



## Merle Craft Welborn

June 30, 1927 - May 3, 2016

Merle Craft Welborn, 88, of Stringer, died May 3, 2016, at South Central Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday May 5, at Memory Chapel with visitation prior to the service beginning at 12 Noon. Burial will follow at Welborn Family Cemetery, County Road 19151, Stringer, MS.

Mrs. Welborn was a homemaker and of the Baptist faith. She loved her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lee H. "Buck" Welborn; parents, William Craft and Leona Carlisle Craft; daughter, Christina Anding; granddaughter, Bonita Miller; and sister, Opal Dixon.

Survivors include three sons, Buddy Welborn (Carmen), Ricky Welborn (Patsy), and Kenneth Welborn (Hope) all of Stringer; two daughters, Annese Savage (Jimmy) of Stringer and Tammy Ishee (Jimmy) of Laurel; 11 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; and two great great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Buddy Welborn, Jr., Jacob Welborn, Jimmy Savage, Dan Miller, Brad Savage, and Dewayne Savage. Honorary pallbearers will be Robert Boyanton, Nate Gordon, Andrew Thompson, and Chris Anding.

To sign the family guestbook, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Welborn Family Cemetery

CR 19151  
Stringer, MS 39481

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 5. 12:00 PM (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

MAY 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Merle Craft Welborn.* ”



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May 04, 2016 at 11:21 AM



“ *I miss my grandmother very much! We shared many memories together* ”



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