



# Myrtle Elizabeth Phillips

June 9, 1922 - February 23, 2014

Myrtle Elizabeth "Minnie" Holcombe Phillips, 91, of Laurel, MS, passed away on Sunday, February 23, 2014.

Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, February 27, 2014, at Antioch Methodist Church Cemetery. Rev. Billy Murphy will officiate. Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. Wednesday, February 26, 2014, at Memory Chapel.

Born June 9, 1922 in Ellisville, MS, she was the daughter of the late George Holcombe and Lillian Holcombe.

She is survived by her two daughters, Dianne McClain of Laurel, MS and Dawn DuBose of Jacksonville, FL; one son-in-law, James DuBose of Jacksonville, FL; five grandchildren, Shannon Kinney (Jeffery Kinney), of Jacksonville, FL, Melinda McAlpin (Greg McAlpin) of Hattiesburg, MS, Robin DuBose, Madeline Herrington (DeWayne Herrington), and Jay McClain (April McClain) of Laurel, MS; and great-grandchildren, Morgan Duett, Thompson Duett, Jordyn DuBose, Katherine Sinclair, Blake McAlpin, Paxton Holder, Joe Kinney, Meagan Clark, Sarajane Kinney, Dawson Rowell, Ryan Clark, DeWayne Herrington, and Margot Kinney; a brother, William Holcombe; Charay DuBose, mother of Jordyn; and many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her husband, J. P. "Pete" Phillips; one son-in-law, James J. "Bubba" McClain; her brothers, Lamar and Jimmy Holcombe, and sister, Lula Ishee.

She was an inspiration to all who knew her and to all whose lives she touched. She was a devout Christian who lived her life being of service to others and serving the Lord. John 14:1-4. She wanted to be remembered as being faithful to her God, family, and friends.

Grandsons and great grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Memory Chapel is in charge of the arrangements. To view and sign the family guest book, visit [www.memorychapel Laurel.com](http://www.memorychapel Laurel.com).

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ Dawn, Diane, Melinda, and Family,  
Ronnie and I are very sorry to hear of your loss of Mincie. She was a fine person and I know she'll be missed by all of you. We will pray for your comfort and healing.  
Janie and Ronnie Butts

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**Janie and Ronnie Butts** - March 02, 2014 at 02:49 PM

JS

“ Dianne, Dawn and families:  
I am so sorry about your mother. She was such a sweet person and put up with a lot with all of us running in and out of your house when we were kids. I know you will all miss her . You are each in my prayers.Q

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**Jeanette Stricklin** - February 26, 2014 at 09:32 AM

DB

“ So very sorry to hear of Aunt Mincie passing... She was such a wonderful lady... Darrell will be very sadden by the news when he gets home from off shore...y'all are in our prayer...

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**Darrell and Karen Beard** - February 25, 2014 at 08:58 PM