tucker's Crossing Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

Tuckers Crossing Baptist Church
2054 Tuckers Crossing Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Service

OCT 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

TP

“ Oh my goodness I just found out about Mrs Helen my heart is broken , I love her and Mr frank so much ! She is like a mother to me ! I had no idea she passed ! My heart is broken ! I love you Mrs Helen, Mr frank I love you !!

Tena Patrick - February 07, 2017 at 09:14 PM

TS

“ My deepest condolences to the family. Mrs. Henry taught my three children at Richton. She was a beautiful, warm spirited woman with the kindest hearted.

Tasheba Simpson - October 11, 2016 at 06:39 PM

EH

“ This beautiful woman was a HUGE influence in my life, she and Bro. Frank helped me to turn my life around and in the right direction. She taught me so much, and loved me so much, my heart is broken but I know that its not good bye... I will see you in heaven Ms. Helen for I know that you are there.
Thomas please call me and let me know if there is anything I can do, my deepest apologies for not being able to attend the funeral. You guys know you had the best mother in the world. 601-744-6989, Emily

Emily Harrington - October 11, 2016 at 04:06 PM

BL

“ You were an awesome teacher for my grandson, Brent while he was at Richton. You encouraged him to reach for the stars as he studies and prepares now to be an aeronautical engineer. We loved you. Now you are among the stars. A very sweet lady who will be missed by all. Our prayers are with her family. Morgan & Belinda Lewis, Doug, Jessica, Brent & Brendan

Belinda Lewis - October 10, 2016 at 08:31 PM

JS

“ Wanted the family to know what a wonderful co-teacher and friend she was while at Richton Elemenatary School. I spent many a day enjoying her kind words and advice. She was a truly Christian women showing her love and faith to everyone. My thoughts and prayers are with you. June stennett

june stennett - October 09, 2016 at 05:18 PM

PM

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of Mrs. Helen. We went to JCJC together a long time ago. A wonderful lady.

Pat Muscio - October 09, 2016 at 02:53 PM

BP

“ What a wonderful friend, Tony and Belinda Patterson send our love to Bro. Frank and all of the family. We have loving memories from Beaumont First Baptist, MS.



Belinda Patterson - October 09, 2016 at 07:40 AM

TE

“ *Trudie And Johnny Eubanks lit a candle in memory of Helen M. Hendry*



Trudie and Johnny Eubanks - October 08, 2016 at 10:22 PM

TE

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Ms Helen. She and Brother Frank and their family are very special people and we're always willing to help. Love them much. James, Paul and Thomas please keep us posted on Brother Frank. Prayers going up for all*

Trudie and Johnny Eubanks - October 08, 2016 at 10:18 PM

TP

I am Tena Patrick , they use to come eat with me at the Resturant (western Sizzlin) I loved these two as my parents , They loved me and I love them ! Please let Mr Frank know I love him ! My phone is 601-580-4678 address Tenapattick0@ gmail.com please I miss them so badly I go out to see Mrs Helen at the church still today !!

tena I patrick - August 31, 2021 at 09:17 PM

DA

“ *She was always a loving kind person and s very special lady we love you brother frank . Cecil and Debbie Aycock*

debbie aycock - October 08, 2016 at 08:20 PM

JL

“ *Helen wasteaching at Richton Elemntary when I became principal. She was an excellent teacher, a great employee and a good friend. I could always count on her and Mr. Frank for listening, a shoulder to cry on, a prayer and support. Rest well dear Helen.*

Jean Light - October 08, 2016 at 12:38 PM



“ *Garden of Serenity Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen M. Hendry.*



October 07, 2016 at 11:41 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen M. Hendry.*



October 06, 2016 at 07:41 PM