



Ruth H. Gambrell

December 1, 1938 - January 11, 2016

Ruth H. Gambrell "Meme", 77, of Laurel passed away peacefully at her home on Monday, January 11, 2016.

She was born on December 1, 1938, in Soso, MS. She was preceded in death by her husband, William E " Ed" Gambrell, and her parents, Ruby M. Edwards and Russell S. Hawkins.

There will be a visitation for family and friends from 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 14, 2016, at Memory Chapel with a graveside service at Summerland Cemetery at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Kenny McMinn officiating. She is survived by her children, Donna (Temple) Fleming and husband Robert Fleming of Alvin, TX, Dianne (Temple) Brady and husband Billy Brady of Ellisville, MS, and Ronald (Ron) Temple and wife, Vanessa (Griggs) Temple of Knoxville, TN. She is survived by one sister, Rustye Blakeney and husband Mack Blakeney of Laurel, MS.

She was "Meme" to her 6 grandchildren: Jennifer Holder and husband, Brent Holder of Whitwell, TN, Courtney Mapp and husband, Mario Mapp of Ludlow, MS, Robert Fleming, Jr. of Pasadena, TX, Brandi Fleming of Crosby, TX, Jared Fleming and wife, Leah Fleming, of Alvin, TX, and Evan Temple of Knoxville, TN. And she was also blessed to be "Meme" to 9 beautiful special great grandchildren; Ava Holder, Layla Holder, Analee Thompson, McKyleigh Copeland, Josiah Mapp, Dakota Hutchinson, Zayden Arredondo, Landon Brown and Emma Fleming, as well as numerous nieces and nephews, especially her niece Tammi Hamilton, who was her faithful caretaker.

She was an avid reader and loved to read and study her Bible. She loved her sweet "Minnie" cat - but most of all she loved and adored her family.

Pallbearers will be: Brent Holder, Mario Mapp, Robert Fleming, Sr., Robert Fleming, Jr, Jared Fleming and Evan Temple.

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

Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry to hear about Mrs. Gambrell's passing away. I know you all love her so much and will miss her. She was always so sweet to me. Always had kind words to say.

AnnMarie Chandler Hosey - January 14, 2016 at 04:38 PM

DH

“ Ruth H. Gambrell

David and Barbara Hudson - January 13, 2016 at 07:11 PM

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“ Ronnie, Vanessa and Evan-
My thoughts and prayers are with you & your family.

Susan Wells Hedgepeth - January 13, 2016 at 04:28 PM

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“ Family of Ruth Gambrell,
I am so sorry for your loss.
Cindy Stewart

Cindy Stewart - January 13, 2016 at 02:24 PM

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“ Deepest sympathy for your loss.
Love, The Coleman family (Jenn Holder's friends from TN)

The Coleman family - January 13, 2016 at 11:22 AM