



## Lanora Reid Houston

June 2, 1929 - September 21, 2024

Lanora Reid Houston, of Laurel, MS, born June 2nd 1929, passed away on September 21, 2024 at the age of 95.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 72 years, Walter Monroe Houston, Jr.; son Timothy Wayne Houston; parents, Arrilla and Dewey Tadlock and Grover Reid; brothers, Talmage Reid, Ethel Reid, Tillman Reid, Frank "Buck" Tadlock and sisters, Mattie Lee Temple and Faye Moseley.

She is survived by son David Houston (Patsy); brother-in-law Harris Houston (Carmen); grandchildren Jessica Watts, Stephanie Pellegrin (Owen), Walter "Scott" Houston, Nicole Prestwood (Cabe); and great-grandchildren Bryce Watts, Parker Prestwood, and Kate Prestwood.

An avid shopper, Lanora would spend hours at the mall and loved a good bargain. Everyone was always welcomed in the Houston household where you would be greeted with a glass of sweet tea and a slice of fresh cornbread. She was known for her famous homemade chicken and dumplings, a recipe that was passed down from her mother.

Funeral services and visitation will be held at First Baptist Church of Shady Grove on Wednesday, September 25th. Visitation for family begins at 12:30 p.m., friends at 1:00 p.m., funeral 2:00 p.m. with burial at Shady Grove

Cemetery immediately following the service.

Services will be led by Rev. Chris Sledge with music by Cynthia Bush and Danny Temple. Joe Bush, Ed Harper, Douglas Kelley, Cabe Prestwood, Danny Temple, and Larry Watts will serve as pallbearers.

The family would like to thank the care team of St. Joseph Hospice and the staff at Cedar Place Personal Care Facility for the loving care of Lanora.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Shady Grove Cemetery

4514 Hy 15 N  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 25. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Shady Grove  
4514 Highway 15 North  
Laurel, MS 39443

## Service

SEP 25. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Owen and Freddy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lanora Reid Houston.

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Owen and Freddy - September 24, 2024 at 12:01 AM

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“ Owen and Freddy purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Lanora Reid Houston.



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