



## Merle Kathleen Shelton

June 28, 1923 - April 25, 2017

Merle Kathleen Shelton, 93, of Hillsborough, NC passed away on April 25, 2017.

Mrs. Shelton was born in Laurel, MS on June 28, 1923, to Thomas Rhymes and Merle Tibbs Rhymes.

Visitation will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, May 1, 2017 at Memory Chapel with funeral services to follow at 2 p.m. Interment will be at Lake Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Shelton was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Preston Shelton; daughter, Kay Elizabeth May; and her parents, Thomas Rhymes and Merle Tibbs Rhymes.

She is survived by her son, Edward Eugene Shelton and wife, Anne of North Carolina; six grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

# Cemetery Details

## Lake Park Cemetery

1303 Old Bay Springs Rd  
Laurel, MS 39440

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 1. 1:00 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 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Merle Kathleen Shelton.*



May 10, 2017 at 11:34 AM



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April 28, 2017 at 05:00 PM



“ *Anita Lanford, Kim Lunsford, Jeff & Tommy Mooney purchased the Sentiments of Serenity S pray for the family of Merle Kathleen Shelton.*



**Anita Lanford, Kim Lunsford, Jeff & Tommy Mooney** - April 28, 2017 at 09:46 AM

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“ *What a wonderful, sweet and loving woman. Kathleen is my aunt and I have nothing but fond loving memories of her. My love for her and her family is endless. I will miss her here on earth but I know she is at peace now. May God bless, comfort, keep and heal the hearts of her son Gene and his family and Kay's family and all those who love her.*

*Kim Mooney Lunsford*

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**Kim Mooney Lunsford** - April 26, 2017 at 01:47 PM